

Press Release



Pentagon goes from Strength to Strength

Pentagon has won the ABB sponsored Manufacturing and Resource Efficiency Award for the second year running at the prestigious annual Chemical Industry Association Awards held at Murrayfield, the home of Scottish rugby.

The UK chemical industry, contributing over £20million every day to the balance of trade, celebrated excellence in various fields including, innovation, process safety and manufacturing excellence.

The award won by Pentagon acknowledges the most successful improvements involving demonstrable excellence in manufacturing and significant improvements to resource efficiency.

The judges stated that Pentagon had gone from strength to strength in developing its people and systems towards achieving excellent manufacturing and resource efficiency performance, and benefiting customers in terms of quality, cost and delivery achievement.

Teamwork is behind Pentagon's drive for continuous improvement. Integrated Product Teams and a win-win culture ensure that everyone is working towards the same goals. This approach has been hugely successful in improving output of right-first-time products as well as reducing costs and environmental burden.

In addition to this team success, Pentagon CEO Allan Laing, was recognised by a special individual award for his contribution to skills development in the northwest region.

We would like to thank our customers and suppliers for their collaboration in this success.

Pentagon owned by its management, has successfully restructured its two businesses at Widnes and Workington since acquiring them from their parent companies. Core technologies include Phosgenation, Grignard, Maleinisation and Sodium dispersion. We have reshaped the business to become a focused, effective custom manufacturer to a blue chip customer base in the Agrochemical, Pharma, Lube & Fuel, Catalyst and Fragrance sectors.

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