About
Renewable Carbon Plastics

For about 18 years, we’ve been your go-to destination for insights into the dynamic world of bioplastics. Recently, we celebrated our 100th edition and simultaneously announced our official rebranding to “Renewable Carbon Plastics” (RCP). This transformation signifies our commitment to a broader and more inclusive vision for the plastics industry, one that embraces innovative approaches to address the critical challenges of plastic pollution and climate change.

While plastics play an irreplaceable role in our modern society, their production from fossil-based resources has exacted a toll on our environment. We’ve witnessed decades of mismanagement, abysmal recycling rates, and the alarming consequences of unchecked plastic waste. It’s high time for a sustainable shift.

RCP is dedicated to ushering in this transformative era by exploring and championing a spectrum of sustainable plastic solutions. Our new focus extends beyond traditional bioplastics to encompass plastics derived from renewable carbon sources, including Carbon Capture and Utilization (CCU), and Advanced Recycling technologies.

Bioplastics: Plastics derived from biogenic sources, such as crops or waste streams, offer a promising alternative to traditional fossil-based plastics. We’ve covered a wealth of innovations and developments in this space, highlighting the potential of these biogenic materials. Biodegradable plastics as an additional end-of-life solution will certainly remain a hot topic for us.

Carbon Capture & Utilization (CCU): RCP explores how carbon dioxide (CO₂) from the atmosphere or exhaust processes, as well as methane (CH₄) from sources like biogasification, can be harnessed to create plastic raw materials. This innovative approach mitigates the need for fresh fossil resources.

Advanced Recycling: The revival of recycling in recent years has brought forth a range of cutting-edge technologies, including chemical recycling, enzyme-based recycling, and solvent-based recycling, among others. RCP delves into these advancements, recognizing their pivotal role in achieving renewable carbon in plastics.
Advertising

Back cover:
4,900.00 EUR
Front cover inside / back cover inside:
4,400.00 EUR

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Other formats upon request. Additional fee for special placement 10%.
*edge trim all round + 3 mm

Suppliers Guide
(print and online)

Only bookable for a full year:
per mm  EUR 6.00/issue

Banner
(web and newsletter)

Leaderboard (1440 x 180px) from EUR 325/month
Large (1000 x 600 px) from EUR 200/month
Regular (1000 x 300 px) from EUR 125/month

For more details see pages 8 and 9.

Printing Material Requirement:
All data sets to be digitised. We are unable to accept material on film. Especially if you send us PDF-Files, these should be produced in PDF X Standard.

Important:
All images in CMYK and 300 dpi

Format:
High Quality PDF-File
(Standard PDF X-3 or higher)
Print Run  
(Status October 2023)

The print run averages around 3,000 (depending on large events like exhibitions or conferences). However, the actual number of readers is much higher, as many read Renewable Carbon Plastics online. On average each issue has around 11,000 views per issue (average of the last three years). For global distribution see graph on the left side. Renewable Carbon Plastics is read in more than 100 countries.

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Editorial Planner 2024

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Conferences

8th PLA
28.–29. May 2024
Munich, Germany

www.pla-world-congress.com

bio!TOY
March 2025

bio!PAC
May 2025

Bioplastics Business Breakfast
October 2025
Online Advertising

The start page of www.renewable-carbon-plastics.com features up-to-date daily news to keep visitors informed about the latest product developments, company news, exhibitions, conferences, and other events. The website has an average traffic of 13,000 visits per month. Your banner* on the website offers you a powerful tool for quality exposure and branding.

Website advertising

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Welcome Mat
A welcome mat ad (500 x 500 pixels) appears before you reach the Renewable Carbon Plastics website:
- It appears only 1x per day (cookie)
- Visitors have the option to skip the message and go directly to the website
- After 10 seconds it disappears automatically and the website opens
- Or visitors click on the banner to go to your landing page

Special ads in the ONLINE ARCHIVE and the FLIPBOOK
Renewable Carbon Plastics is also available on all mobile devices and as a flipbook on the website. Here too special ads linked to your website are available, that do not appear in the printed version.

Interested? Contact us to find out more about the various possible options, such as e.g. integrated video clips and much more.

Banner in the NEWSLETTER
The biweekly Renewable Carbon Plastics newsletter reaches exactly your targeted audience of those really interested in bioplastics across all continents (currently more than 4,000 recipients). The platform offers advertisers the power to create integrated campaigns, built on the interaction between the different media channels and taking advantage of the different strengths of each. For advertisers, a perfect means to add value to opportunity.

A full-width banner above, between, or below the news is an easy and extremely effective way to get your message across. The banner should be 1000 x 200 pixels. In the newsletter, it will be displayed smaller, but the resolution is needed to be properly displayed in your browser.

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* Banners on the start page and the subpages are rotating banners. This means we have just these 4 positions, but with each refresh of the page, the banners change at random at each position. We put a maximum of 4 banners in each position.

Advertorial
An advertorial is a great way to present your marketing message in a format our readers are used to. If you have an idea for a special product promotion or a message you want to convey to our readers:
Let's talk about this opportunity!
This book, created and published by Polymedia Publisher – maker of bioplastics magazine, is available in English and German (now in the third, revised edition), and brand new also in Chinese, French, Spanish and Polish.

Intended to offer a rapid and uncomplicated introduction to the subject of bioplastics, this book is aimed at all interested readers, in particular those who have not yet had the opportunity to dig deeply into the subject, such as students or those just joining this industry, as well as lay readers. It gives an introduction to plastics and bioplastics, explains which renewable resources can be used to produce bioplastics, what types of bioplastics exist, and which ones are already on the market. Further aspects, such as market development, the agricultural land required, and waste disposal, are also examined.

The book is complemented by a comprehensive literature list and a guide to sources of additional information on the Internet.

The author Michael Thielen is the publisher of bioplastics magazine. He is a qualified mechanical design engineer with a PhD degree in plastics technology from the RWTH University in Aachen, Germany. He has written several books on the subject of bioplastics and blow-moulding technology and disseminated his knowledge of plastics in numerous presentations, seminars, guest lectures, and teaching assignments.

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