

We protect people and the environment they live in. Because all life is precious.

Personal Protection

We protect people in law enforcement, the military, the private security sector and the first responders.

Maritime and Industrial

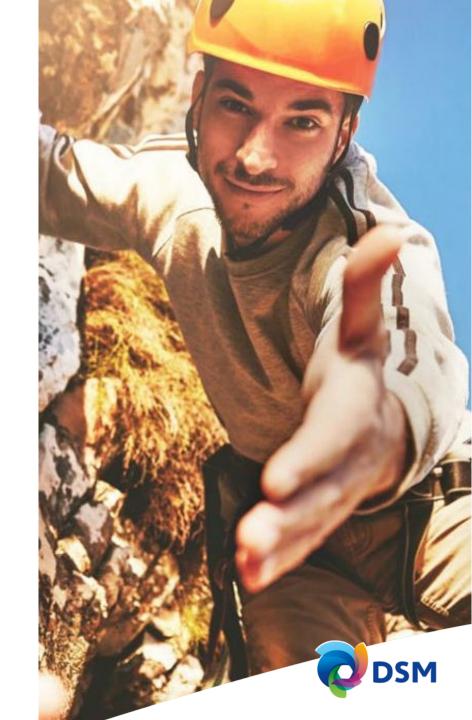
We enable the production of renewable energy by contributing to windmill installations, as well as better working conditions.

Sport and Lifestyle

We protect people in the outdoor, apparel, footwear, inflatables and composite materials industries.

Mechanical Industrial

We protect people in the assembly, manufacturing, transportation, logistics and food industries.



The world's strongest fiber™

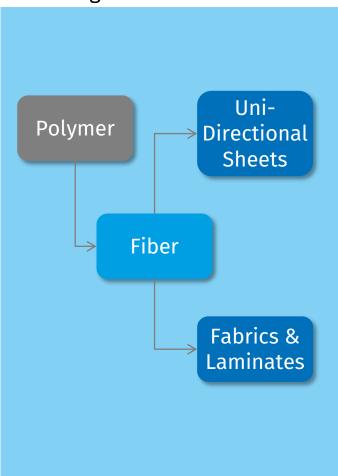
- Dyneema®, the world's strongest fiber™, is respected as the premium brand for Ultra-High Molecular Weight Polyethylene (UHMwPE) fibers, UD and fabrics. We manufacture and sell products in several forms, including fiber, UD and fabrics.
- The business is driven by the need for lightweight, sustainable solutions that offer extreme durability coupled with improved safety and ergonomics
 - DSM is the first manufacturer of high performance synthetics to use biobased feedstock for the production of Dyneema® fiber
 - DSM's global product leadership is based on unique, IP-protected technology platforms
 - 15 times stronger than steel, 40% stronger than aramid, and floats on water
 - Dyneema® products typically replace traditional materials such as steel and aramid





Product overview

Technologies and form factors



Key markets



Overview

Industry	Applications	Value proposition
Defense & Law Enforcement	 Ballistic Vests, Inserts, Helmets, Vehicle protection 	Lightest weight protection and increased comfort
Maritime,Offshore,Aquaculture,Industrial	 Ropes, cables, slings, nets, fishing and yachting lines 	 Lower operation cost and footprint and increased worker's safety
Automotive, Manufacturing, Food	 Cut resistant gloves, Protective workwear 	 Better cut protection at higher comfort level
 Sports & Lifestyle 	 Outdoor equipment, Footwear, Apparel and denim, inflatables 	 Ultra-lightweight, increased performance



Key market segments and applications



Mooring and tow ropes made with Dyneema® SK78 are helping the Maritime industry to achieve new levels of safety, efficiency and reliability. Lighter, more durable, easier to handle and with limited rope backlash



On- and offshore construction workers and crane operators can lift greater loads further, higher and more quickly with Dyneema® offering them stronger, safer and more efficient equipment that is always up to the task



Our market-leading technologies are developed with ballistic protection manufacturers to enable next-generation armor solutions across a wide range of fields in vehicle and personal armor



Ropes and nets made with Dyneema® enable more sustainable fishing techniques that optimize output, while remaining better for the environment



Key market segments and applications



Ultralight strength. These exceptional properties have made Dyneema® fiber and fabrics, indispensable for the outdoor, sports and fashion industries, offering innovation without compromising on style or performance



Strong, lightweight, 'Greenest Strength' Dyneema® can help developers cut the cost of renewable energy today, and enable the innovative renewable technology we will need going forward



