# **Assured Corporate Responsibility** performance indicators 2013

Syngenta's CR performance is covered throughout the Annual Review, summarized in the CR performance summary below and explained in further detail in the extended Online Annual Report (www.syngenta.com/ar2013).

CR performance data is presented in six categories that align with our business enablers: people, manufacturing and procurement, environment, responsible agriculture, economic value shared and business integrity. Our CR reporting is for the operations of Syngenta Group, including material interactions with selected third parties as reported in the CR performance summary. Our CR reporting is guided by the GRI principles and externally assured by PwC. The CR reporting period is October 1 to September 30, with the exceptions noted.

# Corporate Responsibility performance summary

| People   | 2013   | 2012   | 2011   |
|--|--------|--------|--------|
| People retention <sup>1</sup>  |        |        |        |
| Employees <sup>2</sup>   | 28,149 | 27,262 | 26,333 |
| Europe, Africa and Middle East <sup>3</sup>                              | 12,763 | 12,417 | 12,134 |
| North America  | 4,654  | 4,598  | 4,713  |
| Latin America  | 5,221  | 5,095  | 4,681  |
| Asia Pacific   | 5,511  | 5,152  | 4,805  |
| Part-time employees  | 976    | 975    | 881    |
| Turnover rate <sup>4</sup>   | 14.1%  | 12.4%  | 11.6%  |
| of which: <35 years  | 43%    | 44%    | 38%    |
| 35-50 years  | 35%    | 35%    | 39%    |
| >50 years  | 22%    | 21%    | 23%    |
| Diversity <sup>1</sup>   |        |        |        |
| Female employees   | 30%    | 31%    | 32%    |
| In management roles  | 20%    | 20%    | 21%    |
| In senior management   | 13%    | 13%    | 12%    |
| Senior managers  | 366    | 334    | 345    |
| Headquarters   | 47%    | 50%    | 49%    |
| Europe, Africa and Middle East   | 13%    | 13%    | 13%    |
| North America  | 18%    | 19%    | 19%    |
| Latin America  | 12%    | 10%    | 10%    |
| Asia Pacific   | 10%    | 8%     | 9%     |
| Nationalities in senior management                                       | 41     | 38     | 34     |
| Employee development <sup>1, 5</sup>                                     |        |        |        |
| Training investment (\$m)  | 27.1   | 24.6   | 23.7   |
| Training investment per employee (\$) <sup>2</sup>                       | 964    | 901    | 901    |
| Reward and recognition <sup>1</sup>                                      |        |        |        |
| Employees eligible to participate in Employee Share Purchase Plan (ESPP) | 18,790 | 16,561 | 16,872 |
| Eligible employees participating in ESPP                                 | 47%    | 46%    | 46%    |
| Employees participating in long-term equity incentive plans              | 1,226  | 1,098  | 1,047  |

<sup>1</sup> In 2013 and 2012, reporting year ended September 30. In 2011, reporting year ended December 31

<sup>2</sup> Permanent full-time equivalent (FTE) 3 Including headquarters (Switzerland)

<sup>4</sup> Including voluntary leavers, retirees and restructuring 5 Includes only training delivered by external providers

#### **People** continued

| People Continued  | 2013 | 2012 | 2011 |
|---|------|------|------|
| Health, safety and wellbeing  |      |      |      |
| Recordable injury and illness rate (IIR) per 200,000 hours <sup>1</sup> | 0.41 | 0.39 | 0.44 |
| Recordable injury rate per 200,000 hours <sup>1</sup>                   | 0.35 | 0.35 | 0.39 |
| Europe, Africa and Middle East <sup>2</sup>                             | 0.38 | 0.39 | 0.38 |
| North America   | 0.64 | 0.87 | 0.99 |
| Latin America   | 0.38 | 0.17 | 0.20 |
| Asia Pacific  | 0.15 | 0.16 | 0.17 |
| Recordable occupational illness rate per 200,000 hours <sup>1</sup>     | 0.07 | 0.03 | 0.05 |
| Europe, Africa and Middle East <sup>2</sup>                             | 0.07 | 0.07 | 0.05 |
| North America   | 0.14 | 0.00 | 0.16 |
| Latin America   | 0.08 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Asia Pacific  | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.01 |
| First aid cases   | 623  | 693  | 798  |
| Recordable injuries   | 148  | 144  | 147  |
| Fracture  | 16%  | 17%  | 14%  |
| Bruise, strain and sprain   | 44%  | 30%  | 34%  |
| Burn  | 2%   | 1%   | 3%   |
| Cut and abrasion  | 22%  | 30%  | 28%  |
| Eye injury  | 5%   | 6%   | 7%   |
| Head injury and concussion  | 1%   | 3%   | 3%   |
| Other   | 10%  | 13%  | 11%  |
| Cases of recordable occupational illness                                | 28   | 14   | 19   |
| Cases of work-related stress <sup>3</sup>                               | 36   | 127  | 32   |

