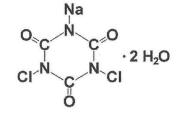
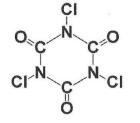
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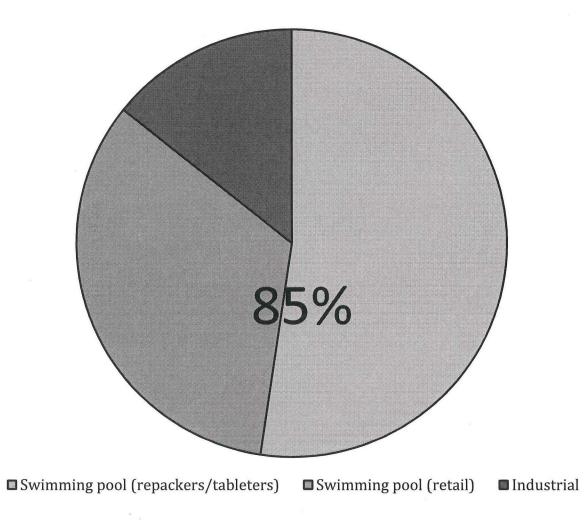


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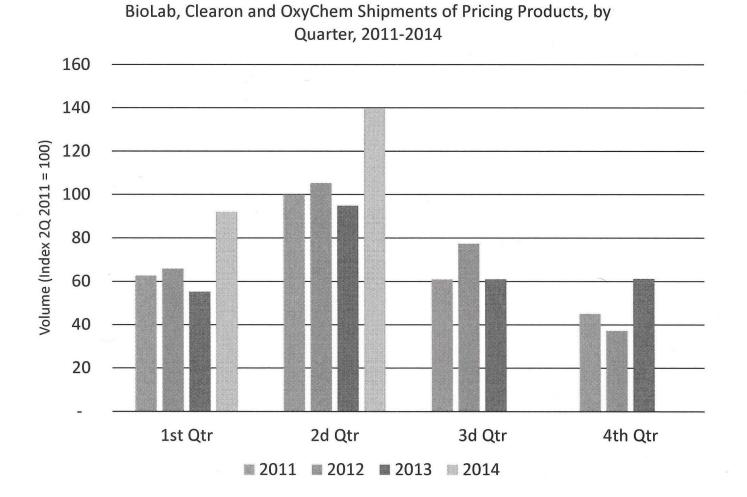
Trichloroisocyanuric acid

#### Swimming Pools Account for about 85% of the Market



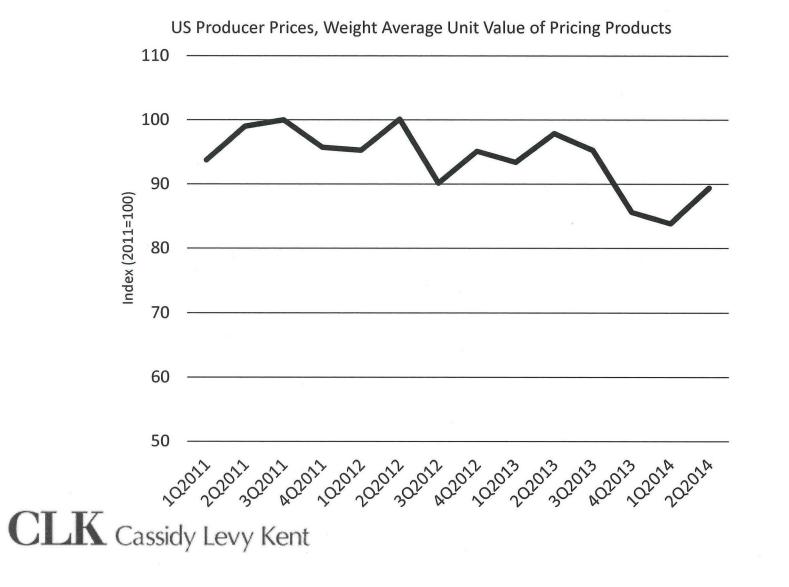
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The Isos Market is Seasonal



