



News Release

Ashland increases prices for 1-4 butanediol and derivatives in EMEA

BARCELONA, Spain, December 8, 2016 – Ashland today announced it will increase the prices for 1-4 butanediol (BDO) and its derivatives (including THF, NMP, BLO®, 2-Pyrol) in Europe, the Middle East and Africa (EMEA) by €75 per metric ton. This increase will take effect January 2, 2017, or as contracts allow.

The pricing action reflects evolving market conditions which will allow Ashland to continue to provide its customers with the premium level services that they currently receive.

About Ashland

Ashland Global Holdings Inc. (NYSE: ASH) is a premier global specialty chemicals company serving customers in a wide range of consumer and industrial markets, including adhesives, architectural coatings, automotive, construction, energy, food and beverage, personal care and pharmaceutical. At Ashland, we are 6,000 passionate, tenacious solvers – from renowned scientists and research chemists to talented engineers and plant operators – who thrive on developing practical, innovative and elegant solutions to complex problems for customers in more than 100 countries. Ashland also maintains a controlling interest in Valvoline Inc. (NYSE: VVV), a premium consumer-branded lubricant supplier. Visit ashland.com to learn more.

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