

Trust Chem and REACH

REACH stands for Registration, Evaluation and Authorization of Chemicals. In force since June 1st, 2007, it is the only European Chemical Control Regulation [(EC) No 1907/2006]. The REACH regulation applies to 31 European Union countries, namely 28 European Union Member States and three countries in the European Economic Area (Norway, Iceland, Liechtenstein). REACH requires each industry to be responsible for the safe manufacture and use of chemical substances. Manufacturers/importers must register all in-scope substances manufactured/imported in quantities of one metric ton or more.

Trust Chem actively prepared for the implementation of REACH. Our EHS team developed an inventory of eligible substances included in the products we manufacture or export to the EU, and pre-registered these substances before December 1st, 2008. Since then, we have been actively monitoring all our substances to ensure we maintain compliance with pre-registration and registration obligations.

Trust Chem led the way in responding to REACH completing most registrations in the domestic organic pigment industry. Trust Chem obtained the first REACH registration number on November 3rd, 2010. By January 1st, 2019, Trust Chem had concluded registration of a total of 82 substances.

