



KOCH SUPPLY & TRADING

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### **KOCH SUPPLY & TRADING INCREASES ROTTERDAM REFINERY CAPACITY**

**ROTTERDAM, NETHERLANDS** — Koch Supply & Trading has completed a project that has expanded capacity of its refinery here by more than 20 percent and increased its production capability to allow it to process a flexible blend of crude oil and condensate.

The refinery has recently re-started with the expanded capacity to process 80,000 barrels per day, up from 65,000 barrels per day. The refining facility, built in 1994, produces naphtha, jet fuel and gas oil, as well as residuals.

“With this expansion, we are bringing additional products to European markets,” said Steve Mawer, president of Koch Supply & Trading.

The plant now has the capability to process either condensates or a high proportion of crude oil.

“The plant’s modifications allow us greater processing flexibility and significantly improve the facility’s energy efficiency,” said Jeremy Brown, refinery commercial director.

Located at the Vopak Europoort Terminal, a key hub for refined petroleum products in Europe, a pipeline connection enables direct transfer of jet fuel to major airports such as Amsterdam and Frankfurt.

Koch Supply & Trading, a subsidiary of Koch Industries, Inc., and its companies have extensive operations across all aspects of crude oil, petroleum products, and commodity trading as well as capabilities in risk-management and cross-commodity offerings.

Koch Supply & Trading affiliates Flint Hills Resources and Koch Pipeline Company, L.P. also have significant expansion plans for their refining and pipeline operations. Flint Hills has announced a project to increase its Minnesota crude oil refining capacity by 50,000 barrels per day. Minnesota Pipe Line Company is also planning an expansion of its common-carrier system operated by Koch Pipeline, to transport additional Canadian crude oil to Minneapolis/St. Paul-area refiners.

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