

Press release

IMCD expands its presence in the Middle East, establishing its new offices in Dubai

ROTTERDAM, The Netherlands (30 April 2020) – IMCD N.V. (“IMCD” or “Company”), a leading distributor of speciality chemicals and food ingredients, is pleased to announce that it has increased its footprint in the Middle East by opening a new location in Dubai.

IMCD first entered the Middle East region by opening an office in Cairo, Egypt in 2018. From the new office, IMCD will now be coordinating operations in the Gulf region, extending its services to Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, the United Arab Emirates, Qatar, Bahrain, and Oman as well as Jordan.

“The Middle East has always been an attractive market for IMCD and we are excited to expand our presence in this region. Throughout our operations around the globe, IMCD’s main focus has been to help our suppliers grow their business and to provide our customers the technical advice and formulatory support they need to create market leading and innovative products. Our principals in the Middle East needed a partner with these capabilities, and from this new office in Dubai, we will be able to provide them, as well as our customers, solutions that help them innovate and grow,” said Frank Schneider, Business Group Director Coatings & Construction and Executive Committee Member of IMCD.

IMCD will serve all business groups with a focus on Pharmaceuticals, Coatings & Construction, Food & Nutrition, and Advanced Materials.

“This region has an extraordinary growth potential for IMCD. Besides strengthening our market position in the Middle East, we will continue to develop our product know-how and invest in expanding our technical expertise”, concluded Schneider.

IMCD has appointed Manuel Baumann as Managing Director for the Middle East region to support and drive the region’s growth strategy. Manuel has extensive experience in the Middle East and South Asia.

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About IMCD N.V.

IMCD is a market-leader in the sales, marketing and distribution of speciality chemicals and food ingredients. Its result-driven professionals provide market-focused solutions to suppliers and customers across EMEA, Americas and Asia-Pacific, offering a range of comprehensive product portfolios, including innovative formulations that embrace industry trends.

Listed at Euronext, Amsterdam (IMCD), IMCD realised revenues of EUR 2,690 million in 2019 with nearly 3,000 employees in over 50 countries on 6 continents. IMCD's dedicated team of technical and commercial experts work in close partnership to tailor best in class solutions and provide value through expertise for around 49,000 customers and a diverse range of world class suppliers.

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