



Sustainability News

Dear readers,

Environmental matters have found their way into the awareness of global industries. BASF addresses them prominently in the corporate targets with a strong focus on climate and environmental protection. “Sustainability is very important to us. We are therefore aiming for CO₂-neutral growth until 2030, keeping our greenhouse gas emissions flat at the 2018 level,” Martin Brudermüller, Chairman of the Board of Executive Directors of BASF SE, emphasized in his letter to the shareholders in the annual report end of February 2019. Learn more about BASF’s targets [here](#).

This issue of Sustainability News focuses on BASF’s engagement and co-operations for climate and environmental protection. Learn more about BASF’s recognition as a global leader in corporate climate action by the independent non-profit organization CDP, which also acknowledged our leadership in water management. Further, get to know the Alliance to End Plastic Waste which BASF co-founded. Enjoy reading our newsletter!

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BASF recognized as global leader in corporate climate action

BASF has been highlighted as a global leader in corporate climate action in 2018 by non-profit organization CDP and now ranks in the CDP Climate Change A List.

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BASF co-founded global Alliance to End Plastic Waste

BASF co-founded a global alliance of nearly 30 companies to advance solutions that reduce and eliminate mismanaged plastic waste in the environment, especially in the ocean.

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Creating Chemistry Magazine: Is banning plastic a good thing?

Almost 80 percent of the plastic waste ever produced now lies in landfills or is littered in the environment. Is banning plastic an effective solution? Read the interviews with the experts Erik Solheim and Professor Richard Thompson.

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BASF certifies biomass balanced products according to REDcert² standard

The biomass balance method drives the use of renewable raw materials and reduces greenhouse gas emissions. BASF now certifies biomass balanced products according to the new REDcert² standard for the chemical industry.

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BASF to partner with Adani to evaluate CO₂-neutral site in India

BASF and Adani Group will evaluate a major joint investment in the acrylics value chain. The designated site will be BASF's first CO₂-neutral site, powered by 100% renewable energy.

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