



# Plastics & Polymers

The constantly changing nature of the global plastics & polymers markets and their relationships to end use products requires insightful, timely analysis. By dedicating an experienced team of consultants and database experts to cover the global monomers and polymers markets, CMAI offers the industry's most

concise package of analysis, interpretation and forecasting for plastics. The **Global Plastics & Polymers Market Advisory Service**, including the **Global Plastics and Polymers Market Report**, provides a comprehensive view of the world markets for polymers and their relationships with upstream feedstocks and downstream end-use markets.

With decades of experience in the petrochemicals consulting business, CMAI brings a staff of seasoned professionals with experience in marketing, purchasing, production, R&D, technical

service, commercial development and market research. CMAI has combined this expertise with the most sophisticated database technology available for obtaining and disseminating information on the thermoplastics market. Through continual, one-on-one contact with numerous significant industry sources, CMAI consultants gather and study data specific to the plastics and polymers industry, then analyze and translate it into useful information and advice for clients.

The **Global Plastics & Polymers Market Advisory Service** provides contract and spot price indices for North America, West Europe and Asia Pacific for the major thermoplastic resins; PE, PP, PS, ABS, EPS, PVC and PET. Quarterly price forecasts (updated monthly), cash margin analysis, supply/demand balances, inventories, operating rates, global resin trade, personalized consultation and specific data requests for clients are all included in the service.



If your challenge is to understand the complex and ever-changing polymer industry, CMAI's Global Plastics & Polymers Market Advisory Service will provide you with the knowledge you need for business success.

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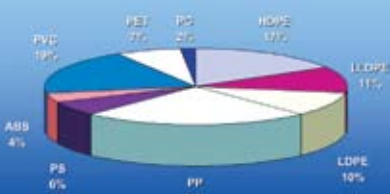


# GLOBAL PLASTICS & POLYMERS MARKET ADVISORY SERVICE



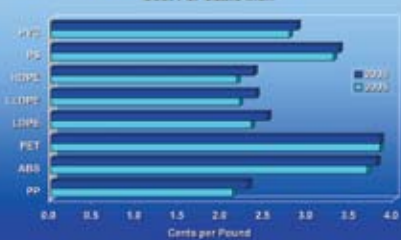
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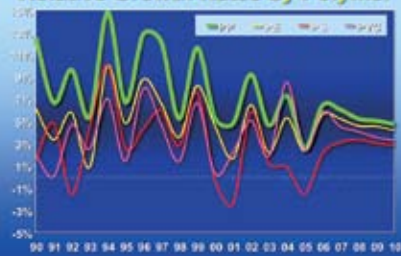


### Comparative Costs Of Polymers

Cost Per Cubic Inch



### Relative Growth Rates by Polymer



- Market Summary.** This report is issued during the first week of the month and includes forecast and historical pricing, commentary on significant events such as operational and trade changes, process economics for products covered, discussion of current and near-term supply/demand conditions and analysis of events affecting future markets.
- Market Statistics Supplement.** Issued during the third week of the month, this data supplement includes a market update for the products covered, along with convenient and easy to read tables that focus on global resin trade issues, supply/demand balances, inventories and operating rates.
- Economy & Energy Overview.** Clients also receive a monthly email supplement, the Economy & Energy Overview. This supplement covers global and regional economic trends, crude oil and natural gas dynamics, as well as insightful commentary from CMAI's Economy Group.
- Access to CMAI's pricing and economics database.** Clients will receive a unique username and password to CMAI's website ([www.cmaiglobal.com](http://www.cmaiglobal.com)) that allows access to CMAI's pricing and economics database. This powerful tool is available to clients from any location with web access and is updated weekly with the most current monthly price forecast and cash margin data available. Past issues of the reports and other key data tables are also available on the website.
- Access to consultants.** Included in the service is a reasonable amount of access to CMAI's experienced industry professionals for market advice related to the global plastics and polymers industry. Furthermore, as part of this service, any data or graphic contained in the monthly reports can be emailed to clients by CMAI's Client Service Representatives.

CMAI constantly strives to increase the value of our client's business and the **Global Plastics & Polymers Market Advisory Service** provides the information advantage you need regarding global plastics and polymers markets! To order this service, contact CMAI at 1-281-531-4660 or email us at [cmai@cmaiglobal.com](mailto:cmai@cmaiglobal.com).

Clients benefiting from the **Global Plastics & Polymers Market Advisory Service** will also find useful the information and forecasting advantages presented in CMAI's comprehensive annual worldwide studies related to thermoplastics.

These include:

- World Polyolefins Analysis
- World Styrene Analysis
- World Polystyrene/EPS Analysis
- World Vinyls Analysis
- World Terephthalates & Polyester Analysis



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