

**News Focus**
**Summary of Slab Polyols Output and Sales over the Past Decade**

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PUdaily, Shanghai-- How has the output and consumption of slab polyols changed in the last decade? How big is the gap between the cost and the price? Is the share of slab polyols in all polyether polyols rising or falling? This article will answer these questions by presenting the production and consumption, as well as cost and price of slab polyols from 2006 to 2016. In 2006, the output of slab polyols in China was about 375,000 tons, meanwhile the consumption was about 410,000 tons. In 2016, the output of slab polyols in China was about 640,000 tons, meanwhile the consumption was about 740,000 tons. From 2006 to 2016, the output of slab polyols increased by about 70%, and the consumption rose by about 80%, with an average annual output and consumption growth of about 6%...[More](#)

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