

Press Release

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Brenntag and MANE form partnership to distribute perfume oils to Germany and Switzerland

Brenntag (WKN A1DAH), the global market leader in chemical distribution, is distributing MANE's range of perfume oils to customers in Germany and Switzerland since the beginning of 2019.

Patrick Koch, Brenntag Business Manager Cosmetics DACH, is very much looking forward to a rewarding long-term collaboration: "After working together successfully for some years in the areas of flavoring compositions in Germany and perfume concentrates in Eastern Europe, we can now add the fragrance creations of MANE, a leading and long-established French company, to our extensive range of cosmetic raw materials which we sell to our customers in Germany and Switzerland."

Günter M. Wohlmannstetter, General Manager DE-CHE-Benelux at MANE, adds: "We are confident that this collaboration will allow us to achieve an almost 100 percent market presence in both countries. Together with Brenntag, we will be able to offer the high-quality, market-conform perfume oils of MANE to an even wider customer base in future."

To begin with, the new collaboration will be concentrating on producers of cosmetics and body care products, and will expand to include the household cleaner and detergent segments in the near future.

About Brenntag:

Brenntag, the global market leader in chemical distribution, covers all major markets with its extensive product and service portfolio. Headquartered in Essen, Germany, the company operates a global network with more than 580 locations in 73 countries and a workforce of more than 16,600 employees. In 2018, the company generated sales of EUR 12.6 billion (USD 14.8 billion). Brenntag connects chemical manufacturers and chemical users. The company supports its customers and suppliers with tailor-made distribution solutions for industrial and specialty chemicals. With more than 10,000 products and a world-

class supplier base, Brenntag offers one-stop-shop solutions to around 195,000 customers. This includes specific application technology, an extensive technical support and value-added services such as just-in-time delivery, product mixing, formulation, repackaging, inventory management and drum return handling. Long-standing experience and local excellence in the individual countries characterize the global market leader for chemical distribution.

About MANE:

Founded in 1871 and headquartered in Bar-sur-Loup near the southern French town of Grasse, V. MANE FILS SA is a family company with a rich tradition. As the world's fifth-largest producer of fragrance and flavoring compositions, it has 74 locations in 38 countries around the world. With a workforce of 5,500 people, MANE generated total sales of EUR 1.248 billion in 2018.

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