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Subject: Detrex Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Statement

To whom it may concern,

PVC is the world's 3<sup>rd</sup> most widely produced synthetic plastic polymer. It is widely used for construction piping, doors and windows, bottles, and non-food packaging. PVC is not suitable for sustained contact with hydrochloric acid, and for that reason PVC and components containing PVC are not used in the production and storage of Hydrochloric Acid.

To the best of our knowledge, we have no reason to believe any PVC compounds exist in our hydrochloric acid products.

Sincerely,

Dave Morgan

Global Product Manager, Hydrochloric Acid

**Detrex Chemicals**