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Best Polymer Producers Awards for Europe

An initiative by the Polymers
for Europe Alliance

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Best Polymer Producers Awards for Europe - Background



What is the Polymers for Europe Alliance?

- The European Plastics Converters association (EuPC) decided during its General Assembly in May 2015 to initiate the **Polymers for Europe Alliance, an online information platform free of charge, confidential and open to all parties who have an interest in the competitive conversion of polymers in Europe.**
- The platform is chaired by Ron Marsh, Board member of EuPC.
- Website:
<http://www.polymercomplyeurope.eu/what-we-offer/polymers-europe-alliance>



Polymers for Europe Alliance

The Alliance for all users of polymers in Europe

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Best Polymer Producers Awards for Europe - Overview



What are the Best Polymer Producers Awards for Europe?

- **Objective:** Re-establish a constructive dialogue and a good relationship / communication between suppliers & users of polymers.
- **Voters:** All users of polymers in Europe have the opportunity to rate their suppliers regarding their performance between June 2017 and May 2018:
 - **Condition:** Approved registration to the Polymers for Europe Alliance
 - **Link to registration:** <http://www.polymercomplyeurope.eu/node/210/register>
 - **Confidentiality of voters is guaranteed**
- **Launch of voting:** 15 February 2018 to 11 May 2018
- **Awards ceremony:** during Gala Dinner of the European Plastics Converters (EuPC) Annual Meeting on the 24th May 2018 in Milan.
- **Voting system:** Online confidential rating tool is hosted in the Polymers for Europe Alliance extranet on the Polymer Comply Europe website.



Best Polymer Producers Awards for Europe - Awards

10 Awards:

- **9 categories:** LDPE, LLDPE, HDPE, PET, PVC, PC, PS, PP, ABS
- **One additional overall Award covering all categories:** for 2018, this will be the criterion “Polymer Quality”



Best Polymer Producers Awards for Europe - Rating procedure



1. Plastics converters will be able to rate **ALL their suppliers per polymer type***.
2. The specific supplier will be rated according to **5 criteria**. There will be an indicative content provided for each criterion in the rating tool. **Each criterion is rated on a scale from 1 star “insufficient performance” to 5 stars “very good performance”**.
3. Once the information has been filled in by plastics converters all over Europe during a period of three months, **the voting will be automatically saved and will be subject to final evaluation at the end of May**.

**list provided by Polyglobe*

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In total five criteria for rating the suppliers:

1. Delivery Reliability:

- Supplier meeting the agreed deadlines
- Flexibility of supplier in terms of delivery
- No additional costs due to delivery problems by the supplier
- Safety Delivery Requirements

2. Quality:

- Material performance
- Quality problems
- Material quality corresponding to what had been ordered
- Additional costs due to quality problems/non-conformity from the supplier's side

3. Regulatory Compliance / Technical Service:

- Documentation in terms of material data sheets provided by the supplier
- Proactivity of supplier
- Technical support for innovation from the supplier's side

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4. Communication:

- On time information about delivery problems by the supplier
- Transparent communication about maintenance planning, FM or delivery problems by the supplier
- Supplier considering you as a valued customer

5. Innovation:

- Supplier engaging in technical innovation
- Supplier engaging in market innovation contributing to the European market
- Supplier supporting the Circular Economy (e.g. provision of recyclates)

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