DSM Engineering Materials
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A global engineering materials player with a broad range of value-adding polyamides and polyesters

- DSM Engineering Materials is a global engineering materials player with a broad range of value-adding, high performance polyamides and polyesters (€ 1.2 bn in sales in 2020)
- DSM is a world leader in high-performance sustainable thermoplastics used in automotive, electrical & electronics, building & construction, medical, food packaging and consumer goods
- Our materials enable lighter, stronger and more durable products - which in turn makes people’s lives safer, more convenient and healthier – and all while helping to tackle carbon emissions
- We are well positioned as one of the leaders in ‘thinnovation’ - the trend for creating smaller, lighter, greener and safer working parts in electronic devices
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- Broad range of high-quality materials portfolio with value-adding, high performance polyamides, polyesters and polyphenylenesulphide
- Global leadership positions in many of its products, such as Stanyl®, Akulon® PA6 and Arnitel®

Key industries:
- **Automotive**: reduce fuel consumptions & emissions via weight / friction reduction, electrification and connectivity, safety and comfort
- **Electrical & electronics**: improve functionality, miniaturization and process efficiency; address e-waste issue

Work in close collaboration with customers to develop breakthrough innovative solutions:
- Low emission
- Halogen-free
- Eco-efficiency
- Recycle-based
- Bio-based

**Products**

**Markets – Strong Focus**

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| **Automotive** | • Powertrain  
                • Air/turbo management  
                • Safety components  
                • Electronics  
                • Lighting  
                • Interior/exterior |
| **Electronics** | • Connectors  
                • Frames & casings  
                • Wire & cable  
                • Power distribution  
                • Electrical components  
                • LED lighting |
| **Consumer Goods** | • Furniture, white goods, food packaging, and sporting equipment. |

**Solutions**
DSM Engineering Materials
A broad Advanced Material Solutions Portfolio

DSM is a leading innovator in high-performance plastics

Global market leading positions with:

- Stanyl® PA46 in High Temperature Polyamides as PA46, PA4T, PPA
- Arnitel® TPC in Thermoplastic Elastomers
- Akulon® PA6 in Injection and Blow Molding and Flexible Food Packaging Film Extrusion
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| **Stanyl®** PA46 | ▪ Excellent high-temperature mechanical properties  
▪ Excellent wear and friction behavior  
▪ Superior melt flow  |
| **ForTii®** PA4T PPA | ▪ Best mechanics <160°C  
▪ Highest peak temperature performance  
▪ High chemical resistance  
▪ 30% lower moisture uptake than PA66 with higher mechanical performance  |
| **EcoPaXX®** PA410 | ▪ Excellent surface finish  
▪ 72% bio-based  |
| **Xytron™** PPS | ▪ Dimensional stability  
▪ Heat aging performance up to 240°C  
▪ Extreme Chemical resistance  |

### Product Strengths

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| **Arnitel®** TPC | ▪ Range of hardness varying from 85 shore A up to 72 shore D.  
▪ High temperature resistance within the TPE family, up to 170°C.  |
| **Arnite®** PET PBT | ▪ Applicable in high precision components  
▪ Good electrical properties  |
| **Akulon® Novamid®** PA6 PA66 | ▪ True workhorse materials with good balance between mechanical properties and toughness  
▪ Easy processability  |
Our portfolio of tough yet lightweight materials are driving manufacturers to produce automotive components that are extremely light, reduce engine friction, and can operate in extreme environments – particularly at very high temperatures.

Our broad portfolio of materials cover a broad range of applications, from water management systems to roofing membranes to heating systems and window systems.

Our portfolio of engineering materials are developed with the knowledge that technology and innovation go hand-in-hand. They’re used across a broad range of consumer goods, including appliances, furniture, white goods, flexible food packaging, and sporting equipment.

Developing electrical components and products that are compliant with the regulation, are kind to the planet and deliver on all the major trends – from smart electricals to quest for safe ingredients – and all while managing costs as efficiently as possible.

Designers and engineers at the world’s leading electronics brands rely on our expertise and materials to develop next-generation devices. They challenge us to transform their design vision into reality with innovative, advanced materials for frames and enclosures, connectors, cables, wearable straps, and automotive electronics devices.
DSM Engineering Materials - Applications

Industrial equipment is driven by multitudes of mechanical parts such as gears, bearings, valves. As we continue to develop new and better engineering materials, we are helping our customers develop mechanical parts that are higher quality, safer, more sustainable, and more cost-efficient.

Our broad portfolio of materials enables manufacturers of medical devices, fabrics and packaging to design for the future, developing new, innovative options that perform better than what was available before.

Our materials meet the high demands needed to set new standards in design, comfort and ease of use, as well as accelerating the quest to drastically cut energy use.

