DOW CHEMICAL CO /DE/ Form 424B2 November 17, 2008

CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

| | Maximum Aggregate | | | | | |
|--|----------------------|-------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Title of Each Class of Securities Offered | Offering Price | Amount of Registration Fee(1) | | | | |
| 7.125% Dow InterNotes [®] due November 15, 2013 | \$27,163,000 | \$1,067.51 | | | | |
| 7.625% Dow InterNotes [®] due November 15, 2015 | \$4,669,000 | \$183.49 | | | | |
| 8.125% Dow InterNotes [®] due November 15, 2018 | \$16,208,000 | \$636.97 | | | | |
| TOTAL | \$48,040,000 | \$1,887.97 | | | | |

(1) The filing fee of \$1,887.97 is calculated in accordance with Rule 457(r) under the Securities Act of 1933

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Pricing Supplement No. 45 dated November 17, 2008 (To: Prospectus Dated February 23, 2007 and Prospectus Supplement Dated October 29, 2008)

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| CUSIP | Principal | Selling | Gross | | Coupon | Coupon | Maturity | 1st Coupon | Coupon | Survivor | s Product |
| Number | Amount | Price | Concession | Net Proceeds | Rate | Frequency | Date | Date | Amount | Option | Ranking |
| 26054LFQ1 | \$27,163,000 | 100.000% | 1.000% | \$26,891,370 | 7.125% | SEMI- | 11/15/2013 | 5/15/2009 | \$34.64 | YES | Senior |
| | | | | | | ANNUAL | | | | | Unsecured |
| | | | | | | | | | | | Notes |

Redemption Information: Callable at 100.000% on 11/15/2009 and every coupon date thereafter

Joint Lead Managers and Lead Agents: Banc of America Securities LLC, InCapital LLC Agents: Charles Schwab & Co. Inc.,

Citigroup Global Markets Inc., Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith Incorporated, Morgan Stanley & Co. Incorporated, UBS Securities LLC, Wachovia Securities LLC

The Dow Chemical Company InterNotes will be subject to redemption at the option of The Dow Chemical Company, in whole on the Interest Payment Date occurring any time on or after 11/15/2009 at a redemption price equal to 100% of the principal amount of The Dow Chemical Company InterNotes, plus accrued interest thereon, if any, upon at least 30 days prior notice to the Noteholder and the Trustee, as described in the Prospectus.

| 26054LFR9 | \$ | 4,669,000 | 100.000% | 1.200% | \$ 4,612,972 | 7.625% | SEMI- | 11/15/2015 | 5/15/2009 | \$37.07 | YES | Senior |
|-----------|----|-----------|----------|--------|-----------------|--------|--------|------------|-----------|---------|-----|-----------|
| | | | | | | | ANNUAL | | | | | Unsecured |
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| 20034LI 37 | \$ 10,208,000 | 100.000 // | 1.500 /0 | \$ 15,904,880 | 0.12570 | SEMI- | 11/15/2018 | 5/15/2009 | \$39.50 | I LO | Semor |
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| Redemption I | nformation: Ca | llable at 100. | 000% on 11/1 | 5/2009 and eve | rv coupon | date thereaf | ter | | | | |

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 Trade Date: Monday, November 17, 2008 @ 12:00 PM ET
 The Dow Chemical Company

 Settle Date: Thursday, November 20, 2008
 The Dow Chemical Company InterNotes

 The Dow Chemical Company
 Minimum Denomination/Increments: \$1,000/\$1,000

 All trades settle flat and clear SDFS: DTC Book-Entry Only
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