ADVANCE INTERMEDIATES
(PYRIDINES, PICOLINES, CYANOPYRIDINES & PIPERIDINE)
The Advance Intermediates business of Jubilant Life Sciences manufactures Pyridine, Picolines, Cyanopyridines and Piperidine. These are used as Advance Intermediates/building blocks for the production of a range of agrochemicals, pharmaceuticals, dyes, solvents, metal finishes, fine chemicals, etc. The products are trusted by more than 275 global pharmaceutical, agrochemical and other industrial customers who rely on Jubilant’s consistent quality and service. Their trust and support has helped Jubilant grow to the Number 1 position in the market for Pyridine & its derivatives globally.

**Key Strengths**

**Vertical Integration**

The Company has over 30 years of experience in Pyridine chemistry and is the only manufacturer of Pyridines and Picolines with complete forward and backward integration.

**Low Carbon Footprint**

The Company manufactures Pyridines via the biomass route, using agricultural feedstock which gives it a benefit of 46.7% in carbon footprint as compared to the conventional petroleum route.

**Manufacturing Prowess**

The world scale plant located at Gajraula, UP (approximately 120 kms from Delhi), is Zero Discharge and ISO 9000, ISO 14001 & OHSAS 18001 certified.

**Product Details**

**Pyridine**

Pyridine, a basic organic chemical, is a versatile building block and an excellent solvent used in agrochemical, pharmaceutical and other industries. It is completely soluble in Water, Alcohol, Ether and Benzene. It acts as an acid scavenger and can catalyse reactions.

**Applications**

- The largest application of Pyridine globally is in the manufacturing of Bipyridyl Herbicides: Paraquat and Diquat
- Pyridine is used in the manufacturing of agrochemical: Symtet, which in turn is used for the manufacturing of insecticide Chlorpyrifos
- Pyridine is also used in industries like: dyestuffs & textiles, agrochemicals, pharmaceuticals and electronics
- Pyridine is used as a solvent, and for metal finishes

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**Alpha Picoline**

Alpha Picoline, also called 2-Picoline or 2-Methylpyridine, is a clear organic liquid. It is completely soluble in Water, Alcohol and Ether.

**Applications**

- The largest application of Alpha Picoline is 2-Vinylpyridine monomer (2 VP), which is used in the manufacturing of VP Latex
- Other application of Alpha Picoline is in the manufacturing of agrochemicals: Picloram and Nitrapyrin
- Alpha Picoline is also the raw material for 2-Cyanopyridine
- It is also used in the pharmaceuticals industry

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**Beta Picoline**

Beta Picoline, also called 3-Picoline or 3-Methylpyridine, is a clear organic liquid. It is completely soluble in Water, Alcohol and Ether.

**Applications**

- The largest application of Beta Picoline is in the manufacturing of Vitamin B3 (Niacinamide)
- Beta Picoline is a significant intermediate for agrochemicals like Chlorpyrifos, Haloxypfop and Fluazifop Butyl
- Also used in pharmaceutical intermediates

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**3-Cyanopyridine**

3-Cyanopyridine is a white crystalline solid.

**Applications**

- 3-Cyanopyridine is used in the manufacturing of Niacinamide & Niacin (Vitamin B3)
- Other major application areas of 3-Cyanopyridine are: Pymetrizone, 2 Chloro Nicotinic Acid, and 3-Aminomethylpyridine, pharmaceuticals & agrochemicals

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**4-Cyanopyridine**

4-Cyanopyridine is a white to off-white solid at room temperature. It is derived from Gamma Picoline.

**Applications**

- 4-Cyanopyridine finds applications in the manufacturing of the drug INH Isoniazid and other pharmaceuticals and agrochemicals

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**Piperidine**

Piperidine is a colourless fuming liquid, derived by the hydrogenation of Pyridine.

**Applications**

- The major application of Piperidine is for the production of Dipiperidinyl Dithium Tetrasulfide, which is used as a rubber vulcanisation accelerator
- Piperidine is also used as a solvent and base in agrochemical and pharmaceutical industries for Mepiquat Chloride, Dipyridamol and Minidoxil

**REACH Status:** Pre-registered

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**2-Cyanopyridine**

2-Cyanopyridine is a white to off-white solid at room temperature with almond like odour. It is derived from Alpha Picoline.

**Applications**

- 2-Cyanopyridine finds applications in pharmaceuticals, agrochemicals & fine chemicals
- 2-Cyanopyridine is converted to Chromium and Zinc Picolinate for use in human and animal nutrition

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