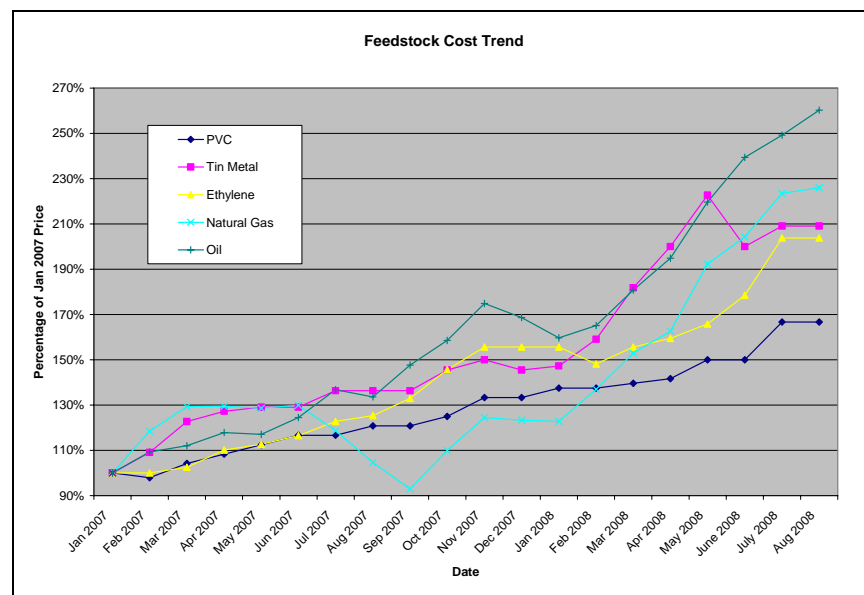


July 14, 2008

To Our Valued Customers:

Tyco Fire Suppression & Building Products has received notice from our supplier, Lubrizol, that they are increasing our costs for the BlazeMaster® resin used to produce CPVC pipe and fittings. Lubrizol cites unprecedented increases in the cost of crude oil and natural gas, which have significantly increased their energy and raw material costs, as the reason for this increase.

The chart below shows the cost increase for some of the key raw materials used to produce CPVC resin. PVC prices are 29% higher since the beginning of 2008, while ethylene, oil and natural gas are up 48%, 100% and 103% respectively.



As a result, it is necessary that we increase the price of our CPVC products. Effective September 1, 2008, Tyco Fire Suppression & Building Products will increase the current List Prices for its BlazeMaster CPVC Pipe and Fittings by 9%.

To lessen the cost impact to your businesses we are providing 50 days notice before raising list prices. The new List Prices will be effective for orders placed on or after September 1, 2008. The updated price list will be available on [www.tyco-fire.com](http://www.tyco-fire.com) no later than August 1, 2008.

Tyco Fire Suppression & Building Products is committed to providing you industry leading fire protection products. Thank you for your support, and we look forward to being of continued service to you.

Sincerely,

Darren Palmieri  
Product Manager, Residential Fire Protection