

## Carboline Company Acquires Technology from Reactamine

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Carboline Company is pleased to announce it has acquired the technology assets of Reactamine Technology, LLC, a division of Amber Chemical USA. Reactamine, located in Atlanta, formulates and manufactures specially modified, uniquely formulated polyureas, hybrid polyurethanes, and epoxy based products for the water/wastewater, pipeline, and rail industries in the US and abroad.

With the acquisition of Reactamine's technology, Carboline will expand its already extensive coating technology portfolio. The resulting products will provide even more solutions for high performance coatings and linings in various worldwide infrastructure markets.

"We are extremely excited about this technology acquisition and what it means for our customers and our long term research and development effort. This acquisition gives us the capability to move broader and deeper into the technology of 100% solids, quick cure Polyurethane and specially modified, uniquely formulated Polyureas. We will be able to offer an even larger number of options to our customers particularly in the pipeline industry as well as the water-wastewater industry." (Richard Wilson, President, Carboline Company)

Carboline Company, a world leader in high performance coatings, linings and fireproofing provides a comprehensive line of products for the protection and beautification of steel and concrete substrates from both corrosion and fire damage. Carboline is known as the Protective Coatings Professional™. Its products are widely used in the Commercial Architectural, Bridge and Highway, Petrochemical, Offshore Drilling, Marine, Pipeline and Terminal, Water and Wastewater treatment, OEM, Rail, Pulp and Paper, Conventional and Nuclear Power and other markets where long term asset protection is a high Priority. Carboline Company serves these markets with an international sales force working directly with Facility Owners, Engineers, Architects, Manufacturers and Specialty Applicators.