<sup>1</sup> According to US OSHA definition for injuries and illness

<sup>2</sup> Including headquarters (Switzerland)
3 The increase in 2012 is due in most cases to a change in shift pattern at our Monthey site in Switzerland. Following extensive consultation, a new shift pattern was implemented early in 2013



## Manufacturing and procurement

| Mandiacturing and procurement                                 | 2013   | 2012   | 2011   |
|---|--------|--------|--------|
| Our production and R&D sites 1, 2                             |        |        |        |
| Active ingredient production                                  | 8      | 8      |        |
| Formulation, fill and packaging                               | 23     | 23     |        |
| Lawn and Garden supply chain                                  | 15     | 15     |        |
| Seed processing   | 67     | 62     |        |
| Research and development                                      | 139    | 154    |        |
| Quality management <sup>1,3</sup>                             |        |        |        |
| Quality audits performed on own sites                         | 83     | 91     |        |
| Quality audits performed on third parties <sup>4</sup>        | 496    | 89     |        |
| Security management <sup>1</sup>                              |        |        |        |
| Evaluated sites in medium and high risk countries             | 70     | 72     |        |
| Of which: production sites                                    | 44%    | 39%    |        |
| Responsible supply chain <sup>5</sup>                         |        |        |        |
| Seed supply farms included in Syngenta/FLA program            | 22,895 | 17,625 | 16,880 |
| HSEQ assessments at chemical suppliers <sup>6</sup>           | 86     | 74     | 67     |
| HSEQ assessments at formulation, fill and packaging suppliers | 38     | 35     | 30     |
| HSEQ assessments at warehouse/logistics service providers     | 157    | 115    | 129    |

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2 3 In 2013 and 35 in 2012
3 In 2013, reporting year ended September 30. In 2012, reporting year ended December 31
4 411 audits occurred in 2013 in North America due to the wider introduction of a trait technology
5 In 2013 and 2012, reporting year ended September 30. In 2011, reporting year ended December 31
6 2012 and 2011 values have been restated to separately report HSEQ assessments at formulation, fill and packaging suppliers



#### **Environment**

| Energy Energy intensity (MJ/\$EBIT)¹ Energy (TJ) Gas (TJ) Electricity (TU) Steam (TU) Oil (TJ) Other (TJ) Sites setting energy targets Greenhouse gases | 4.50<br>10,202<br>4,050<br>2,459<br>1,578<br>975<br>1,140 | 3.70<br>9,336<br>3,936<br>2,347<br>1,419<br>703 | 3.79<br>8,707<br>3,655<br>2,155<br>1,438 |
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| Other (TJ) Sites setting energy targets Greenhouse gases  | 1,140   |   | 1, 100                                   |
| Sites setting energy targets  Greenhouse gases  |   | 001   | 660                                      |
| Greenhouse gases  | 15  | 931   | 799                                      |
|   |   | 19  | 19                                       |
|   |   |   |  |
| Total CO₂e emissions intensity (kg/\$EBIT)¹   | 0.75  | 0.62  | 0.61                                     |
| Total CO <sub>2</sub> e emissions (000s tonnes) <sup>2</sup>  | 1,710   | 1,574   | 1,396                                    |
| Within direct control:  |   |   |  |
| CO₂e emissions from own operations (000s tonnes)  | 634   | 665   | 513                                      |
| CO <sub>2</sub> emissions from company vehicles (000s tonnes)   | 76  | 68  | 65                                       |
| Within indirect control:  |   |   |  |
| CO₂e emissions from purchased energy (000s tonnes)  | 417   | 391   | 374                                      |
| CO <sub>2</sub> emissions from business trips (000s tonnes)   | 40  | 45  | 51                                       |
| CO <sub>2</sub> emissions from distribution (000s tonnes) <sup>2,3</sup>  | 543   | 405   | 393                                      |
| Other air emissions   |   |   |  |
| Other air emissions intensity (g/\$EBIT) <sup>1</sup>   | 0.67  | 0.56  | 0.63                                     |
| Other air emissions (tonnes) <sup>4</sup>   | 1,514   | 1,421   | 1,454                                    |
| NO <sub>x</sub> (tonnes)  | 440   | 476   | 445                                      |
| Non-halogenated VOCs (tonnes)   | 427   | 505   | 647                                      |
| Halogenated VOCs (tonnes)   | 21  | 13  | 29                                       |
| Particulates (tonnes)   | 105   | 108   | 114                                      |
| SO <sub>2</sub> (tonnes) <sup>4,5</sup>   | 494   | 295   | 180                                      |
| NH <sub>3</sub> (tonnes)  | 8   | 8   | 22                                       |
| HCI (tonnes)  | 19  | 16  | 17                                       |
| Water   |   |   |  |
| Water usage intensity (liters/\$EBIT) <sup>1</sup>  | 16.2  | 13.4  | 13.4                                     |
| Water usage (million cubic meters)  | 36.8  | 33.8  | 30.8                                     |
| Cooling (million cubic meters)  | 19.4  | 18.0  | 18.7                                     |
| Irrigation (million cubic meters) <sup>6</sup>  | 7.6   | 6.5   | 2.9                                      |
| Processing and washing (million cubic meters)   | 7.4   | 7.0   | 7.0                                      |
| Product ingredient (million cubic meters)   | 0.3   | 0.2   | 0.2                                      |
| Sewage and sanitary (million cubic meters)  | 1.1   | 1.0   | 1.0                                      |
| Other (million cubic meters)  | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.0                                      |
| Origin of water:  |   |   |  |
| Surface fresh water (million cubic meters)  | 25.6  | 23.9  | 22.4                                     |
| Underground water (million cubic meters)  | 7.8   | 7.1   | 5.9                                      |
| Drinking water from municipal network (million cubic meters)  | 3.0   | 2.7   | 2.6                                      |
| Recovered rain water (million cubic meters)   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1                                      |
| Saline water (million cubic meters)   | 0.3   | 0.0   | 0.0                                      |

