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ATTENTION: International Research, Sales, Trading and Operations Staff

CASH DISTRIBUTION

Syngenta AG

Country: Switzerland
Symbol: SYT
CUSIP Number: 87160A100
Exchange: NYSE
Ratio: 5 ADRs: 1 ORDINARY SHARE

As advised in our letter dated February 14, 2006, Syngenta had a distribution of put options in Switzerland. The Bank of New York has sold the Syngenta Put Options in the Swiss market and has established the following cash distribution to ADR holders who elected to receive cash instead of put options:

ADR Record Date:	February 21, 2006
ADR Payable Date:	April 4, 2006
Net Rate payable per ADS:	\$0.25564

Should you have any questions regarding this cash distribution, please feel free to contact:

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