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Euroresins appoints BÜFA's Jürgen H. Aurer as Managing Director		Date 24.MAR.09
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Jürgen H. Aurer appointed Managing Director at Euroresins.

As part of the recent Joint Venture agreements signed between DSM Composite Resins and BÜFA, Jürgen Aurer will become the new Managing Director at Euroresins, DSM's and BÜFA's subsidiary premium pan-European distribution business for the composites industry.

As part of the joint venture Euroresins will become the sole European distributor of products from DSM and BÜFA, and will also work for major industry suppliers of other materials such as glass, peroxides and auxiliaries

"Euroresins will become the first ever one-stop-shop for the European composites industry," explains Aurer, "I'm delighted to have the opportunity of such a central role in a company which I believe will revolutionize the way small to mid-sized firms source their composite resins. Not only can we meet the product needs of our customers, but we also bring the combined expertise of the biggest players in the industry to the doorsteps of smaller firms. In addition we are agile enough, because we have the right size and mindset to effectively service this tier of market players."

Prior to this role Jürgen Aurer held the position of Managing Director at BÜFA Reaktionsharze GmbH & Co. KG. Now he'll be responsible for ensuring the seamless consolidation of DSM and BÜFA's European distribution joint venture.

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Euroresins is to offer an unprecedented high performance interface to customers across Europe by acting as a span breaker intermediary between the largest firms and the smaller companies who have found it harder to gain full access to the expertise necessary to use the latest technologies and products in composite materials manufacturing.

About DSM Composite Resins

DSM Composite Resins is part of DSM Resins - a group within the Performance Materials cluster of DSM - and is the largest producer of structural resins in Europe and a technology leader in resins for SMC/BMC. The company is expanding globally, especially in China, targeting high added-value segments. Customers are served via dedicated Competence and Expertise Centers and via Euroresins, the company owned European FRP distribution business. Since DSM Composite Resins is also the global market leader in Sizings & Binders, vital functional and performance components used in the production of glass fiber reinforcements; DSM can claim unique competencies throughout the composites value chain.

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About BÜFA

BÜFA Reactive Resins is part of the BÜFA Group, a forward-looking provider of high-quality system solutions. The success achieved by BÜFA as an independent, medium-sized, family-owned business is based on tradition and frank collaboration in a spirit of mutual trust and confidence. As the central motor of the BÜFA Group, the strategic holding Büsing & Fasch GmbH & Co KG forms the core of the business that was set up in 1883. It is the heart of all cross-divisional strategic tasks and innovative services. The holding encompasses four independent subsidiaries: BÜFA Glass, BÜFA Chemicals, BÜFA Cleaning Systems and BÜFA Reactive Resins. All activities are characterised by material development as well as a comprehensive range of services, but above all by intensive customer advisory services and support in a spirit of partnership. While

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expanding its European business BÜFA believes in strategic partnerships without losing the flexibility of a medium sized company. In 2007 the BÜFA Group with a workforce of 600 employees achieved a turnover of more than 200 million Euros.

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