



## **Cabot Norit Activated Carbon Increases Price for Activated Carbon Globally**

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**BOSTON** – [Cabot Corporation](#) (NYSE: CBT) announces that Cabot Norit Activated Carbon will raise prices globally on all grades of activated carbon. Price increases will range from 5 percent to 15 percent, depending on the specific activated carbon product. This change will be effective for all shipments made on or after October 1, 2013, or as customer contracts allow.

This increase is required to support Cabot's continued investment in product and application development, fund new investments in technology and process improvements, and keep pace with increasing costs for raw materials and packaging.

### **ABOUT CABOT CORPORATION**

Cabot Corporation (NYSE: CBT) is a global specialty chemicals and performance materials company, headquartered in Boston, Massachusetts. The company is a leading provider of [rubber](#) and [specialty carbons](#), [activated carbon](#), [inkjet colorants](#), [cesium formate drilling fluids](#), [fumed silica](#), and [aerogel](#). For more information on Cabot, please visit the company's website at: <http://http://www.cabotcorp.com>.

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