

September 4, 2009

Dear Valued Customer,

Effective immediately or as contract terms permit, General Chemical Industrial Products Inc. and General Chemical (Soda Ash) Partners will be increasing off-list prices for all bulk and packaged soda ash shipments by \$10.00 per net ton (US funds) for all bulk and packaged soda ash shipments up to our current list prices, as indicated below. This increase applies to all grades of soda ash from all General Chemical plant, terminal and warehouse shipping locations.

	List Prices (US funds) <u>FOB Green River, Wyoming</u>
Bulk Dense Soda	\$260.00 per net ton
Bulk Natural Light	\$265.00 per net ton
Bulk Natural Light-HA	\$290.00 per net ton
Bulk Dense Ash – Food Grade	\$375.00 per net ton
All packaged products	Adjustments to include bulk price increase plus packaging cost economics
Warehouse/Terminal locations	Adjustments to include bulk price increase plus packaging cost economics plus freight and terminal/warehouse costs

General Chemical's energy surcharge program continues to remain in effect. The program's current third quarter, 2009, energy surcharge adjustment is \$0.00 per net ton.

Thank you for your valued business. Please contact your General Chemical sales representative should you have any questions.

Regards,



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