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## HEAD OFFICE

Solaize, France

## ACTIVITIES

Axel'One is a unique collaborative innovation platform in France. Dedicated to the chemical and environmental sector, it aims to give a fresh impetus to the way of addressing research around two areas of excellence: innovative materials and processes. Axel'One provides VSEs, SMEs and collaborative projects with a service offer including 3 complementary levels:

- 1. Accommodation and other services geared to the chemical and environmental sector:** leasing of laboratories and technology spaces for chemical experiments, access to shared tools, a working environment designed to promote collaborative working practices.
- 2. Day-to-day support services:** Health & Security Management, Logistics & Maintenance, Project Management Assistance for moving into the platform, Information Systems.
- 3. A network of partners to give R&D projects the means to succeed:** 4 competitiveness clusters to support setting up and structuring collaborative projects; 15 founding and active members, sharing their networks and skills; a powerful network of partners, through the association's partners and development stakeholders and through public research and scientific excellence centers.

## AXEL'ONE IN LYON VALLÉE DE LA CHIMIE

Located in the Vallée de la Chimie, in Lyon's industrial heartland, the 2 platforms Axel'One PPI and Axel'One PMI already house innovation spaces on a pre-industrial scale:

**The Innovative Processes platform (PPI)** based in Solaize opened in January 2013. Next to the IFP Énergies Nouvelles research center, it provides tools and skills around the processes of tomorrow, including the 4 innovation spaces:

- 1) Industrial catalysis.
- 2) Process engineering.
- 3) Industrial analysis.
- 4) Process simulation.

**The Innovative Materials platform (PMI)** based in St-Fons opened in July 2014. Next to the Solvay research and innovation center, it is developing 4 innovation spaces together with its partners focusing on polymer and composite materials and flexible substrates:

- 1) Polymer processing.
- 2) Characterization of materials.
- 3) Material modeling.
- 4) Industrial analysis.

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