

Name of Business operator	Postal address	Expressed specific interest in the following food additive(s)	Interest expressed in submitting the following data
Evonik Operations GmbH	Rodenbacher Chaussee 4 63457 Hanau-Wolfgang	Sodium aluminium silicate (E 554)	Safety evaluation strategy and corresponding testing strategy Technical data Scientific data
BASF SE	G-ENH/MR, J660, 4. OG, 0403E Carl-Bosch-Straße 38 67056 Ludwigshafen am Rhein Germany	Sodium aluminium silicate (E 554)	Technical data : * Information related to the identity and specifications for sodium aluminium silicate (E 554) * Data on uses/use levels of the food additive sodium aluminium silicate (E 554) for uses in accordance with Annex III, Section A of Part 5 of Regulation (EC) No 1333/2008
Food Supplements Europe	Rue de l'Association 50, 1000 Brussels Belgium	Sodium aluminium silicate (E 554)	Technical data: Data on uses/use levels of the food additive sodium aluminium silicate (E 554) for uses in accordance with Annex III, Section A of Part 5 of Regulation (EC) No 1333/2008

Outcome of Step 1:

Three business operators sent a reply to the step 1 of the call for scientific and technical data on the permitted food additive sodium aluminium silicate (E 554).

One business operator explicitly expressed its interest in submitting the requested data regarding the safety evaluation strategy and corresponding testing strategy and scientific data.

All three business operators explicitly expressed their interest in submitting the requested technical data.