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A process is described for producing a synthetic hydrocarbon especially useful as a base for high performance motor oils. The material is an alpha-olefin monomer having a uniquely selective product distribution emphasizing tetramers and pentamers. This distribution is achieved by using a catalyst comprising boron trifluoride and a long, straight-chain alcohol promoter, such as 1-hexanol.

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