

Fact Sheet

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WYANDOTTE, MICHIGAN

Address: 1609 Biddle Avenue, Wyandotte, Michigan 48192

Start of Production: Purchased by BASF in 1969

Location: Wyandotte is within 10 miles of all major freeways; 15 miles from Detroit International Airport.

General Manager: Gregory Pflum

Number of Operations: Seven production facilities; Urethane Application Center; Polymer Application Center; Analytical North America; Chemical Engineering Research; Engineering Hub; Procurement Hub; EHS Hub; Customer Care Center; Research and Development Center; Research Engineering Services; Infinergy® (e-TPU); Steam Plant; 3D Printing Lab; Custom Catalyst Plant

Number of Employees: 1,388 (1,196 BASF employees, 192 contractors)

Products/Uses:

- Polyurethanes: Instrument panels, dashboards, truck bed liners, load floors, carpet padding, seat cushions, insulation, footwear, sports equipment, flooring/sports flooring
- Cellasto Microcellular Polyurethanes: jounce bumpers and coil spring isolators to reduce vibration and "bottoming out" in automobiles
- Engineering Plastics: Air intake manifolds, oil pans, electrical connectors, headlight and mirror housings, housings for electronic components
- Thermoplastic Urethanes: Ski boots, in-line skates, industrial tubing, railway pads
- Wyandotte Resins: Packaging, Printing, Surface Coatings
- Custom Catalysts: Food industry, home care products, pharmaceuticals, oil & gas

Community Relations:

Supporting many local charities and non-profit organizations, the site is an active participant in Life Remodeled, United Way, International Wildlife Refuge Alliance, Rotary, Southern Wayne County Regional Chamber of Commerce, and the Michigan Chemistry Council. The site has also received the Southern Wayne County "Quality of Life Image Award," Henry Ford Wyandotte Hospital "Lifetime Achievement Award," and the Downriver Council for the Arts "Salute to Excellence Award." Environmental remediation of Fighting Island has received numerous awards and Gold Certification by the Wildlife Habitat Council.

Economic Impact: *Year-end 2018 data

- Annual payroll in excess of \$106M*
- Largest taxpayer in Wyandotte – more than \$1.644 million in property tax*
- Capital investment in excess of \$63M for 2018*
- Over \$65 million in contractor and service spending*
- 390 contractor and service providers*


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