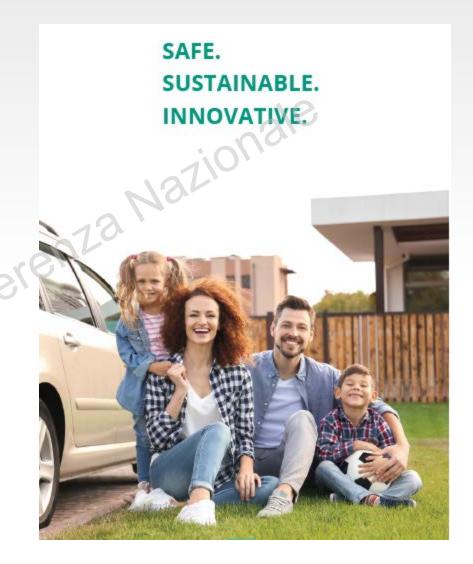
# ICL-IP: Leading supplier of Flame Retardant solutions for the foam industry.

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# **ICL** Target

Ensure fire safety in building and construction for saving lives while innovating towards most sustainable flame retardants.





# **Our Value Proposition**

- Long-term commitment to the FR market
- Reliable supply
- Innovation, R&D, in-depth understanding of applications and processes, analytical and applicative support
- Regulatory support
- Information and knowledge sharing
- High and stable quality performance



## **ICL Group**

#### **HISTORY**

#### Establishing & growing operations in Israel 1920s - 1970s

Establishment of potash & bromine production at the Dead Sea

Establishment of Dead Sea Bromine and Negev Phosphates





#### Focusing on innovation and solidifying leadership

Focus on v2000sd selutions

Growth of specialty fertilizers

Transformation of YPH JV into production of specialty phosphates

ICL UK transition to exclusive production of polysulphate

Creation of the FertilizerspluS platform

Enhancement of global leadership and creation of innovative solutions





## **ICL Group**

#### **4 DIVISIONS**

#### **Industrial Products Division**

ICL's bromine solutions are all around us, making consumer goods safer and production more efficient & sustainable

## POTASH

IAS

BROWINE

#### **Phosphate Solutions Division**

ICL provides essential ingredients for various industrial and food applications

#### **IAS - Innovative Ag Solutions**

ICL specialty fertilizers provide growers with optimal plant nutrition solutions

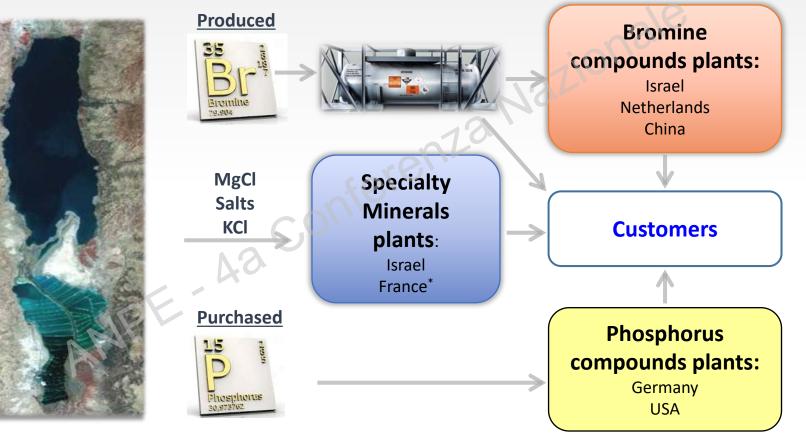
#### **Potash Division**

ICL potash helps farmers increase yields and feed the world



# **ICL Industrial Products**

#### **SNAPSHOT**



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# **ICL Industrial Products**

## MAJOR END MARKETS & GLOBAL TRENDS



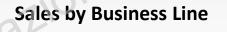


# **ICL Industrial Products**

## MARKET LEADERSHIP



in Flame Retardants in Bromine capacity in Bromine compounds plant in Bromine Iso-tank fleet in Brominated biocides in Phosphorus FRs in Clear Brine Fluids in Self-extinguishing Hydraulic fluids in Solid MgCl in Magnesia for Nutraceutical market



