# Rubber Chemical Consultants Ltd (RCCL) Case Study 42



## **Market Support for Novel Sustainable Filler**

#### Overview

A client required assistance determining the competitive environment and market opportunities for their novel sustainable filler.

## **Objectives**

- Quickly Assess and Understand the Properties and Performance of the Novel Filler
- Determine and Assess the Competitive Landscape
- Analyse Market Opportunities for a Given Geography
- Manage Approach to Key Target Customers in Given Geography

## Scope

- Review, Question and Understand Current Technical Knowledge
- Assess the Competitive Landscape
- > Analyse Market Opportunities
- Manage Approach and Sampling of Target Customers

#### **Actions**

- A full assessment was done on existing technical understanding in a two-way process reviewing technical data and marketing literature
- The competitive landscape for a specific geography was assessed in order to identify opportunities and threats. This provided baseline pricing indicators for specific sectors and applications
- Market opportunities for specific sectors and applications were analysed in detail for the chosen geography
- Potential customers were approached and a sampling roll-out scheme was managed.

#### **Outcome**

The client was provided an enhanced view of the competitive landscape, including prevailing market prices for competitive materials. Customers were approached in the target region and a sampling program was initiated. The client has subsequently taken over management of the program.

