



## News Release

### Oxea Announces Price Increase for Carboxylic Acids

**Dallas, March 15, 2011** – Oxea will increase list and off-list prices on the products below effective April 1, 2011, or as contracts allow.

<b>Product</b>	<b>Europe EUR/mt</b>	<b>Americas US\$/lb</b>	<b>Asia US\$/mt</b>
2-Ethylhexanoic Acid	200	0.12	270
Butyric Acids	100	0.06	130
n-Valeric Acid	150	0.10	220
Isononanoic Acid	150	0.10	220

Oxea is a global manufacturer of Oxo intermediates and Oxo derivatives such as alcohols, polyols, carboxylic acids, specialty esters, and amines. These products are used for the production of high-quality coatings, lubricants, cosmetics and pharmaceutical products, flavorings and fragrances, printing inks and plastics. In 2010, Oxea generated revenue of about EUR 1.4 billion with approximately 1,330 employees in Europe, the Americas and Asia.

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