



## PRAXAIR NEWS RELEASE

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### **PRAXAIR DECLARES DIVIDEND IN THIRD QUARTER 2013**

DANBURY, Conn., July 24, 2013 -- The board of directors of Praxair, Inc. (NYSE: PX) has declared a quarterly dividend of 60 cents per share, unchanged from the previous quarter. The dividend is payable on September 16, 2013 to shareholders of record on September 6, 2013.

#### **>> About Praxair**

Praxair, Inc. is the largest industrial gases company in North and South America, and one of the largest worldwide, with 2012 sales of \$11 billion. The company produces, sells and distributes atmospheric, process and specialty gases, and high-performance surface coatings. Praxair products, services and technologies are making our planet more productive by bringing efficiency and environmental benefits to a wide variety of industries, including aerospace, chemicals, food and beverage, electronics, energy, healthcare, manufacturing, metals and others. More information about Praxair, Inc. is available at [www.praxair.com](http://www.praxair.com).