ADEKA Corporation, Tokyo, Japan launches a polymeric permanent antistatic agent for polyolefins. Effect is demonstrated under low humidity condition and achieves $10^9$ ohm/sq surface resistivity level.

IonPhasE oy Tampere, Finland implemented in July a major capacity increase for its IPE range of static-dissipative additives.

OKA-Tec Bönen, Germany offers now the OKABEST CLK 50- series, new high temperature stabilizers for hybrid- polymer and PUR based sealants.

PALMAROLE AG Basel Switzerland, has successfully introduced its PALMAROLE® NA.88A to the major polymer producers in Europe. This additive is a third generation Clarifying agent for Polypropylene.

SABO, Bergamo, Italy reinforces its Surfactant Product Range for Thermoplastics: SABO®STAT ASE 3 antistatic for polyolefins, SABO®FOG F1 high performance antifog for packaging.

SEVAR, Bandol, France issues its initial communication of results with its novel Ultra Accelerated Weathering® equipment.

RVT Consulting, Allschwil, Switzerland has agreed on a strategic partnership with EUKEM to strengthen their operations and geographical coverage in Europe.

SUPLA, Suqian, China started its new 10,000 tpa PLA production plant, and confirms its European presence in Europe with EUKEM to support and supply the SUPLA pure PLA grades.