



Hexion™ Specialty Chemicals is the world's largest producer of thermosetting resins. The second-largest North American-based specialty chemicals company, Hexion generated 2008 sales of \$6.1 billion through its leading positions across various end markets and geographies.

Our resins are used in bonding, binding and coating applications in a multitude of industries and for virtually thousands of end-use products. Our materials are found in products touching nearly every facet of modern living.

Hexion was formed in 2005 through the merger of Borden Chemical, Inc., Resolution Performance Products LLC (RPP) and Resolution Specialty Materials LLC (RSM), and the acquisition of Bakelite AG. Hexion has continued to grow through the acquisitions of the decorative coatings and adhesives business of The Rhodia Group, the wax business of Rohm and Haas, the ink and adhesive resins business of Akzo Nobel, the adhesives and resins business of Orica Ltd., and the resins and formaldehyde business of Arkema GmbH. Hexion Specialty Chemicals is owned by an affiliate of the private investment firm Apollo Management, L.P.

About Hexion Specialty Chemicals, Inc.

An Industry Leader

Hexion has a leading market position in its key product areas. Backed by a global network of production facilities and strong technical support, Hexion is able to serve its customers in virtually all global markets.

| Key Product | Market Position |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Forest Product Resins | #1 in North America |
| Formaldehyde | #1 Globally |
| Epoxy Resins | Global leadership position |
| Foundry Resins | North American leadership position |
| Molding Resins | European leadership position |
| Ink Resins | #1 Globally |
| Versatic Acids and Derivatives | #1 Globally |
| Oilfield Resins | Global leadership position |
| Composite Resins (Epoxy-based) | Global leadership position |

Business Operations

Hexion Specialty Chemicals operates in two primary segments: Adhesive and Structural, and Coating. The table at right shows the major product lines, industry sectors served and end-use markets for each segment.

Scope of Operations

Hexion Specialty Chemicals is headquartered in Columbus, Ohio. As of December 31, 2008, the company had 94 manufacturing facilities in various countries in the Americas, Europe and the Asia-Pacific region, and approximately 6,800 employees.

Executive Leadership

Craig Morrison –
Chairman, President and CEO

Joseph Bevilaqua –
President,
Epoxy & Phenolic Resins Division

Peter Hartland –
President,
Coatings & Inks Division

Dale Plante –
President,
Forest Products Division

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| | Adhesive and Structural | Coating |
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| Major Products | Formaldehyde based phenolic and amino resins Epoxy resins and intermediates Composite Resins (UPR and Epoxy) Phenolic coated substrates (sand and ceramic) Molding compounds | Epoxy resins Acrylic resins Polyester resins Alkyd resins Inks resin vehicles and additives Versatic acids and derivatives |
| Major Industry Sectors Served | Wood Products, Furniture and Millwork Transportation Equipment and Industrial Machinery Chemical Manufacturing Electrical Equipment and Appliances Electronic Products Oil and Gas Field Support | Chemical Manufacturing Transportation Equipment and Industrial Machinery Electrical Equipment and Appliances Furniture and Millwork Printing |
| Major End-Use Markets | Plywood, Particleboard, OSB, MDF, Trusses Carbon and Glass fiber composites Automotive Friction Materials Furniture and Millwork Assembly Electronic Laminates Foundry Sands and Consumables Oil and Gas Field Proppants | Architectural paints Auto coatings Marine and Industrial coatings Construction and Maintenance coatings Printing Inks Specialty Coatings |



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