Description: The global dimethyl ether market size in terms of volume is estimated to be 3,740.46 KT in 2014, registering a CAGR of 15.67% in between 2015 and 2020.

Dimethyl ether (DME), also known as methoxy methane, is a colorless and odorless gas. It has low boiling point and is generated from various raw materials such as natural gas, methanol, coal, and biomass. DME is a substitute of energy fuels, as it has no sulfur content. It has a variety of applications in numerous segments. It is used in the chemical and petrochemical industries as a solvent.

Asia-Pacific is the largest market of DME, registering a significant share of 95.66% of the total market in 2014. The market patterns of DME and its various raw materials used for manufacturing are continuously witnessing an upward trend which is mainly due to the increase in the usage of DME in various applications such as LPG blending, aerosol propellant, transportation fuel and other applications. China is the leading country in Asia-Pacific and across the globe in terms of volume and value.

This study on DME market estimates the market and market share in terms of volume and value for DME and projects the same by 2020. As a part of quantitative analysis, the study segments consists the market by raw material and applications at country level with the current market estimation and forecast till 2020. The countries included in the report are China, Japan, South Korea, Indonesia, Germany, Egypt, The Netherlands, Sweden, the U.S., Trinidad & Tobago, and Russia.

The segmentation by raw materials includes coal, methanol, natural gas, and bio-based feedstock. Further, as a part of qualitative analysis, the research provides a comprehensive review of major market drivers, restraints, opportunities, winning imperatives, challenges, and key issues in the market.

It also includes the company profiling and competitive strategies adopted by various market players, including Akzo Nobel N.V. (The Netherlands), Royal Dutch Shell Plc. (The Netherlands), The Chemours Company (U.S.), China Energy Limited (Singapore), Mitsubishi Corporation (Japan), Ferrostal GmbH (Germany), Grillo Werke AG (Germany), Jiutai Energy Group (China), Oberon fuels (U.S.), and Zagros Petrochemical Company( Iran).

Scope of the report:
- This research report categorizes the global market for DME on the basis of raw materials, applications and geography; forecast volume and value and analyzing trends in each of the submarkets.

On the basis of raw materials:
- The DME market is segmented on the basis of raw materials such as coal, methanol, natural gas and bio-based feedstock. Each raw material is further described in detail in the report with volumes and revenues forecasted for each raw material.

On the basis of applications:
- The DME market is segmented on the basis of applications such as LPG blending, aerosol propellant, transportation fuel, and others. Each application is further described in detail in the report with volume and value forecast for each application.

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