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Ashland to increase price of 1-4 Butanediol in Europe, Middle East and Africa

Barcelona, Spain – Ashland Performance Materials, a business unit of Ashland Inc. (NYSE: ASH), is increasing prices for 1-4 Butanediol (BDO) effective October 1, 2016, or as contracts allow. In the Europe, Middle East & Africa region the price will increase €100 per metric ton.

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

About Ashland

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