Use of the fabrics for large scale industrial inflatables allows the end product to benefit from fuel savings, stability, strain endurance and structural elements, while providing space savings and manufacturability



Value Chain

Marine & Industrial Fibers

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Rope & netting manufacturer



System integrator/ OEM

MACGREGOR

End customer





Personal Protection



UD manufacturer

Vest/Panel manufacturer



OEM (optional)

End customer









Mechanical & Industrial



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Distributor/ direct



End customer





Fabrics & Composites



Manufacturer

SCCC





Distributor/ Retailer

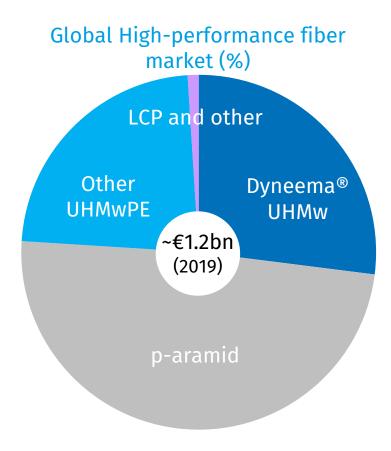
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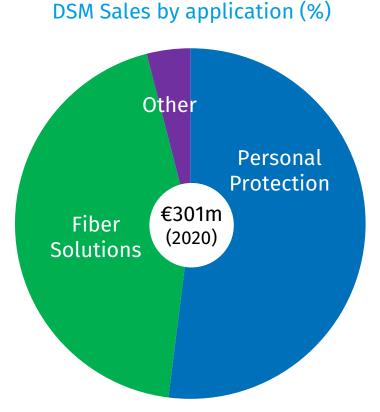


As the world's strongest fiber™, Dyneema® is uniquely positioned when continuous high performance is of utmost importance

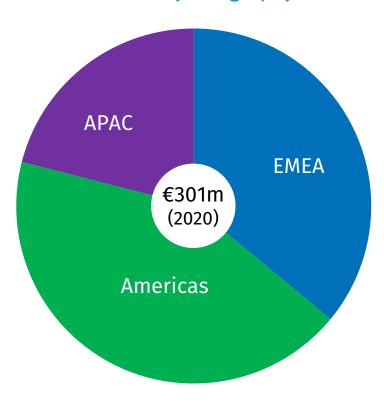
DSM Protective Materials - Global Market & Dyneema® Sales



Market Growth 2-3%



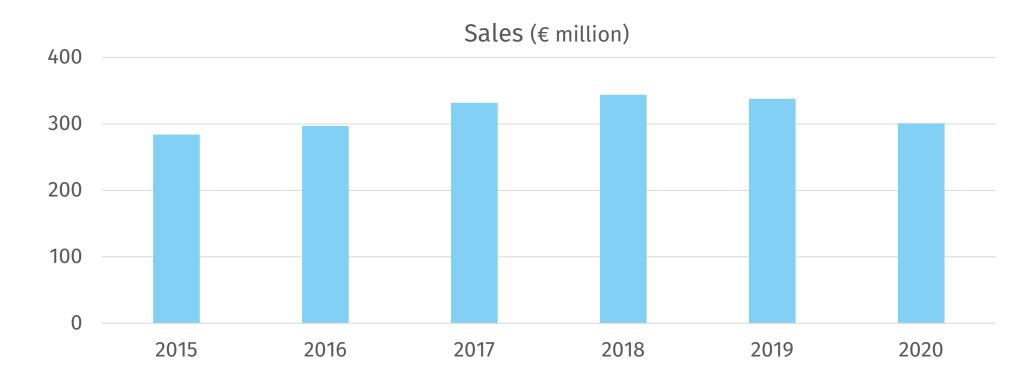
DSM Sales by Geography (%)