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# Domestic producer prices Have Dropped Since the First Quarter 2011



# OxyChem announced a price increase in July 2014 – the first time since 2011

Chlorinated Isocyanurates (ACL) – July 31, 2014 Price Increase Talking Points

Price Increase to be Effective July 31, 2014

- A. **Positive rulings** in anti-dumping and countervailing cases against the Chinese and Japanese. This in turn is increasing domestic demand.
- B. Raw material cost increases
  - a. **Urea pricing** continues to be volatile with the Ag and DEF (diesel) markets.
- C. Transportation, Warehousing & Packaging cost increases
  - a. **Transportation**: Rates are up dramatically due to lack of drivers and competition for shipping lanes.
  - b. Warehousing: Storage costs have trended upward with improved US economic conditions. (Class II and III warehousing continues to be difficult to obtain on ACL<sup>®</sup> 56 and ACL<sup>®</sup> 60.)
  - c. **Packaging:** Pricing continues to escalate for high density poly ethylene (HDPE) pails and lids

#### **D. ACL Business Profitability**

- a. The profitability of the ACL business continues to be severely challenged in the face of higher raw materials, transportation, warehousing and packaging costs.
- b. The attached price increase will be the first announced by OxyChem's ACL business since July 2011.

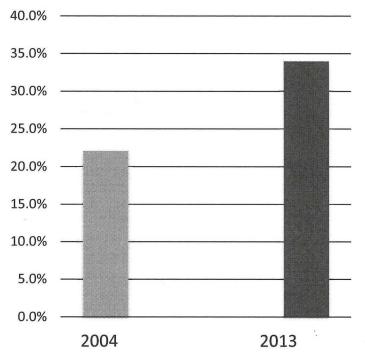
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### Subject Imports' Market Share in 2012 Is Significantly Higher than All Imports Share in 2004