Flame
 Retardants



# **Flame Retardants**

#### **SUSTAINABILITY**

- Corporate Responsibility Report (CSR) <u>http://www.icl-group.com/sustainability/ResponsibilityReports/Pages/default.aspx</u>
- VECAP (Voluntary Emissions Control Action Program) <a href="http://www.vecap.info/">http://www.vecap.info/</a>
- Other green initiatives <a href="http://www.icl-group.com/sustainability/GreenInitiatives/Pages/default.aspx">http://www.icl-group.com/sustainability/GreenInitiatives/Pages/default.aspx</a>
- Recycling projects

PS-Loop (recycling of post-construction EPS); Black Demon (recycling of flat panel displays); CloseWEEE; Plast2BCleaned; RecoPhos; ... PolyStyreneLoo

• Ecovadis

ICL ranked among 7% top global suppliers for sustainability











# **ICL IP R&D Centers**

#### Beer Sheva, Israel

- Main R&D for **Bromine** FR
- Main R&D for Inorganic FR (Magnesium Hydroxide)
- Application and technical support for
  - ✓ Thermoplastics
  - ✓ Textiles
- Formulation
- Analytical

#### Tarrytown, USA

- Main R&D for Phosphorus FR
- Application and technical support for
  - ✓ PU Foams
  - ✓ Thermoplastics
  - ✓ Textiles
  - / Thermosets/PWB
  - Functional Fluids
  - Analytical

#### Haifa, Israel

- Chemical & Process
   Engineering Services
- Chemical Development
- Application and technical support for Flame Retardancy.
- Analytical











# Flame Retardants

## PRODUCT PORTFOLIO

- Fyrol<sup>TM</sup>: PFRs, mainly for PU foam (rigid and flexible)
- Fyrolflex<sup>TM</sup>: RDP and SolDP (PC/ABS and PPO/HIPS)
- **Phosflex**<sup>TM</sup>: Plasticizers (mainly PVC, but also in coatings)
- Brominated FRs (FR-xxxx)
  - Low molecular weight
  - Polymeric
    - Brominated Epoxies (various MWs)
      - F-2000 series
      - F-3000 series (end-capped)
- Magnesium Hydroxide (FR-20)
  - Various Particle Sizes/Surface Areas: S5, S7, S10
  - Various surface treatments: stearic acid; vinyl silane, aminosilane, polymeric
- Innovative FRs
  - PolyQuel<sup>TM</sup> for PCBs
  - VeriQuel<sup>™</sup> for PU foams

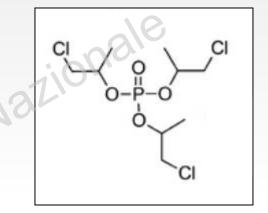




# **Commonly used FRs in PU foams**

#### ТСРР

- Flame retardants are added in PU foams to meet appropiate fire safety standards.
- Most widely FR used PU foams are TCPP Tris(1chloroisopropyl)phosphate.
- Growing concerns about chemical exposure and its migration into the environment.



- Challenges for TCPP:
  - Ubiquity claim; found in breast milk, fish, household dust, indoor and surface water.
  - Placed in CoRAP list by Denmark based on a read accross TDCP; concerns addresses: Reprotoxicity, Endocrine Disruption, Carcinogenicity.
- ICL still believesTCPP to be safe and plans to continue produce it.
- Neverthless, there is a push towards more sustainable new products with improved HSE profile and minimal potential for migration out of the matrix.



# VeriQuel<sup>™</sup> R100

Stronger, safer and more efficient than TCPP

- Halogen Free
- Reactive → no emissions or migrations
- Similar processability to TCPP 
   minor changes in formulations
- Same fire spread performance
- Less smoke production
- Same thermal performance
- Improved mechanical performances of the foam







# VeriQuel<sup>™</sup> R100

Negative publicity and potential deselection of PU foams products can be avoided by choosing the sustainable alternative FR's now INTRODUCING THE NEXT GENERATION OF SUSTAINABLE FLAME RETARDANTS





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