

European Investment Bank (EIB)

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# **Environmental and Social Completion Sheet (ESCS)**

# Overview

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Project Name:	BOREALIS R&D RSF
Project Number:	2013-0187
Country:	AUSTRIA, FINLAND, SWEDEN
Project Description:	Financing of R&D activities in the field of advanced polymers and base chemicals.

# Summary of Environmental and Social Assessment at Completion

# EIB notes the following key Environmental and Social outcomes at Project Completion.

No significant environment or social issues were noted. The project concerned investments in research and development that were carried out in existing facilities without changing their already authorised scope. Overall, the project has been assessed as acceptable having no adverse impact on the environment.

Most of the project R&D activities were partly targeting the development of catalysts and energy efficiency improvements for industrial manufacturing processes to produce advanced polymers and, as such, contributed to increased environmental and social sustainability.

# Summary opinion of Environmental and Social aspects at completion:

Based on the reports provided by the promoter, EIB is of the opinion that the Project has been implemented in line with EIB Environmental and Social Standards, applicable at the time of appraisal.