**Fact Sheet**

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**Elyria, Ohio**

**Address:** 120 Pine Street, Elyria, Ohio 44035-5228

**Start of Production:** 1898

**Location:**
- Located within the Elyria city limits, less than one mile from downtown Elyria and approximately 30 miles west of Cleveland
- The East Branch of the Black River provides a boundary to the east, north and west of the site. The City of Elyria business district borders the south side of the site.

**Site Director:** Kathy Milstid Fisette

**Number of Employees:** 144

**Product/Uses:**
The site produces consistently high-quality custom and proprietary catalysts.

- The Elyria site produces a wide variety of base-metal catalysts, both Custom and Proprietary. Primary constituents include alumina, copper, chromium and nickel. Limited amounts of precious-metal catalysts are also produced at the site.
- Custom catalysts are developed by third-party chemical producers, whose catalyst production is outsourced to BASF on a confidential and exclusive basis.
- Proprietary catalysts are those developed and/or owned by BASF
- Most of the catalysts manufactured in Elyria are used in intermediate Petrochemical and Oleochemical processing.

**Community Relations:**
The Elyria site maintains its relationship as a good corporate citizen within the community by meeting with community leaders and supporting local programs.

**Economic Impact:** *2021 Year end data

- Annual Payroll: $16,977k *
- Property Taxes: $47.2k *
- Capital Investment: $1,421k *

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