

Polyolefin Products, Phenol and Acetone

UK REACH, the UK's independent chemicals regulation framework, started on 1 January 2021. Under UK REACH, manufacturers and importers have a duty to register chemicals that access the UK market. UK REACH maintains the EU REACH's "No data, no market" principle.

UK downstream users currently importing chemicals from an EU/EEA country need to ensure the substances they purchase are covered by a valid UK REACH registration. UK downstream users can notify the Health and Safety Executive (HSE) using a Downstream User Import Notification (DUIN) of their intention to continue importing substances from the EU/EEA by 27 October 2021. Alternatively, UK downstream users can encourage their EU/EEA supplier to appoint a UK-based Only Representative (OR). UK downstream user or the supplier via its OR, need then to submit a new registration to the HSE within 5, 7 or 9 years of the 27 October 2021 DUIN deadline.

Please find more information how to comply with REACH chemical regulations on [UK Government web site](#).

Borealis has been actively following up the UK REACH legislation development and has taken actions to ensure that the current polyolefin, phenol and acetone product imports into UK can continue as before. Borealis UK Ltd has filed a DUIN (UK-20-7333232785-4-0000) and will later register as an importer under UK REACH all relevant substances of currently imported products.

Borealis has identified these relevant substances and determined their annual volume levels and has prepared a detailed action plan to ensure that the DUIN and registration deadlines will be met. Borealis will also continue to follow and evaluate the upcoming UK REACH developments carefully.

Thus, if your company is supplied by Borealis UK Ltd, you can regard yourself as downstream user under UK REACH. Indirect imports of Borealis products can however not be supported and need separate registrations.

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