

FEIBP Raw Material report October 2024

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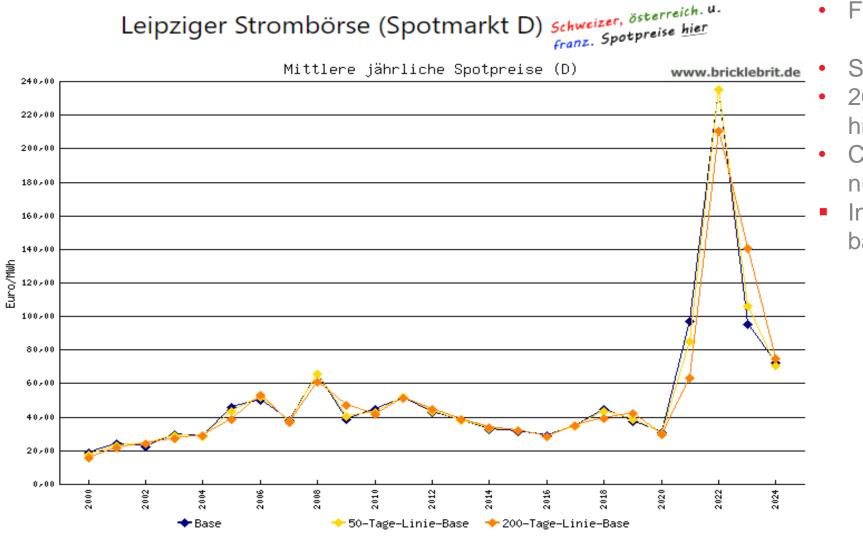


Ölpreisentwicklung (WTI) in Dollar (Chart)

- Minor influence on pricing of certain polymers
- 20% fall since September 2023
- Increasing quantities of Russian oil being shipped to China and India – reduced demand from Western refinieries
- Political situation in Middle East
- Overall low demand globally

Electricity price





- For plastic processing
- Strong fall following 2022 peak
- 2024 average remains significantly higher than pre Covid levels
- CO² certificates increased / less
 nuclear
- Influenced by gas price currently back to normal



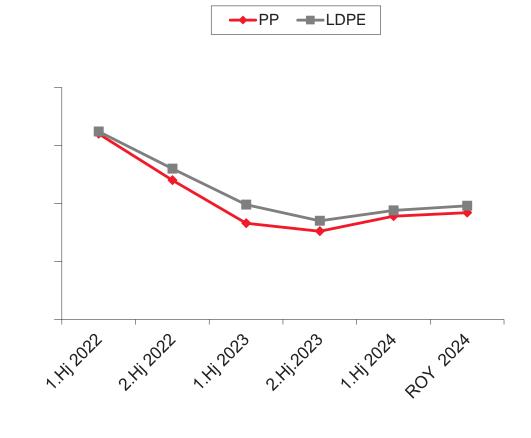


- Contract pricing for future years
- Small reductions predicted



Raw material price development

Raw Material Price Development: PP and LDPE



Base Materials: PP – Propylene
 LDPE - Ethylene

• PP

Shutdown of several reactors has limited supply Small increases since start of 2024 Further increases unlikely in short term

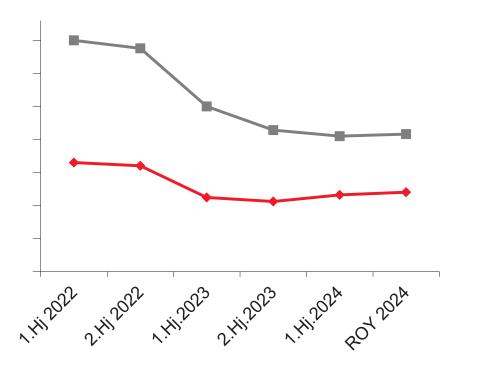
• PE Suppliers looking to improve margins despite continuing lower demand

• Reduction in base material contracts in September





← PET — PBT



• PBT:

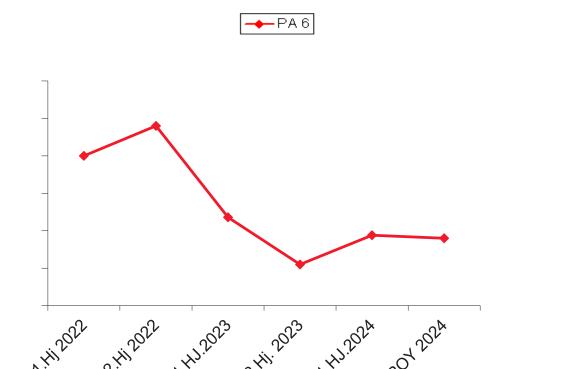
Low demand especially from automotive and construction industries

• PET:

Slight reduction in contract pricing expected in September Low demand

Raw Material Price Development: PA 6





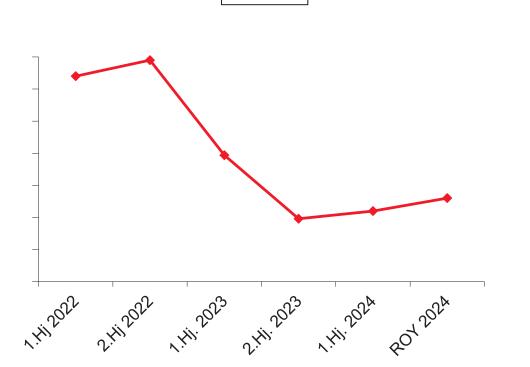
PA 6

• Base Materials:

PA 6 = Caprolactam, Benzene

Stable pricing throughout 2024 Reduction in production volume globally No changes expected in short term despite reduction benzene contract pricing





← PA 66

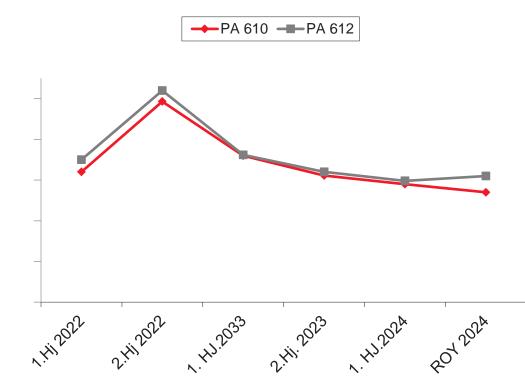
PA 66

Base Materials:

PA 66 = 50 % Adipic Acid, 50 % HMD

Stable pricing throughout 2024 Very low demand - especially from automotive industry Partial substitution by PA 6

Raw Material Price Development: PA 610 and PA 612



Base materials:

PA610: Sebacic Acid HMD PA612: Butadiene HMD

Stable pricing throughout 2024 due to low demand

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