<sup>1 2012</sup> and 2011 intensity values have been restated due to the impact on \$EBIT of the accounting policy change for employee benefits described in Note 2 to the Group Consolidated Financial Statements in the Financial Report 2013. \$EBIT excluding restructuring and impairment 2 2012 value has been restated due to a calculation error in CO2 reporting from distribution 3 Increase in 2013 value due to inclusion of seeds distribution in Asia Pacific and Latin America 4 2012 value has been restated due to a calculation error in SO2 reporting at a site in Asia Pacific 5 Increase in 2013 value due to 34% increase in fuel oil consumption in the waste incinerator at a site in Asia Pacific 6 Policy on water reporting was revised: 10 reporting sites were added in 2013 and 12 in 2012

#### **Environment** continued

| Environment continued   | 2013  | 2012  | 2011  |
|---|-------|-------|-------|
| Wastewater effluents  |       |       |       |
| Industrial wastewater discharge intensity (liters/\$EBIT) <sup>1</sup>  | 4.8   | 4.0   | 4.2   |
| Industrial wastewater discharge (million cubic meters)                  | 10.8  | 10.1  | 9.6   |
| Total organic carbon (TOC) (tonnes)                                     | 879   | 771   | 1,033 |
| Chemical oxygen demand (COD) (tonnes)                                   | 2,679 | 2,337 | 3,119 |
| Biological oxygen demand (BOD) (tonnes)                                 | 225   | 239   | 308   |
| Total suspended solids (tonnes)   | 345   | 363   | 520   |
| Soluble salts discharged (000s tonnes)                                  | 143   | 133   | 120   |
| Direct discharge of uncontaminated cooling water (million cubic meters) | 19.1  | 17.8  | 18.5  |
| Waste   |       |       |       |
| Hazardous waste intensity (kg/\$EBIT) <sup>1</sup>                      | 0.10  | 0.08  | 0.09  |
| Hazardous waste (000s tonnes)   | 235.2 | 190.0 | 201.4 |
| Recycled and re-used (000s tonnes)                                      | 71.9  | 60.0  | 66.9  |
| Incinerated (000s tonnes)   | 147.8 | 118.0 | 121.5 |
| Landfill (000s tonnes)  | 2.5   | 1.0   | 0.4   |
| Other (000s tonnes)   | 13.0  | 11.0  | 12.6  |
| Hazardous waste by type:  |       |       |       |
| Chemical  | 66%   | 65%   | 59%   |
| Solvents  | 27%   | 26%   | 29%   |
| Other   | 7%    | 9%    | 12%   |
| Non-hazardous waste intensity (kg/\$EBIT) <sup>1</sup>                  | 0.06  | 0.04  | 0.04  |
| Non-hazardous waste (000s tonnes)                                       | 131.7 | 109.8 | 94.5  |
| Recycled and re-used (000s tonnes)                                      | 100.5 | 80.0  | 64.3  |
| Incinerated (000s tonnes)   | 7.5   | 4.1   | 7.1   |
| Landfill (000s tonnes)  | 16.8  | 18.5  | 19.1  |
| Other (000s tonnes)   | 6.9   | 7.2   | 4.0   |
| Non-hazardous waste by type:  |       |       |       |
| Plant and seed waste from seed sites                                    | 66%   | 60%   | 56%   |
| Inerts  | 3%    | 5%    | 5%    |
| Packaging materials   | 7%    | 7%    | 9%    |
| Household   | 5%    | 5%    | 5%    |
| Other   | 19%   | 23%   | 25%   |
| Sites with waste reduction programs                                     | 14    | 16    | 16    |
| Environmental compliance  |       |       |       |
| Significant unplanned releases <sup>2, 3</sup>                          | 1     | 0     | 0     |
|   |       |       |       |

