

Factsheet

BRENNTAG AT A GLANCE

- Brenntag is the global market leader in the distribution of chemicals and ingredients.
- Founded in 1874 by Philipp Mühsam, Brenntag focuses on chemical and ingredients distribution since 1912 and today employs more than 17,500 people at about 600 sites in 72 countries.
- The company's headquarters are located in Essen, Germany.
- Brenntag connects chemical manufacturers (suppliers) and chemical users (customers) and provides complete distribution solutions rather than just chemical products.
- Since 2021 Brenntag is steered in two global divisions, Brenntag Essentials and Brenntag Specialties, with a strong focus on customer and supplier needs.
- Brenntag purchases over 10,000 products of specialty and industrial chemicals and ingredients from a base of several thousand suppliers, enabling the company to achieve economies of scale and offer a full-line range of chemical products and value-added services to around 185,000 customers.
- Brenntag's extensive value-added services are just-in-time-delivery, product mixing, blending, repackaging, inventory management, drum return handling for example from barrels as well as technical and laboratory services for specialty chemicals.

BRENNTAG'S TWO GLOBAL DIVISIONS

- Brenntag Essentials distributes a comprehensive portfolio of process chemicals for a wide range of industries and applications.
- Brenntag Essentials leverages scale with flexible and cost-efficient delivery at competitive prices and a highly efficient business process backend.
- Brenntag Specialties focuses on ingredients and value-added services that are used directly in the manufacture of the customers' end products.
- Brenntag Specialties builds on the company's position as the largest specialty chemicals distributor worldwide, focusing on six selected customer industries: Nutrition, Pharma, Personal Care / HI&I (Home, Industrial & Institutional), Material Science (Coatings & Constructions, Polymers, Rubber), Water Treatment and Lubricants.

TEAM

- The company's leadership brings many decades of management experience to the table.
- Chief Executive Officer of Brenntag SE is Dr Christian Kohlpaintner who holds a Ph.D. in chemistry and has more than 30 years of management experience in the chemical industry.
- Dr Kristin Neumann is Chief Financial Officer of Brenntag SE, holds a Ph.D. in economics and has more than 20 years of management experience in international companies.
- Michael Friede is as Chief Executive Officer Brenntag Specialties responsible for the global division Brenntag Specialties.
- Ewout van Jarwaarde holds the position of Chief Executive Officer Brenntag Essentials.

- Richard Ridinger is Chairman of the Supervisory Board of Brenntag SE and member of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee as well as the Transformation and ESG Committee.
- Dr Andreas Rittstieg is Deputy Chairman of the Supervisory Board and Chairman of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee.

FINANCIAL FIGURES

- In 2022, Brenntag generated sales of EUR 19.4 billion.
- Brenntag's gross profit amounted to EUR 4.32 billion in 2022.
- The operating EBITDA in 2022 was at EUR 1.81 billion.

SHARE

- The Brenntag share has been listed at the Frankfurt Stock Exchange in the MDAX since 2010 and has been part of the new DAX 40 since September 2021. Brenntag is also part of the DAX 50 ESG.
- The International Securities Identification Number (ISIN) of Brenntag is: DE000A1DAH0.
- Brenntag's shareholder structure is as follows (as of March 2023): BlackRock: >5%; The Capital Group Companies: >5%; Ameriprise Financial: >3%; Flossbach von Storch AG: >3%; Wellington Management Group: >3%; GIC Private: >3%; EuroPacific Growth Fund: >3%; Burgundy Asset Management: >3%.
- The largest stake in Brenntag shares is held by institutional investors in North America (42%), followed by UK & Ireland (20%), Continental Europe (18%) and Germany (12%). A further 8% is attributable to the rest of the world. (as of March 2023).