

## Press Release

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### **Substantial Order for Graphite-Based Heat Exchangers from the US**

- Set of more than a dozen heat exchangers
- Delivery planned for end of 2020

SGL Carbon received a substantial order for a tailor-made set of graphite-based heat exchangers of different types from a big customer in the US back in May 2020. The completely assembled systems will be used by the customer to expand its capacity for the production of phosphoric acid as one of the main raw materials to produce fertilizer for the agricultural sector worldwide. The delivery of the heat exchangers is planned for end of 2020.

The order consists of tailor-made DIABON® shell and tube heat exchangers as well as DIABON® plate heat exchangers, both using graphite as the main material inside. This very efficient and reliable set-up helps to significantly reduce operational costs for the customer and, at the same time, minimize risks when processing demanding corrosive media.

“The heat exchangers have been designed by our experts at SGL Carbon to perfectly fit to the planned new facility of our customer proving our broad engineering competence. Along with the high quality of our materials and our comprehensive services this is of high value for our customers worldwide.”, says Ralph Spuller, Director Product Management at SGL Carbon.

#### **About SGL Carbon**

SGL Carbon is a technology-based company and world leader in the development and production of carbon-based solutions. Its high-quality materials and products made from specialty graphite and composites are used in industrial sectors that determine the future: automotive, aerospace, solar and wind energy, semiconductor and LEDs as well as in the production of lithium-ion batteries, fuel cell and other energy storage systems. In addition, SGL Carbon develops solutions for chemical and industrial applications.

**In 2019, SGL Carbon SE generated sales of around 1.1 billion euros. The company has approx. 5,100 employees at 31 locations in Europe, North America, and Asia.**

Materials, products and solutions from SGL Carbon are embedded in the major topics of the future: sustainable mobility, new energies and cross-industry digitization. Further developments in these areas demand more intelligent, more efficient, networked and sustainable solutions. This is where the entrepreneurial vision of SGL Carbon evolves around: contributing to a smarter world.

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