



About our company

FIZ CHEMIE, the German specialist information centre for chemistry, is a major information and documentation centre for experts in Germany and around the world. We compile specialist information in the field of chemistry, assess it, digitise it, consolidate it for highly developed retrieval systems and provide the information thus acquired as electronic and print information services. We use state-of-the-art database systems as well as in-house and online technologies for processing the data and making it available.

Our extensive national and international collaboration with renowned information providers enables us to ensure that products and services provide comprehensive, top-quality coverage of the specialist knowledge produced worldwide in the field of chemistry.

Customer and Target Groups

We serve a diverse range of customers and target groups with our products and services:

- polytechnics and universities
- research institutes
- companies
- government agencies
- professional associations and interest groups
- libraries
- educational institutions
- students
- schools and
- interested private persons.

Products and Services

Chemical data in every conceivable form constitute the core of the portfolio of FIZ CHEMIE - including written descriptions of research results, data on chemical reactions and thermodynamic properties, graphic diagrams of reaction sequences and even multimedia presentations with animation, simulation and digital videos. All information can be quickly and conveniently searched and combined.

Products

- chemistry databases relating to synthesis, thermodynamics and chemical literature from 1830 to the present
- subject-specific learning and training systems with knowledge from all areas of chemistry
- specialised search engines for scientific publications, e-books, etc.

Services

- Theoretical and practical training
- Information networking
- knowledge organisation in data networks

The high quality standards of our information products and services as well as our systems are internationally renowned and are maintained with our management system.

Research and Networks

In the dynamic environment of the global knowledge society, we don't rest on our laurels: FIZ CHEMIE is involved in a variety of ways in the ongoing development of specialist chemical information. We maintain relationships with research and information institutes in Germany and abroad, and have marketing agreements with partner organisations around the world.

The following partnerships, collaborations and commitments support us in meeting our high standards on a daily basis:

Service institutes in the Gottfried Wilhelm Leibniz Scientific Community

Gesellschaft Deutscher Chemiker e.V. (GDCh)

DECHEMA Gesellschaft für Chemische Technik und Biotechnologie e.V.



TIB Hannover

Chemical Structure Association (CSA) Trust

responsible publisher of the largest German-language multimedia encyclopaedia for chemistry education (ChemgaPedia)

central host for the International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry (IUPAC)

supports SMEs with a variety of discounts and special conditions

FIZ CHEMIE supports the next generation of scientists by

sponsoring the FIZ CHEMIE Berlin prize for next-generation researchers

sponsoring the CINF - FIZ Scholarship for Scientific Excellence

acting as co-advisors for diploma and master's degree candidates writing their theses

Our Team and Technology

FIZ CHEMIE provides its services with a team of outstanding professional experts and state-of-the-art electronic data processing facilities. Two thirds of our staff members are highly qualified scholars with degrees in the natural sciences. As experts both in information management and their scientific specialities, they provide advice and practical assistance. FIZ CHEMIE uses state-of-the-art software and high-performance hardware to ensure optimal provision of their products and services and to implement newly developed concepts.

FIZ CHEMIE is a non-profit organisation supported by the German federal and state governments. We are a service institute in the Gottfried Wilhelm Leibniz Scientific Community.

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