All Isos imports

Isos from China

and Japan



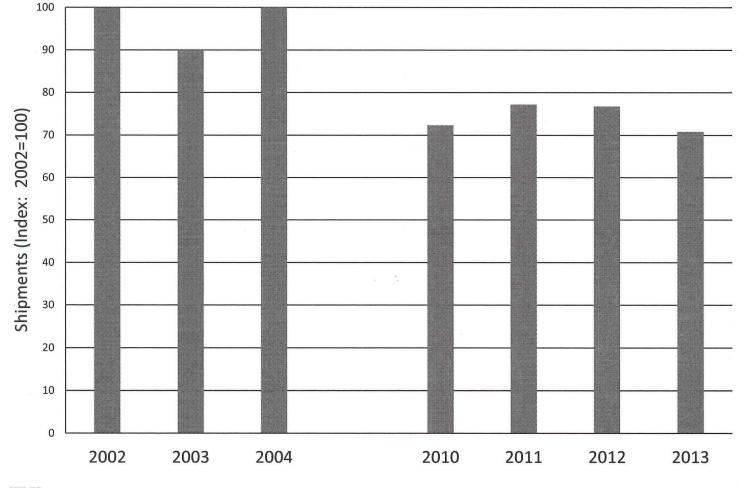
**Isos Import Market Share** 

Source: USITC Pub. 3782, Census and petitioner data

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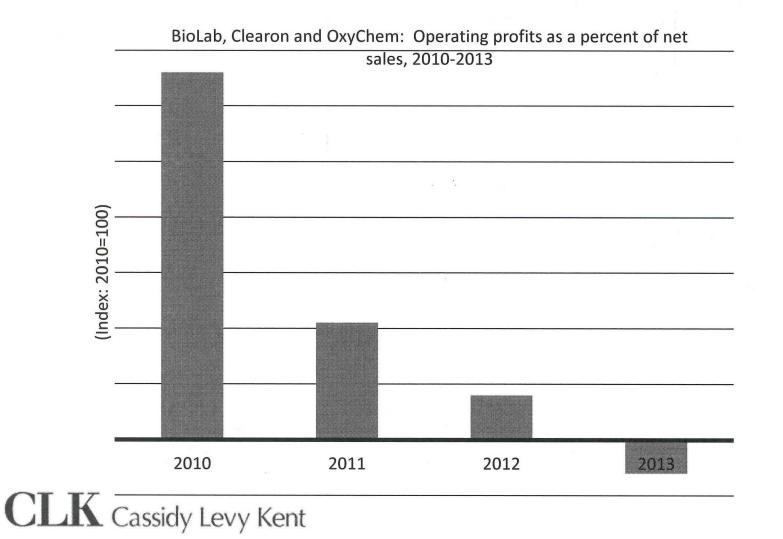
# Since the 2005 investigation, U.S. producers' shipments have declined

BioLab, Clearon and OxyChem: Commercial Shipments, 2002-2013

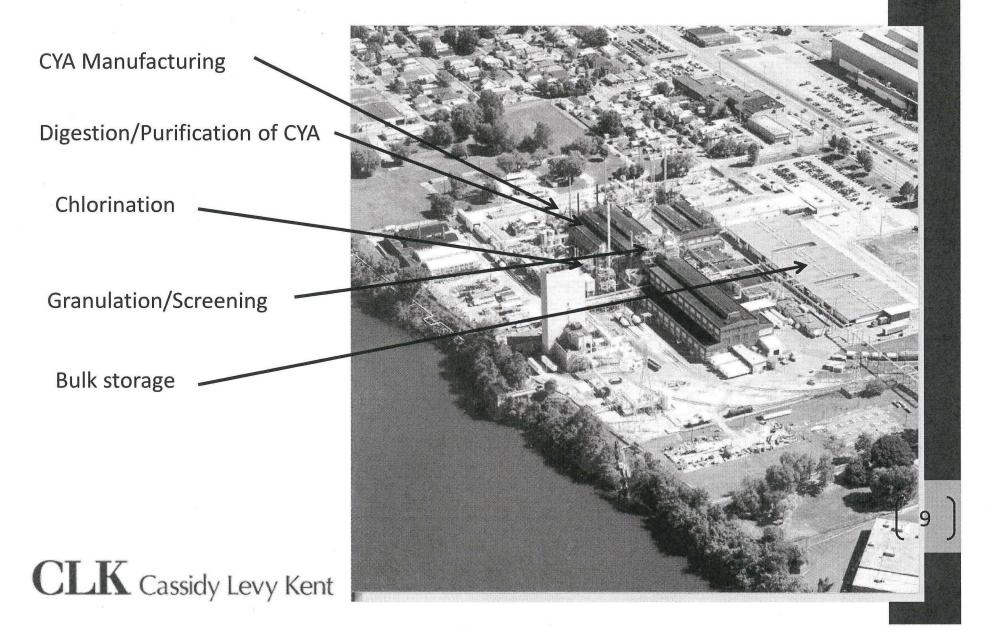


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# As import market share increased and prices fell, U.S. Producers' profits disappeared



### Aerial View of Manufacturing Plant



Clearon Tableting and Packaging Facility

The bottom floor is a finished goods warehouse.







