Ashland increases prices for its 1,4 butanediol intermediates and solvents product range globally

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Wilmington, Del., Nov. 24, 2026 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Ashland Inc. (NYSE: ASH) is increasing prices on 1-4-Butanediol (BDO) and several solvents products as indicated below:

Americas

product	amount of increase
1,4 butanediol (BDO)	min $0.10 per pound ($0.22 per kg)
gamma-butyrolactone (BLO®)	min $0.10 per pound ($0.22 per kg)
n-methyl-pyrrolidone (NMP)	min $0.10 per pound ($0.22 per kg)
tetrahydrofuran (THF)	min $0.13 per pound ($ 0.29 per kg)

Europe

product	amount of increase
gamma-butyrolactone (BLO®)	min 0.20 eur per kg
n-methyl-pyrrolidone (NMP)	min 0.20 eur per kg
tetrahydrofuran (THF)	min 0.25 eur per kg

Asia

product	amount of increase
gamma-butyrolactone (BLO®)	min $0.20 per kg
n-methyl-pyrrolidone (NMP)	min $0.20 per kg
tetrahydrofuran (THF)	min $0.25 per kg

These price increases will be effective December 1, 2026, or as existing agreements allow.

The company is also applying increases of at least five percent across all regions for the following product groups: Surfadone™, Agsolex™, Easywet™ 20 and Flexidone™ 10

These adjustments reflect the continued increase in production, energy, freight and other supply-related costs to maintain reliable supply for customers.

About Ashland
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