

Statement on Chemicals safety and stewardship



Chemicals safety and stewardship is a critical issue as chemicals during the use phase might have potential impacts on human health or the environment. Corbion's biochemicals offer safer alternatives for chemicals of concern.

To make our chemicals-safety performance more transparent and demonstrate the low-hazard profile of our portfolio, we use three chemicals-safety KPIs:

- ▶ The number of chemicals produced on the REACH Authorization List of the EU. Substances on this list are selected from the REACH Candidate List and cannot be launched on the market or used after a given date ("sunset date"), unless authorization is granted for their specific use, or the use is exempted from authorization.
- ▶ The number of REACH Candidate List chemicals produced. The REACH Candidate List of the EU is the first step toward stringent regulation of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHCs).
- ▶ The number of SIN list chemicals produced. The Substitute It Now (SIN list), developed by nonprofit ChemSec, is a list of very hazardous chemicals that may be placed on the REACH Candidate List.

None of Corbion's products are included in any of the above lists. It is a priority to maintain this, to meet our promise to preserve what matters, and to minimize risks related to regulatory measures, workers' health, consumer exposure, and potential accidents and spills.

Next to this Corbion does not produce or use in its production processes any of the below listed substances; this applies to our worldwide business:

- ▶ Prior Informed Consent (PIC) substances based on Rotterdam Convention
- ▶ Persistent Organic Pollutants (POP) substances based on Stockholm Convention
- ▶ Highly Hazardous Pesticides (HHP) based on Pesticide Action Network (PAN) Europe list

We apply strict cut-off criteria for the development of new products (SVHC criteria) and we adhere to the 12 principles of Green Chemistry. All Corbion products that are within the scope of REACH have been registered accordingly.