

Evonik plans expansion of methyl methacrylate transesterification in US

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Germany-based Evonik plans to expand the production capacity of its speciality methacrylate monomer manufacturing facility in Mobile, AL, US. The multimillion dollar expansion the methyl methacrylate transesterification (MMAT) plant is expected to be completed in 2014. The monomers produced at the MMAT plant are used in different applications including viscosity modifiers, personal care super absorbers and paint coatings.

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