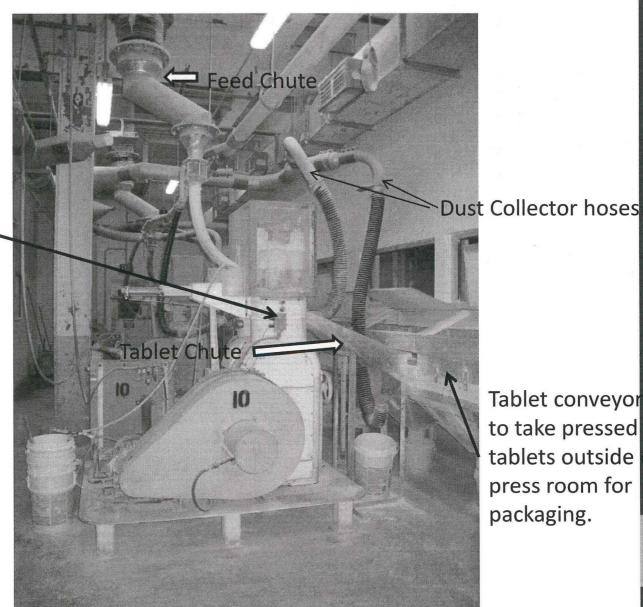
Rotary Calciner used to convert urea into crude CYA



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#### **Tablet Press**

The inside of a press room. It is enclosed for dust control.



Tablet conveyor to take pressed tablets outside press room for packaging.

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# Chlorination area for both DCCA and TCCA

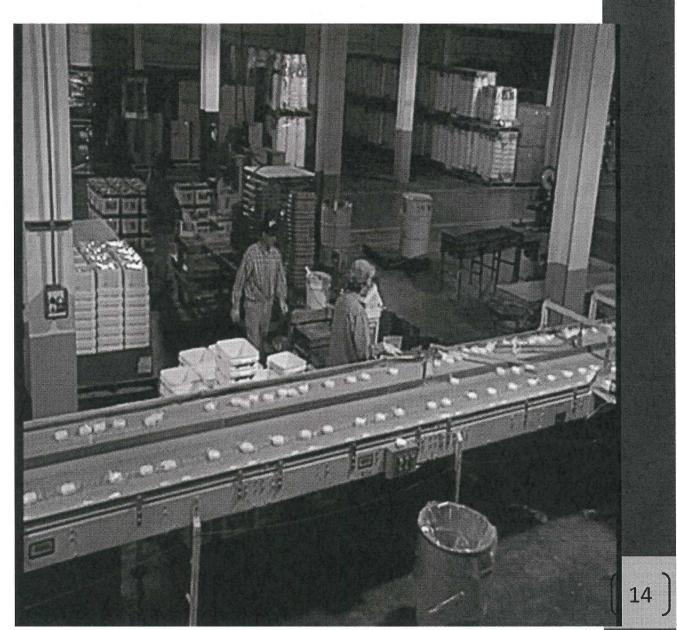


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Tablets are conveyed to different stations for packaging

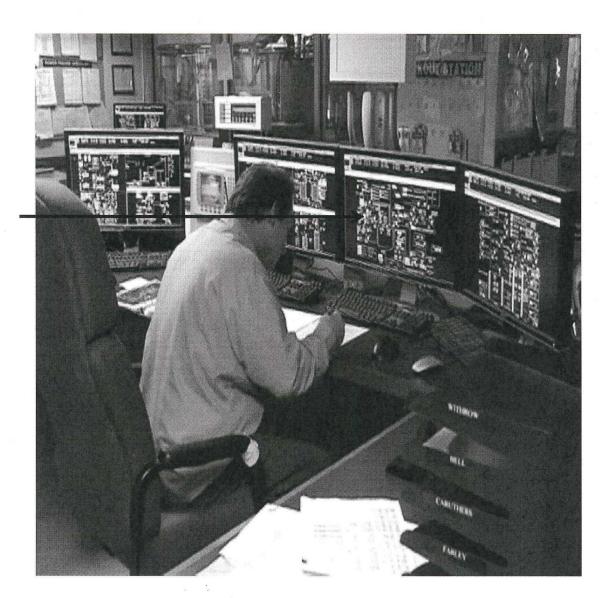
Five presses feed out onto this 3" tablet conveyor. From this conveyor there will be various stations set up to load the tablets into the proper finished goods containers.







This is the central control room for the manufacturing plant. It is a distributive control system (DCS).



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Individually wrapped 3-inch TCCA tablets are fed into 25-lb. pails

