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Olin Brass – Brass Mill  
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In July 1892, Franklin W. Olin founded the Equitable Powder Company on 300 acres in East Alton, Illinois, the same site where 20 years later, he would build the brass mill that remains the centerpiece of Olin Brass today.

Olin Brass is the leading manufacturer of copper alloy sheet and strip fabricated components in North America. Olin Brass' products are used in five primary end markets: building and housing, munitions, automotive, coinage, and electronics/electrical components.

Olin Brass – Brass Mill signed up for the ENERGY STAR Challenge for Industry in April 2011 with 2010 as the baseline period.

The Olin Brass Energy Team, created in 2011, has implemented and continues to develop projects that help limit energy consumption, including collaboration with Ameren Illinois Act on Energy, a local program established by a Missouri based energy company, Ameren Corporation. Olin Brass is an ENERGY STAR Partner, which helps the company to continually innovate and stay on the leading edge of new energy technologies.

In December 2014, the Olin Brass Energy Team was recognized by Ameren Illinois for its efforts to reduce energy consumption.

Olin Brass – Brass Mill located in East Alton, Illinois, achieved the ENERGY STAR Challenge for Industry in 2014. Olin Brass met the Challenge in 4 years with a 13.2% reduction in energy intensity, and is actively working to reduce their energy intensity by 15% within 5 years.

The 11 member Energy Team includes volunteer representatives from all areas of the plant, including Accounting, Engineering, Maintenance and Production. Through Olin Brass' dedicated workforce, several projects like lighting, motors, compressed air, and steam were completed.

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