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# Evonik Oil Additives and the Evonik Automotive Industry Team demonstrate Resource Efficiency and fuel savings at SAE World Congress

The Evonik Oil Additives Team joins forces with the Evonik Automotive Industry Team to demonstrate Resource Efficiency and fuel economy at stands M214 and 213 at the SAE World Congress to be held April 16-18, 2013, in the Cobo Center, Detroit, Michigan, USA.

Resource Efficiency represents the drive to research, develop and implement technologies that enable the adoption of sustainable methods of energy production and consumption. Specialists from Evonik's different business units continually develop innovative solutions that enhance fuel efficiency, extend the effects of improved fuel economy and enable the use of renewable resources.

The development of these innovative solutions is evident in the automotive market, with a focus on lightweight design, fuel savings and emission reduction, as well as lighting and surface technologies. At SAE, these solutions will be highlighted, along with additional products from Evonik's multifaceted business activities, including ACRYLITE® glazing, ROHACELL® rigid foam core, VISCOPLEX® lubricant additives technologies and VESTAMELT® adhesives.

For more information about Evonik Oil Additives, visit evonik.com/oiladditives. To learn more about the Evonik Automotive Industry Team, go to evonik.com/automotive.

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#### About Evonik Oil Additives

Evonik Oil Additives has taken a leadership role in developing lubricant additive technology designed to improve fuel efficiency and productivity. Energy saving results have been demonstrated with VISCOPLEX® Viscosity Index Improvers (VIIs) in engine oils, driveline fluids and gear oils. Industrial and off-highway equipment field tests have also recorded up to double-digit improvements in fuel savings with DYNAVIS® technology

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for hydraulic fluids. In all of its many applications, Evonik Oil Additives strives for Resource Efficiency.

Formerly known as RohMax, the Evonik Oil Additives business line of Evonik Industries specializes in high-performance additives and technologies for lubricants, fuels and refinery products. Evonik's specially customized VISCOPLEX® grades allow the flow characteristics, lubricating performance and crystallization properties of lubricants and biodiesel to be optimized over wide temperature ranges. Energy-efficient hydraulic fluids formulated with DYNAVIS® technology save fuel and boost productivity, thereby reducing operating costs as well as CO<sub>2</sub> emissions.

### **Company information**

Evonik, the creative international industrial group, is one of the world leaders in specialty chemicals. Its activities focus on the key megatrends resource efficiency, health, nutrition and globalization. Evonik benefits specifically from its innovative strength and integrated technology platforms. Evonik is active in over 100 countries around the world. In fiscal 2012 more than 33,000 employees generated sales of around €13.6 billion and an operating profit (adjusted EBITDA) of about €2.6 billion.

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