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RohnerChem receives Syngenta Award for "Innovation"

Syngenta, one of the world's leading seed and crop protection companies, has presented the Global Sourcing Award of Recognition 2012 for Innovation to Rohner AG.

Rohner AG received the Award "For outstanding performance in process optimization and cost effectiveness." The company was praised for its use of innovation in multiple projects, developing key building blocks for new Syngenta Active Ingredients. It was noted that close cooperation between the R&D departments has resulted in significant shared benefits and mutually valuable technology sharing as well as improvements in efficiency.

The award is presented on a bi-annual basis, in different categories, at Syngenta's Global Sourcing Conference. More than 200 delegates attended this year's event.

Syngenta is one of the world's leading companies with more than 26'000 employees in some 90 countries dedicated to one purpose: Bring plant potential to life. Through world-class science, global research and commitment to their customers they help to increase crop productivity, protect the environment and improve health and quality of life. Sales in 2011 were approximately \$ 13.3 billion.

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