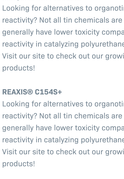
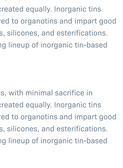
WHAT'S NEW AT REAXIS: AUGUST 2021

Our team at Reaxis has had a whirlwind past few months! From quality updates to new hires, upcoming events and more, we have a lot of Reaxis News to share with you that we didn't think should be missed. Keep reading to learn more about what we've been up to!





PRODUCT SPOTLIGHTS

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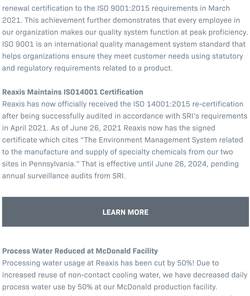

TECHNICAL BULLETIN

Bismuth Catalysts
Due to an increased demand for alternatives to organotins, REAXIS has developed a family of water-stable carboxylate-free bismuth catalysts good for various polyurethane formulations and applications. Please read our Technical Bulletin for more details.

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QUALITY UPDATES

ISO 9001:2015 Renewal Certification
Reaxis is proud to announce the recent achievement of receiving our renewal certification to the ISO 9001:2015 requirements in March 2021. This achievement further demonstrates that every employee in our organization makes our quality system function at peak proficiency. ISO 9001 is an international quality management system standard that helps organizations ensure they meet customer needs using statutory and regulatory requirements related to a product.

Reaxis Maintains ISO14001 Certification
Reaxis has now officially received the ISO 14001:2015 re-certification after being successfully audited in accordance with SRI's requirements in April 2021. As of June 26, 2021 Reaxis now has the signed certificate which cites "The Environment Management System related to the manufacture and supply of specialty chemicals from our two sites in Pennsylvania." That is effective until June 26, 2024, pending annual surveillance audits from SRI.

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Process Water Reduced at McDonald Facility
Processing water usage at Reaxis has been cut by 50%! Due to increased reuse of non-contact cooling water, we have decreased daily process water use by 50% at our McDonald production facility. Congratulations to the Production and Environmental, Health & Safety teams for achieving this reduction!

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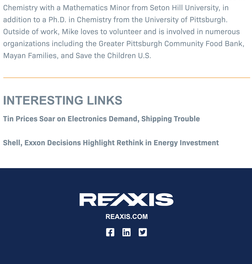

MARKETING UPDATES

UTECH Europe Conference
Reaxis Inc. will have a presence at this year's UTECH Europe Conference, the leading international exhibition and conference for the global polyurethanes industry. The conference takes place November 16-18 in Maastricht, The Netherlands.

Enhanced Product Search on Reaxis.com
Earlier this year, we launched a new website featuring many new features and an enhanced user experience. Visitors can now enjoy a more robust search process when searching for products, as well as a growing resource library for product and technical support.

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REGULATORY UPDATES

Two organotins have been defined by European ECHA as Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC). Visit the ECHA website below for more information.

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EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

Mike Washington
Mike has been on the Reaxis Inc. team for two and half years now. Starting out as R&D Team Leader, Mike quickly worked his way up to his current role as Technical Manager. He has a Bachelor of Science in Chemistry with a Mathematics Minor from Seton Hill University, in addition to a Ph.D. in Chemistry from the University of Pittsburgh. Outside of work, Mike loves to volunteer and is involved in numerous organizations including the Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank, Mayan Families, and Save the Children U.S.

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