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SUBJECT: Vinyl Chloride Study

The March 13, 1972 letter from MCA indicates that 13 companies have indicated a willingness to support the proposed study extending Viola's work. Volumes for these companies (11/19/71) report are indicated below:

<u>Company</u>	<u>Vinyl chloride Monomer</u>	<u>Poly- vinyl Chloride</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Air Products	---	170	170	1.9
Allied	300	140	440	4.9
Borden	---	240	240	2.7
Continental	600	155	755	8.4
Dow	1,200	---	1,220	13.6
Goodrich	1,000	600	1,600	17.8
Monochem	300	---	300	5.3
Olin	---	150	150	1.7
PPG	800	---	800	8.5
Stauffer	---	150	150	1.7
Union Carbide	---	350	350	3.9
Uniroyal	---	135	135	1.5
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If we were to go ahead with the full study with the present group, cost would be increased by the factor 100. This would not seem to

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be an undue increase. We will have to avoid any pressure to have the acetylene-based manufacturers pick up the tab for including it in the study.

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