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## **News Focus**

#### Will HDI Price Rise in March?



PUdaily, Shanghai-- The Lunar New Year holiday is already behind us and trading in the chemical market begins to recover. Today, PUdaily will review the recent HDI market conditions for you. 1. Situation about raw material hexamethylendiamine BASF declared force majeure on hexamethylendiamine On January 24th, the public facilities at the site where BASF's plant is located shut down unexpectedly, which affected its production of hexamethylendiamine (HMD). The company declared force majeure on its HMD, AH salt, and Nylon 66 polymers and compounds (Ultramid® and Capron®PA66) supplied from Germany...More

## **Polyurethane Market**

Dow Announces MDI Increase 2018-03-01

Effective March 15, 2018, or as contracts allow, The Dow Chemical Company ("Dow") will increase its price \$0.15/pound for all market segments in the United States for the following products... More

Henan Shenma Unveiled Adipic Acid List Price

Engineered Materials ("AEM") businesses...More

2018-03-01

PUdaily, Shanghai-Henan Shenma set its list price for March adipic acid at RMB 13,000/ton... More

### SE Asia Polyether Polyols Market Moves Up Mildly in March

2018-03-02

PUdaily, Shanghai- SE Asia polyether polyols market moves up mildly in March. Local traders just receive new quotations from main suppliers at present. The settled prices have not been completed mainly this week. Real transactions could be rarely heard in the market for the time being...More

## An Analysis of PO Exports by Southeast Asian Manufacturers in 2017

2018-03-05

PUdaily, Shanghai-- By the end of 2017, the production capacity for propylene oxide (PO) in Southeast Asia stood at 815,000 tons per year. The number has remained largely the same for the past five years...More

#### **Company Dynamic**

Celanese Corporation Raises Full Year 2018 Adjusted Earnings Per Share Growth Outlook to 12- 2018-03-01 Čelanese Corporation (NYSE: CE), a global technology and specialty materials company, announced today that it has increased its 2018 earnings guidance. Based on a stronger start to the year, in both the Acetyl Chain and Advanced

## Solvay Appoints New Presidents for Special Chem and Specialty Polymers

2018-03-05

Solvay has appointed Rodrigo Elizondo as President of Special Chem Global Business Unit, and Michael Finelli as President of the GBU Specialty Polymers... More

### **Industry Glance**

#### USSABC Names Jacobs' CEO Steven Demetriou Co-Chairman

2018-03-02

Saudi Arabian Business Council (USSABC) is pleased to announce the selection of Jacobs Chairman and CEO Steve Demetriou to serve as U.S. Co-Chairman of the business council, effective February 13, 2018, succeeding Former Chevron Vice Chairman Peter Robertson...More

## Biesterfeld and Evonik: Strategic Partnership in the Polyurethane Segment

2018-03-02

Biesterfeld Spezialchemie GmbH and Evonik Nutrition & Care GmbH's Comfort & Insulation business segment have concluded a strategic partnership for the distribution of polyurethane additives throughout Germany, Austria, Switzerland, Eastern Europe and Russia... More

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