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LANGUAGES

THINK.SAFE. materials were translated into 8 languages in 2013, including Norwegian, as seen in the poster to the left.

- Severe power outages followed the earthquake. Our team worked aggressively to make repairs in a safe, reliable and environmentally sound manner.
- Two days prior to the typhoon hitting the area we temporarily suspended production. This preparation contributed to the safe evacuation of our employees and drastically reduced the level of damage sustained at our plant. We reopened three days after the typhoon, with the facility sustaining only minor damage.

Product Safety and Stewardship

Our ability to improve lives through the right chemistry can only be achieved when our products are used safely and as directed. FMC has comprehensive programs in place to educate our customers – whether farmers or manufacturers – about appropriate use and interaction with our products. **8**

- We made advances in clarifying product labels and safety data sheets according to GHS and other standards (as described on pages 10-11).
- Since pesticidal products are now available for sale online, we worked with several website owners to add product stewardship information to their websites in order to educate purchasers on the safe use of pesticides.
- We increased our training programs on secure storage of pesticides and proper management of empty pesticide containers in India and Brazil to help increase safety and reduce potential incidents.
- In our lithium business, we incorporated infographics and descriptive imagery into our safety training videos. The videos can now be used worldwide to better understand how to properly store, handle, use and dispose of our products.

A Continual Evolution

Advances in our TH!NK. SAFE. and product stewardship training efforts are helping us to achieve top safety performance as we strive for zero injuries. We continue to provide tools and training to help employees stay safe at work, at home and on the road.

COMMUNITY MEMBERS KNOW THE DRILL

FMC's Agricultural Products plant in Lahore, Pakistan, put safety preparedness into action by inviting local community members to participate in quarterly simulations of an emergency situation. Through these simulated incidents, the community learned about emergency planning and protection procedures and everyone involved became better equipped to manage and lessen the impact of a serious incident.

