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## **Crane ChemPharma & Energy Announces New Saunders Valves Facility to open in Cwmbran, UK in 2022**

CWMBRAN, UK (Dec 6, 2021) – Crane ChemPharma & Energy, a business of Crane Co announced a groundbreaking of its new Saunders factory in Cwmbran, UK. The event provided a preview of the new plant capabilities that will be completely dedicated to its Saunders products. The new building will enable significant lead-time advances and manufacturing excellence that reflects Crane Saunders' commitment to Solving Customers' Toughest Challenges.



The new 100,000 sq ft facility which is planned to open in the fall of 2022, will manufacture Saunders<sup>®</sup>HC4 and Saunders<sup>®</sup>IDV ranges of aseptic and industrial diaphragm valves and related products and continue to meet the most stringent quality and product approvals. The world class facility will feature in house manufacturing of

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more core processes, high quality orbital welding and new levels of manufacturing automation. In addition, it will create new standards for safe and energizing office environments and include a number of energy-saving initiatives to support Sustainability.

*“Crane has maintained operations in Cwmbran since its inception in 1939 and it’s important to us that we continue to invest in the community and increase the ways in which we provide local and global support,”* said Rodrigo De Moraes, VP/GM Saunders – Crane ChemPharma & Energy. *“The new facility located next to the legacy buildings will reflect digital transformation trends and Saunders drive towards fully automated manufacturing, ensuring our products maintain the quality Saunders brand is known for.”*



Additional photos and videos will be available on Crane’s CP&E LinkedIn page to reflect the construction progress. For more information on Crane ChemPharma & Energy, please visit [www.cranecpe.com](http://www.cranecpe.com).

#### **About Crane ChemPharma & Energy**

Crane ChemPharma & Energy (within Crane Co.’s Fluid Handling segment) designs and manufactures a variety of high performance products including: highly engineered check valves, sleeved plug valves, lined valves, process ball valves, high performance butterfly valves, bellows sealed globe valves, aseptic and industrial diaphragm valves, multi/quarter-turn valves, instrumentation and sampling, actuation and controls, sight glasses, lined pipe, fittings and hoses, and air operated diaphragm and peristaltic pumps. Its trusted brands (in alphabetical order) ALOYCO®, CENTER LINE®, COMPAC-NOZ®, CRANE®, DEPA®, DOPAK®, DUO-CHEK®, ELRO®, FLOWSEAL®, GO REGULATOR®, GYROLOK®, HOKE®, JENKINS®, KROMBACH®, NOZ-CHEK®, PACIFIC VALVES®, RESISTOFLEX®, REVO®, SAUNDERS®, STOCKHAM®, TEXAS SAMPLING™, UNI-CHEK®, WESTLCCCK CONTROLS®, WTA® and XOMOX® offer customers a complete and innovative product portfolio designed for the most demanding corrosive, erosive, and high purity applications. Among the industries served are the chemical processing, biotechnology, pharmaceutical, oil & gas, refining, and power generation. For more information, visit [www.cranecpe.com](http://www.cranecpe.com).

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