



**Solvay Chemicals, Inc. Names
Mark Evans, Regional Manager, SOLVAir® Solutions**

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HOUSTON, TEXAS (January 2012) ... Solvay Chemicals is pleased to announce that Mark Evans will join the SOLVAir Solutions Business Team as Regional Manager.

Mark brings many years of commercial experience in both Solvay Chemicals and American Soda. He is currently located in the Ohio Valley region, an ideal location to service our existing customer base, where many of our largest and oldest customers have plants and headquarters. Mark will also work on new opportunities that are coming as a result of recent EPA rules issued in December 2011.

Solvay Chemicals, Inc. is part of [Solvay](#), an international chemical Group committed to sustainable development with a clear focus on innovation and operational excellence. Its recent acquisition of specialty chemicals company [Rhodia](#) created a much larger player which is realizing over 90% of its sales in markets where it is among the top three global leaders. Solvay offers a broad range of products that contribute to improving quality of life and its customers' performance in markets such as consumer goods, construction, automotive, energy, water and environment, and electronics. The Group is headquartered in Brussels. Its companies employ about 30,000 people in 55 countries and generated EUR 12 billion in sales (pro forma) in 2010. Solvay SA is listed on NYSE Euronext ([SOLB.BE](#) - Bloomberg: [SOLB.BB](#) - Reuters: [SOLBt.BR](#)).