

## News Release

### Oxea Announces Global Price Increases

**Dallas, February 11, 2010** – Oxea will increase list and off-list prices on the products below effective March 1, 2010, or as contracts allow.

#### USA, Canada, and Mexico

Product	March 1, 2010 Increase	List Price (Zone 1)
	US\$/lb	US\$/lb
i/n Butanol	\$0.06	\$1.13 (new list price)
i/n Butyl Acetate	\$0.06	\$1.03 (no change to list price)
n Propanol	\$0.06	\$1.08 (no change to list price)
n Propyl Acetate	\$0.06	\$1.05 (no change to list price)

#### South & Central America, Asia, Africa, and Middle East

Product	March 1, 2010 Increase
	US\$/mt
i/n Butanol	\$132
i/n Butyl Acetate	\$132
n Propanol	\$132
n Propyl Acetate	\$132

Oxea is a global supplier of solvents, polyols and oxo derivatives such as carboxylic acids, olefin derivatives and alkylamines. These products are used for the production of high-quality coatings, lubricants, cosmetic and pharmaceutical products, flavorings and fragrances, printing inks and plastics. The company is an international market leader in the production of a variety of acetates, alcohols, amines, carboxylic acids and butyraldehydes. Oxea has annual sales worth about USD 1.7 billion and employs approximately 1,350 people in Europe, Asia and the Americas. They are supported by an experienced sales team worldwide.

Further information about the global Oxea Group is available at [www.oxea-chemicals.com](http://www.oxea-chemicals.com).

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