Novartis Company History [1]

Novartis was created in 1996 through a merger of Ciba-Geigy and Sandoz. Novartis and its predecessor companies trace roots back more than 250 years, with a rich history of developing innovative products. From beginnings in the production of synthetic fabric dyes, the companies that eventually became Novartis branched out into producing chemicals and ultimately pharmaceuticals.

The history of Novartis traces the converging destinies of three companies: Geigy, a chemicals and dyes trading company founded in Basel, Switzerland in the middle of the 18th century; Ciba, which began producing dyes in 1859; and Sandoz, a chemical company founded in Basel in 1886.

These companies shared a common trait which lives on at Novartis: a passion for developing and marketing new products that contribute to human progress through advances in science and health. Building on this heritage, today Novartis focuses its innovation prowess on addressing the unmet needs of patients worldwide.

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About Novartis in Egypt

In Egypt, Novartis has been present for more than 52 years. Novartis Technical Operations, Cairo site manufactures for Pharma, Sandoz locally and provides additional capacity within Novartis’ global manufacturing and supply network (export business). The manufacturing plant is situated in Al-Amiria District, Cairo. Total site size is 80’000 Sq m including all the necessary infrastructure.

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