

## KONUS #1, 2 & 3

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## System Information

System Volume: 120000 ltr

Bulk Operating Temp: 446F / 230C

Heating Source:

Blanket:

Fluid: PETRO CANADA PETRO-THERM

Make: KONUS

### Sample Information

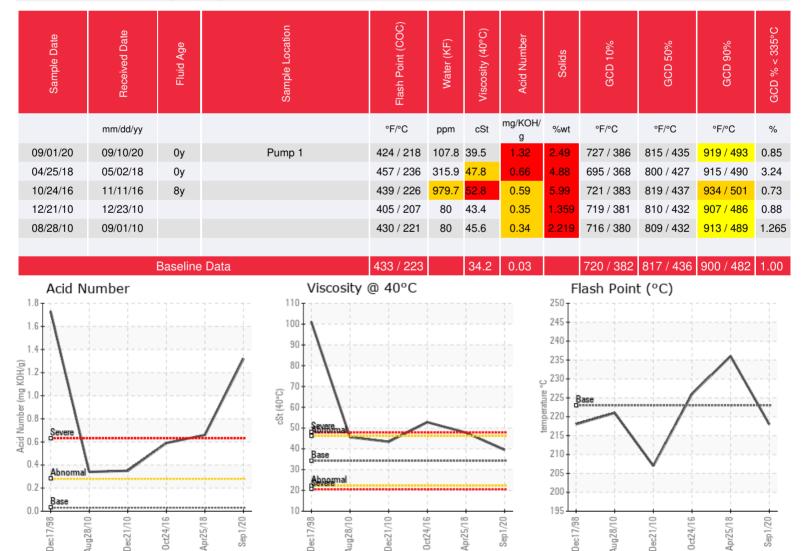
Lab No: 02374997 Analyst: Ray Rolston Sample Date: 09/01/20 Received Date: 09/10/20 Completed: 09/15/20

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Recommendation: Sep 1, 2020 sample has 62 ppm iron wear; last 2 samples were 57 ppm. This may be a result of pump wear or corrosion. Initial Boiling Point of 288 deg C is low suggesting that some thermal cracking has occurred, though balance of distillation range is okay. Acid Number (AN) has doubled from 0.66 in Apr 2018 to 1.32 mgKOH/g which is beyond our condemning guideline of 0.6. Pentane Insolubles (solids) value of 2.49% also exceeds our condemning guideline of 0.5%.Based on the high AN and solids content, Petro-Canada recommends that the system be drained, flushed, cleaned and recharged with fresh fluid.

Comments: Pentane Insolubles levels are severely high. Acid Number (AN) is severely high. Calcium ppm levels are abnormally high. (GCD) 90% Distillation Point is marginally high.

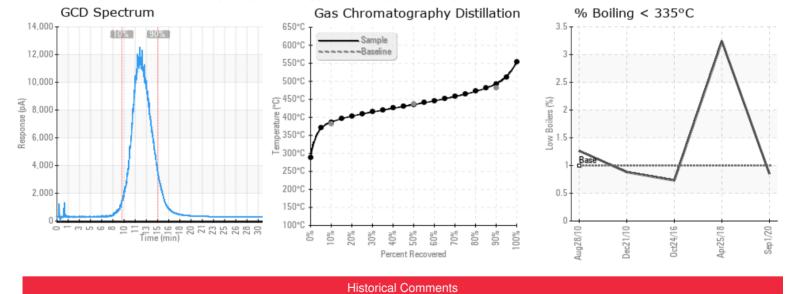




Elemental analysis results (above) in parts per million (ppm). [10,000 ppm = 1.0%]

04/25/18

08/28/10



# Iron wear has remained at 57 ppm, while other wear metals are at low levels. The presence of additive metals sodium and calcium are unexpected, but their concentration has dropped since the last sample in October 2016. The oil's viscosity and Gas Chromatography Distillation (GCD) results have also improved since the last sample. The Total Acid Number (TAN) has increased to 0.66 mg KOH/g, above the condemning limit of 0.60, and Pentane

The sample shows a high level of acids through high Acid Number, a high amount of water as well as high concentrations of sodium and calcium. If this is truly a representative sample of what is flowing through this system this is extremely concerning. However, experience shows it might come from a sampling valve that was improperly flushed. Either way, we recommend to re-sample after making sure a good 4L. (1 gal.) of oils drained out before collecting the sample. Penten Insolubles levels are severely high. Depm Water contamination levels are anonomally high. Sodium ppm levels are severely high. Depm Water contamination levels are abnormally high. Sodium ppm levels are severely high. Visc @ 40°C is severely high. Acid Number (AN) is abnormally high. (GCD) 90% Distillation Point is abnormally high.

The addition of oil improved the properties slightly but the insoluble solid material floating in the oil remains excessively high. The Acid Number also remained high which means there is still a fair amount of oxidation by-products in the system. Viscosity is still much higher than fresh Petro-Therm but still suitable for further use. We recommend to re-sample in 6 months to monitor fluid condition. Next time a major work is planned to be performed on the system pls consult with Terry Veenstra to discuss this so that we can suggest actions that would create the most bang for your buck.

The oil acid number is getting high, showing signs of fluid oxidation. Insoluble Solids content is excessively high at 2.3% by weight. If this sample is a true representation of the entire oil charge, we would suggets to start planning a system change-out including at least a flush and possibly a cleaning. Work with your local Suncor reps. Feel free to send other samples from different locations on your system fluid to understand where it's dirty and how firty it is.

Insolubles value of 4.88 (previously 5.99) suggests that the oil has oxidized and a significant volume of sediment is present.Petro-Canada Lubricants recommends that the Petro-Therm heat transfer fluid be drained, flushed and replaced as soon as practical. Pentane Insolubles levels are severely high. Acid Number (AN) is severely high. Calcium ppm levels are severely high. Sodium ppm levels are abnormally high. Visc @ 40°C is abnormally high.

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