

# Fact Sheet

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## WYANDOTTE, MICHIGAN

**Address:** 1609 Biddle Avenue Wyandotte, Michigan 48192

**Start of Production:** Purchased from former owners in 1969

### Location:

Within three miles of all major freeways, I-75, I-94, I-96, I-275; ten miles from Detroit International Airport

**General Manager:** J.D. Purvis

### Number of Plants:

Five production facilities; Urethane Application Center; Polymer Application Center; Analytical Chemistry-Chemical Engineering; HR Hub; Engineering Hub; Procurement Hub; EHS Hub; Customer Care Center; Research and Development Center

**Number of Employees:** 1000 (880 BASF employees, 120 contractors)

### Products/Uses:

- Polyurethanes: Instrument panels, dashboards, carpet padding, seat cushions, insulation
- Jounce Bumpers: Reduce vibration and "bottoming out" in automobiles
- Specialty Plastics: Intake manifolds, electrical connections, headlight and mirror housings
- Thermo Plastic Urethanes: Ski boots, in-line skates, industrial tubing
- Joncryl Products: Packaging, Printing, Surface Coatings

### Community Relations:

Supporting many local charities and non-profit organizations, the site is an active participant in the United Way Campaign, and member of the Wyandotte Business Association and Chamber of Commerce. 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.

### Economic Impact:

- Annual payroll in excess of \$100M
- Largest taxpayer in Wyandotte
- Capital investment in excess of \$300M in last 3 years

\*Year-end 2009 data