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### Degussa is now Evonik

Dear Ms. Binks


On September 12<sup>th</sup>, we introduced a new corporate brand: Evonik Industries. Evonik is the creative industrial group for chemicals, energy and real estate – a global leader in specialty chemicals, an expert in power generation from hard coal and renewable energies, and one of the largest private residential real estate companies in Germany. Additional information can be found at [www.evonik.com](http://www.evonik.com).

As part of the brand launch, our company name has changed as well: Degussa GmbH has been renamed **Evonik Degussa GmbH**. All contract relationships you have with Degussa GmbH to date will remain in place, with Evonik Degussa GmbH. Please reflect this name change in your future correspondence. Because it may take a while for our IT systems to be completely switched to the new corporate brand, it is possible you will receive business documents bearing the Degussa logo in the weeks ahead.

Naturally, you will continue to benefit from our expertise as a leading specialty chemicals company. Your contacts at Evonik will remain the same.

We look forward to working as closely with you in the future as we have in the past, with creative ideas, a strong focus on finding solutions, and proven product quality.

Yours sincerely,  
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