Transportation by truck, train and airplane is essential to running the world. Improving transportation by making it smarter, safer, lighter, and greener is a key focus for the industry and governing bodies. Our high-performance plastics, coupled with the knowledge and resources behind them, are helping manufacturers change the way they think about application design.
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Value chain driven by application development at leading OEMs and system integrators

high-performance plastics

Monomer → Polymer → Compound → Convertor → System Supplier → OEM → End User

Science, Expertise & Support

Design
- Review application requirements
- Analyze datasets
- CAE support

Measure Performance
- Temperature
- Mechanical
- Chemical resistance
- UL and other global safety standards

Production Support
- Quality control
- Identify production efficiencies

Compliance
- Documentation
- Data sheets
- Regulatory affairs statements
- Life cycle analysis
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Value chain: Developing applications further down the value chain

DSM
- Polyesters
  - TPC, PET, TPC
- High Performance Polyamides
  - PA46, PA4T, PA410
- PPS
- PA66
- PA6

Parts producers/molders
- Automotive
- Electronics & Electrical
- Consumer Goods
- Flexible Food Packaging

System suppliers

OEMs

System suppliers
OEMs
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Sales by region and by end-market

Sales by region (%)

Europe

Asia-Pacific

China

Latin America

North America

~€1.2bn (2020)

Sales by end-market (%)

Automotive

Consumer Goods

Flexible Food Packaging / other

Electrics & Electronics

~€1.2bn (2020)
DSM Engineering Materials: €1.2bn in sales in 2020

Sales overview
Two Mega Trends are re-shaping our industry

Sustainability and New Technology

- Sustainability
  - Resources
  - Circularity
  - Climate
  - Energy

- New Technologies
  - New Mobility
  - Connectivity
  - Artificial Intelligence
Industry Mega Trend: New Technology

Rapid shift to New Mobility, Connectivity & Artificial Intelligence ....

- Autonomous Car
- Virtual /Augmented Reality
- Holographic Display
- Internet Cloud
- Edge vs. Cloud Computing
- Speech Recognition
- Connected Home
- 5G Network
- Since 2017
- New Mobility
- Connectivity
- Artificial Intelligence

2000 - 2007
- Digital 1st

2007 - 2017
- Mobile 1st

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- Connected Home
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- Speech Recognition
- Edge vs. Cloud Computing
- Holographic Display
- Internet Cloud
Industry Mega Trend: New Technology

... Technology shift asks for new and innovative high-performance plastics

- Increasing demand for highly functionalized high-performance materials
  - With extreme high mechanical and structural properties at elevated temperatures
  - With increased performance in the fields of EMI shielding, e-friendly stabilization, High Voltage compatibility

- Demand for new applications including radically new designs (thinnovation, miniaturization, simplification)

DSM Engineering Materials supports with:

- High-performance plastics for automotive and for E&E components as Connectors, Sensors, High Voltage Power Distribution
- Strong application and technology support for OEMs and Tiers
- Application-specific CAE simulations for mold flow, mechanics, thermal and EMI shielding characteristics
DSM Engineering Materials is ideally positioned for growth

**Broad portfolio of high-performance plastics**
- Broad range and know-how of high-performance polyamides and polyesters offers solutions for many challenges driving substitution growth
- Broad range differentiator to service increasingly demanding customers

**Global reach and leadership**
- Global network provides application development capabilities and service for global OEM customers whenever, wherever
  - Increased footprint in emerging economies
  - Very strong presence in China

**Specified application development**
- 75% of business is highly specified by leading global brands (vs. 50% in 2015)
  - Customers as well as resilient income locked in

**Strong innovation/ R&D capabilities**
- Close cooperation with customers to develop breakthrough innovative solutions
- Continuous investments in new technologies
  - Multiple platform launches based on ForTii® technology
DSM Engineering Materials - Strategy

Focus on higher-growth, higher-margin applications

- Maintain above market growth
- Drive higher margin businesses
DSM Engineering Materials - Strategy
Continue application-driven growth path while continuously improving operational efficiency

Increased growth

- Focus on capturing growth from macro themes & UN SDGs, well aligned with DSM’s strengths in Sustainable Living
- Accelerate growth in High Performance Plastics
- Grow position in PA6 Compounds
- Maximize value in PA6 Extrusion

Enhanced by:

- Commercialization of innovation
- Customer centricity and agility programs
- Continuous operating efficiency improvements

High-Performance Plastics

- Focus on highly specified application development for global customers in ‘winning’ segments in new mobility & connectivity

PA6 Compounds

- Continue to grow by leveraging global presence and footprint

PA6 Polymers

- Fully utilize assets and supply compound needs
DSM Engineering Materials - On the road to zero emissions

Strong commitment toward Climate & Energy, Resources & Circularity

**Sustainable solutions**
- Enabling our customers to design and manufacture sustainable solutions
  - Cleaner and safer cars
  - Safer ingredients in Electronics
  - Food waste reduction

**Bio-based products**
- Castor-oil based
  - EcoPaXX®
  - ForTii® Eco
- Rapeseed-oil Based
  - Arnitel® Eco

**Recycled-based products**
- Fishing nets: recycled-resources based
  - Akulon®
  - RePurposed

**Safer ingredients in our products**
- Halogen-free flame-retardant grades in PA, PBT, HPM
- PVC or PFC-free alternatives
  - Arnitel XG®
  - Arnitel VT®

**Renewable electricity in our operations**
- 63% purchased renewable electricity
- Pune (India) operations powered by own solar field
- Geleen (Netherlands) operations by wind energy
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Offering bio- and/or recycled-based alternatives for our entire portfolio
By 2030
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Global footprint to support customers across the globe
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