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GALATA CHEMICALS ANNOUNCES A NEW ABS-BASED IMPACT MODIFIER FOR VINYL AND ABS ALLOY APPLICATIONS

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For immediate release

Düsseldorf, Germany – Galata Chemicals, the new name in vinyl additives, announces the launch of Blendex® 3160, a new, high rubber, ABS-based impact modifier for vinyl and ABS alloy applications.

Blendex® 3160 is the latest addition to Galata Chemicals' ABS-based impact modifiers that are compatible with PVC, CPVC, and ABS alloys, with materials such as PC, PLA, and PBT. As a high rubber impact modifier, Blendex® 3160 is particularly effective for increasing room or cold temperature impact properties. Compared to other high rubber, butadiene core impact modifiers, Blendex® 3160 allows for high flow which is particularly useful in injection molding applications.

Galata Chemicals view investment in new products such as Blendex® 3160, which meet the evolving needs of their customers, as a prerequisite to maintaining their position at the forefront of additive technology. Blendex® 3160 is just one of several new additives to be launched at K2010.

Galata Chemicals is presenting its' growth and investment plans in Hall 6, stand number E24 at K2010.

Galata Chemicals

Galata Chemicals was formed on April 30, 2010 with the sale of Chemtura's PVC Additives business to Artek Aterian Holdings, a partnership between Aterian Investment Partners, a New York-based private equity firm, and Artek Surfin Chemicals Ltd., a Mumbai, India, family-owned company whose business includes textiles, metal finishing and chemicals. The sale included Chemtura's ownership interest in Chemtura Vinyl Additives GmbH and certain assets used in the manufacture and distribution of PVC additives. Additional information concerning Galata will be available at www.galatachemicals.com.

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