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2 Releases that escape beyond the site boundary and cause either environmental impact and/or concern from neighbors, regulators, etc
3 In 2013, release of ammonia due to temporary reduction on scrubber efficiency at one site in North America. Corrective actions were immediately taken



## Responsible agriculture

| Responsible agriculture   | 2013 | 2012 | 2011 |
|---|------|------|------|
| Resource efficiency programs (soil, water, biodiversity, IPM/ICM, safe use)       |      |      |      |
| Total investment (\$m)  | 9.4  | 10.4 | 7.5  |
| Europe, Africa and Middle East <sup>1</sup>                                       | 55%  | 37%  | 48%  |
| North America   | 1%   | 4%   | 20%  |
| Latin America   | 34%  | 35%  | 14%  |
| Asia Pacific  | 10%  | 24%  | 18%  |
| Active programs   | 253  | 157  | 150  |
| Medical stewardship <sup>2</sup>  |      |      |      |
| Countries with established Syngenta product toxicovigilance programs <sup>2</sup> | 100  | 85   | 85   |
| Crop Protection sales represented   | 93%  | 92%  | 89%  |
| Product safe use training   |      |      |      |
| Active training programs  | 160  | 92   | 61   |
| Human health <sup>3</sup>   | 97%  | 83%  |      |
| Environment <sup>3</sup>  | 2%   | 2%   |      |
| Value chain <sup>3</sup>  | 1%   | 15%  |      |
| People trained (m)  | 2.8  | 3.0  | 2.9  |

- 1 Including headquarters (Switzerland) 2 In 2013 and 2012, reporting year ended September 30. In 2011, reporting year ended December 31 3 2012 first year of reporting



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#### **Economic value shared**

| LCOHOTTIC Value Strated                         | 2013   | 2012   | 2011   |
|---|--------|--------|--------|
| Economic value shared (\$m) <sup>1</sup>        | 14,864 | 13,257 | 12,784 |
| Payments to suppliers <sup>2</sup>              | 9,792  | 8,550  | 8,140  |
| Employee wages and benefits                     | 2,828  | 2,710  | 2,661  |
| Payments to governments (taxes) <sup>3</sup>    | 405    | 345    | 312    |
| Payments to providers of capital <sup>4,5</sup> | 1,139  | 971    | 1,078  |
| Capital expenditure                             | 679    | 662    | 575    |
| Corporate community investment 6,7              | 21     | 19     | 18     |

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  In crease in Payments to suppliers reflects an increase in seeds production costs and higher inventory levels linked to projected sales growth

  3 Consists of income and other taxes paid, excluding VAT (included in Payments to suppliers) and employment-related taxes (included in Employee wages and benefits)

  4 Consists of expenditures for dividends, share repurchases (excluding those for employee share plans) and interest on debt

  5 Increase in Payments to providers of capital reflects an increased dividend payment in 2013

- 6 In 2013, \$0.4 million for resource efficiency programs
  7 The PwC Independent Assurance Report includes in its scope only the Corporate community investment figure used in the calculation of Economic value shared



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#### **Business integrity**

| Dubinoso integrity   | 2013  | 2012  | 2011  |
|--|-------|-------|-------|
| Corporate conduct <sup>1</sup>   |       |       |       |
| Compliance cases reported through the compliance helpline <sup>2</sup> | 110   | 58    | 82    |
| Animal testing compliance <sup>1</sup>                                 |       |       |       |
| Management system audits performed in contract laboratories            | 13    | 15    | 8     |
| Management system non-compliances found                                | 0     | 1     | 0     |
| Biotechnology and regulatory compliance <sup>1</sup>                   |       |       |       |
| Employees completing trial regulatory compliance training              | 1,228 | 1,559 | 2,044 |
| Trial locations requiring a permit                                     | 420   | 400   | 406   |
| Trial inspections performed by Syngenta                                | 272   | 278   | 155   |

- 1 In 2013 and 2012, reporting year ended September 30. In 2011, reporting year ended December 31 2 This does not include cases reported through line management, HR or legal processes

