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ARXADA: A strong heritage – a powerful vision

Arxada is a global science-based specialty chemicals business that develops innovative chemistries and solutions. With customers in more than 100 countries, Arxada aims to solve the world's toughest preservation challenges by enhancing sustainability with cleaner, greener solutions. Arxada's three business units, Industrial Microbial Control (IMC), Consumer Microbial Control (CMC) and Nutrition, Care & Environmental (NCE) provide a broad portfolio of differentiated products and solutions, supported by science and innovation capabilities, in-depth regulatory know-how and a track record in manufacturing and process development. Headquartered in Basel (Switzerland), the company's 3,600 employees contribute to the success of its customers, with 24 production sites and 14 R&D centers worldwide.



Arxada's CMC and IMC businesses target diverse end markets which include: Professional Hygiene, Home and Personal Care, Wood Protection, Crop Protection, Food & Beverage and Water, Paints & Coatings, and Material Protection. The NCE unit provides complex, high-quality technologies and chemistries via three business lines: Nutrition & Infrastructure (NI), Composite Materials (CM) and the Custom Development and Manufacturing Organization (CDMO). NI serves diverse end markets, from agriculture to pharma, polymers, and colorants. CM develops specialized products for electronics, aerospace and coatings. CDMO is a leader in the field of industrial exclusive synthesis, providing commercial scale manufacturing services up to multi-tons.

Taking a deeper dive, CDMO plays a crucial role in product development for several industries, including but not limited to energy, food, feed, agriculture, nutraceutical, pharma and cosmetics. This requires a high level of expertise and understanding of many technologies and a need for flexibility and agility in an ever-changing environment. With an individualized approach to each customer and industry, Arxada's CDMO team advances chemical

and biotechnological processes at its facilities in both Visp, Switzerland and Kourim, Czech Republic. Visp is the primary facility for chemistries while Kourim provides high-precision fermentation. This allows Arxada to deliver both processes to customers for added value.

Strong Swiss Heritage

For well over a century, the site in Visp has been developing specialty chemicals and solutions. With some 800 employees and 25 main plants involved in the production of around 150 different products, Visp is Arxada's largest site.

Using a comprehensive, fully backward integrated chemical network as the enabling technology, the Visp site produces a variety of basic chemicals and performance intermediates for products across a multitude of industries, from simple commodities to high-tech products. With robust R&D and manufacturing capabilities, Visp offers a highly flexible production concept with multi-purpose plants, as well as production and supply non-exclusive key building blocks.



Working at Arxada

Arxada's vision for solving the world's toughest preservation challenges can only be achieved through the work and talents of its employees. The company strives to create an environment that is collaborative and diverse and unlocks each individual's unique abilities. Colleagues are empowered to learn and grow while bringing their best skills to work every day.

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