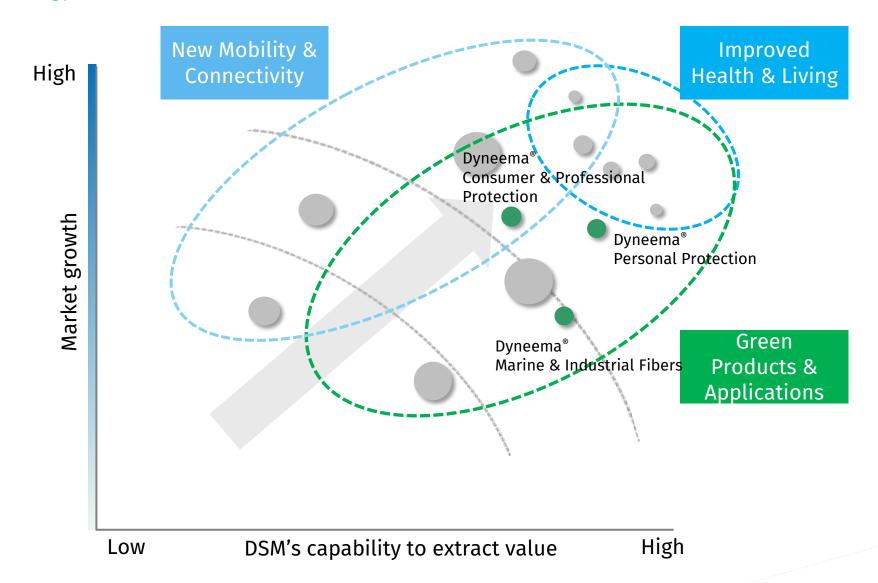
DSM Protective Materials - €301m sales (2020)

Sales Overview





Solid growth strategy well anchored





DSM Protective Materials focuses on innovation leadership, drives the industry towards sustainable solutions, and address demand at different price points with multi-tier portfolio

Stable growth

- Lead in sustainable solutions such as bio-based Dyneema®
- Accelerate growth in Consumer & Professional Protection
- Mitigate volatility in Personal Protection
- Defend and grow in Marine & Industrial Fibers through multitier product offering

Cost and capital discipline

- Continuous cost and efficiency improvement focus
- Working capital discipline

Personal Protection

Consumer & Professional Protection

Marine & Industrial Fibers

- Drive innovation in light weight ballistic protection
- Expand into new applications
- Grow in cut-resistant glove market through portfolio expansion
- Accelerate growth in composite fabric market
- Drive innovation in steel replacement
- Grow running business with multi-tier offerings



Innovation for sustainable real-world applications



Dyneema® Composite Fabrics are made from multiple oriented fiber and resin layers that dramatically increase the performance against tear, puncture and abrasion, while cutting weight and reducing bulk



Dyneema® Force Multiplier
Technology fuses breakthrough polymer
science, next generation fiber technology
and unique uni-directional engineering for
maximum ballistic protection in a lightweight
solution, enhancing comfort and mobility



Better lashing Synthetic link chains with Dyneema® are eight times stronger than comparable steel chains, and more than 85% lighter. They are soft, quiet, easy to handle and don't whip back should they break



Sustainable clean energy Dyneema® is ideal for applications in renewable energy technology and sustainable transport. Dyneema® is being used to build the next generation of wind turbines and will be used to harness the potential of tidal and wave energy

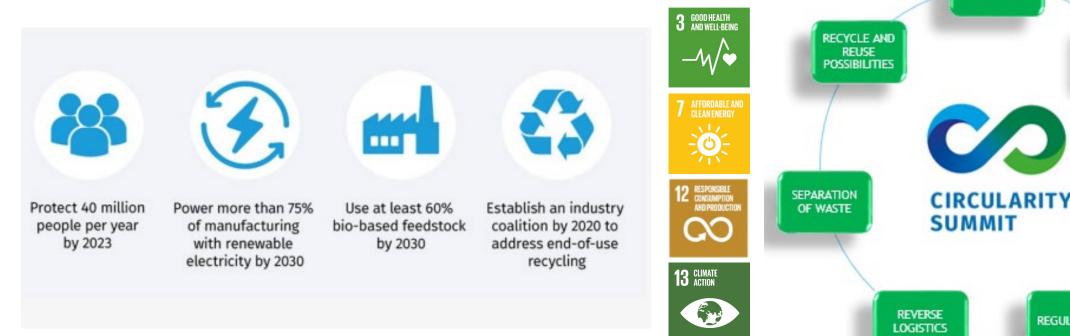








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Ambitious targets launched

- In 2020, DSM Protective Materials (DPM) introduced the first ever bio-based ultra-high molecular weight polyethylene fiber, an important step in realizing our goal to source at least 60% of the feedstock from bio-based raw material by 2030. A mass balance approach will be used and ISCC Plus certified.
- DPM's renewable electricity usage saves CO₂ emissions equivalent to nearly 13,000 vehicles off the road for one year.

Circularity Summit

• In November 2019, DPM organized a Circularity Summit to establish an industry coalition consisting of customers and recycling companies focused on the recycling of end-of-use products with Dyneema®.



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SHARING

DESIGN FOR CIRCULARITY

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