



Hengli Petrochemical announces successful performance demonstration on its 4th PTA line utilising INVISTA's P8 PTA Technology

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Hengli's 4th PTA line of 2.5 million tonnes per annum capacity, located in Changxing Island, Dalian City, Liaoning Province, utilising INVISTA's P8 PTA technology with industry leading variable cost, capital productivity and environmental performance, came online on January 8th, 2020. This PTA line also produces benzoic acid as co-product, utilising INVISTA's proprietary R²R technology.

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