

# TACKLE THE INTERRUPTION OF THE SUPPLY CHAIN

*A complete solution for your business!*

One missing raw material can jeopardize a whole production here are 5 ways you can be proactive and tackle the interruption of the supply chain.

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## **WORK WITH A TRADING COMPANY**

Take advantage of working with trading companies such as Eastar Chemical Corp. Our experts carefully evaluate the manufacturer with the best offer based on your needs.

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## **FOCUS ON QUALITY**

Choose a trading company with its own Quality Assurance department. This will provide varying testing methods to meet project requirements. Get pre-shipment samples when it is possible this will ensure that requirements are met early on in the process.

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## **BE TRANSPARENT**

Open communication on both sides is key. Sharing photographs of the entire process can help reduce surprises later on in the project.

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## **SPEED**


Setting a time expectation is important. Supplier should give a yes-or-no answer in 5 days. If the answer is a yes offer should be sent in 10 days. In the case of custom manufacturing timing would need to be flexible.


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## **RELY ON PARTNERSHIP**


Building a partnership can reduce error. Learning to adjust to different working styles can help when challenges arise. Be willing to provide feedback where needed.

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