



Press release

Prayon acquires parts of Ecophos assets

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The company Prayon has acquired the intellectual property including patents portfolio and process know-how of Ecophos s.a. which filed for bankruptcy earlier in March. The deal includes the semi-industrial demonstration plant of Technophos JSCo based in Varna, Bulgaria.

“Prayon is very happy to announce this acquisition since it fits perfectly with our strategy”, says Marc Collin, CTO of Prayon. “The process portfolio proposed by Ecophos is complementary to that offered by Prayon through its licensing division. We will continue to promote them in parallel as they have their own particular specificities. It is also an important step towards our goal to become an important actor of the circular economy.”

About Prayon

Headquartered in Belgium since 1882, the Prayon Group is specialized in phosphate chemicals and employs 1.115 persons.

Owned equally by OCP SA (Morocco) and the SRIW (Belgium) Prayon manufactures and distributes a wide range of purified phosphoric acids, phosphate salts and fluorine products geared towards the food and fertiliser sectors, and for many different industrial applications.

Prayon Technologies (PRT) sells the know-how and techniques developed by our Group, and also supplies consultancy and support services.

Over 60% of the phosphoric acid currently manufactured in the world comes from plants which use Prayon technology.

Our Group has a global presence with 4 production sites (2 in Belgium, 1 in France and 1 in USA), 7 commercial subsidiaries, 6 coordination offices and over 100 representative offices.

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