

## BREF (Best Available Techniques Reference Document) in common wastewater and waste gas treatment/management systems in the chemical sector (European)

The BREF (Best Available Techniques reference document) on waste water and waste gas treatment and management in the chemical sector reflects an information exchange carried out under Article 16(2) of Council Directive 96/61/EC. For this context, the document can be applied to prevent the release of pellets to the environment from industrial sites. The criteria set in the BREFS are integrated in the permits of manufacturers of plastic materials

### Facts

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| Place / Location          | European                         |
| Commencement Date         | 2003                             |
| Duration                  | Ongoing                          |
| Theme                     | Prevention                       |
| Type of Initiative        | Policy/Regulation Implementation |
| Initiated by              |                                  |
| Involved Stakeholders     | Plastic Industry                 |
| Funding/Financial Support |                                  |
| Success Rate              | Very Successful                  |
| Case Study prepared by    | PlasticsEurope                   |
| Submitted by              | PlasticsEurope                   |

### Available documentation and further information

[http://eippcb.jrc.es/reference/BREF/cww\\_bref\\_0203.pdf](http://eippcb.jrc.es/reference/BREF/cww_bref_0203.pdf)

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