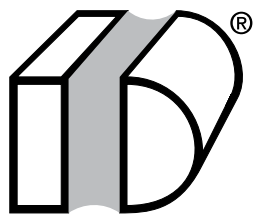




**Sealing and Bonding in
construction related areas
Quality succeeds**



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DR. KLAUS LANGERBEINS
Spokesman Management Board
Management Board Ecology

Innovation today must also include responsibility for the environment we have constructed and for the people who process and use our products. Here we are setting the standard for the future and remain – both nationally and internationally – pioneers in the area of quality sealants and adhesives for the construction industry – as well as with our IVD brand.



DR. EDGAR DRABER
Management Board Technology

Research and development in terms of the user sets us as a brand provider apart from the no-names in the market. This is documented, for example, by the IVD seal of approval on our cartridges and data sheets. Our greatest capital is our users' trust in our quality products and our excellent reputation. Among other things, this must include offering product characteristics in an honest way.



GÜNTER KROHN
Management Board Innovations/
New applications

Innovative developments in business have an ongoing impact on market behaviour and the chances in the competition for customers. In particular the new generation of hybrid sealants and adhesives – in addition to the proven technologies – plays an essential role and is going to open up new applications on a permanent basis.



MICHAEL REIB
Management Board Marketing/Sales

The IVD member companies - compounders and raw material manufacturers - focus on quality as a matter of conviction and thereby set the standard for the market. Innovation, competence and an orientation towards the future shape our services. Trust in "the IVD brand" is clearly very important for the user, the decision maker and the planner.

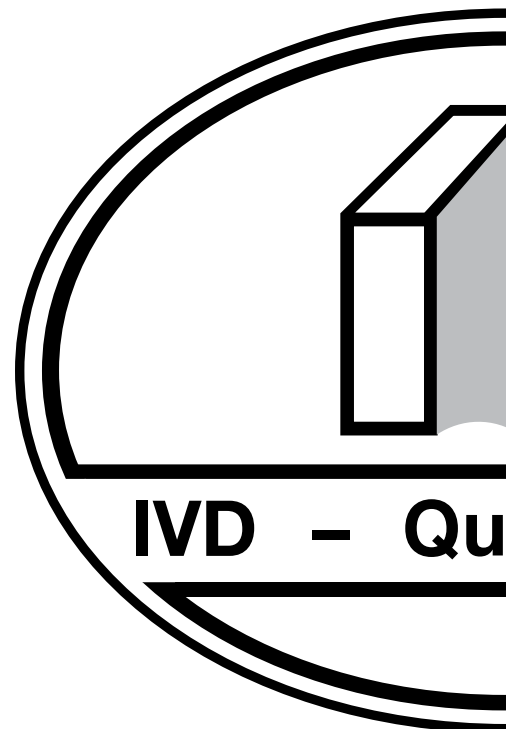
IVD – quality is

The IVD members are committed to manufacturing quality sealants or raw materials for quality sealants and adhesives.

Responsible action is the guideline for all activities.

The members guarantee the following:

- A future-oriented approach to research, development and application technology according to specific product requirements (state of the art, relevant standards and regulations).
- Clear and true presentation



our guideline

of the product characteristics and applications (application recommendations).

- **Strict compliance with legal provisions and association resolutions according to the by-laws.**

- **Quality assurance for raw materials, production and finished products including a strict final check before dispatch.**

Each member company confirms that the personnel, organisational and technical prerequisites exist to meet these standards.



LOUIS SCHNABL
IVD General Manager

The IVD unites market relevant sealant and adhesives manufacturers for the construction sector active in Germany and adjacent European countries to form the IVD quality community. This also includes raw material manufacturers of quality sealants.

"Technology, quality and innovation" are a matter of course to our member companies. As a representative of the interests of its members, IVD sets itself apart from other associations by regarding itself as a communication association – with absolute proximity to current practice.

Our association provides answers to questions raised by the market faster than others, successfully forms opinions in the media, and, in the age of communication, effectively makes the interests of its members known to the expert audience. Particularly and also concerning our website www.abdichten.de, the platform with regard to all topics that may arise in the field of sealing and bonding.

Technical publications such as the "Practical Sealant Manual" ("Praxis-handbuch Dichtstoffe") or the now more than 30 published IVD instruction leaflets that codify the standard in the market are a consistent expression of this practice-oriented communication. Whether in trade journals or on the internet, whether in expert meetings or at training events - IVD is the opinion maker on the market.



OUR ASSOCIATION

- The Accomplishments of our Member Companies
- Manufacture of quality sealants and adhesives
- Research, development, innovation
- A standard for environmental competence
- Technical and scholarly representation of interests
- Cooperation in national and international standards bodies
- Documentation and monitoring of the production standard
- Training, seminars, practical experience
- Technical publications
- Digital data systems for users
- Press and PR work

IVD – Mission Statement

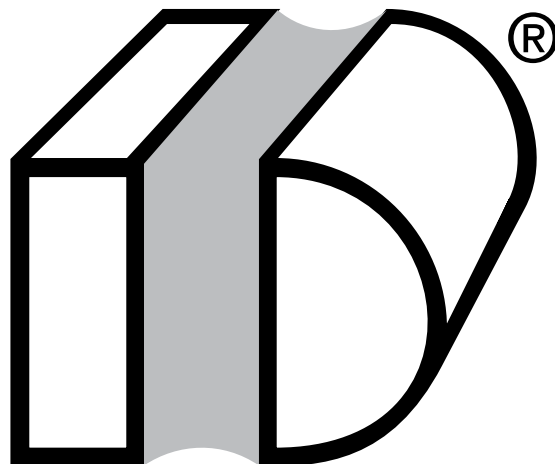
1. IVD is a synonym for quality.
2. Intelligent, safe products and systems for sealing and bonding in the construction industry provide the quality basis.
3. IVD is the technology and communication platform for its applications. We are the opinion leaders. We set the standards.
4. A high level of innovative power, personal service and comprehensive technical advice for our member companies are the pillars of this competence, concentrated at the IVD.
5. IVD therefore means a transfer of know-how from theory to practice.
6. We regularly and openly inform you about our objectives and our actions. Quality communication is the core competence of IVD.

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