

VTA HOT OIL PUMP

Customer: PTRHTF10004

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System Information

System Volume: 1800 gal

Bulk Operating Temp: 650F / 343C

Heating Source:

Blanket:

Fluid: PETRO CANADA PURITY FG HEAT TRANSFER FLUID

Make: AMERICAN HEATING

Sample Information

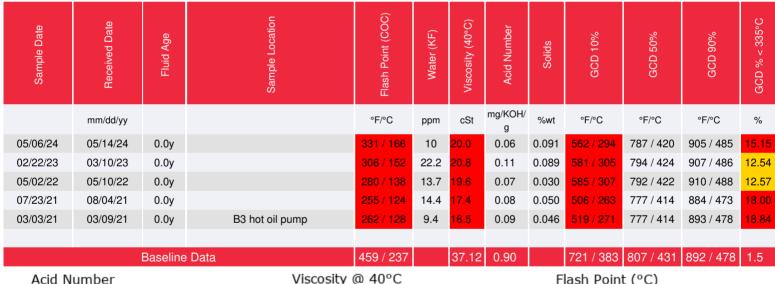
Lab No: 02635434 Analyst: Joe Goecke Sample Date: 05/06/24 Received Date: 05/14/24 Completed: 05/16/24

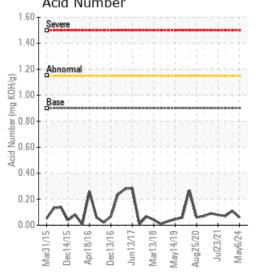
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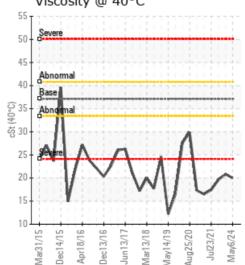
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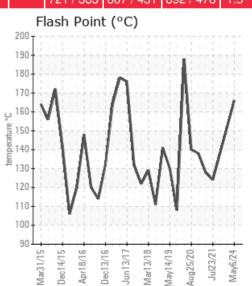
Recommendation: This system is in critical condition. The viscosity is almost one half of the original spec. the flash point is in the dangerous range of <175C. The lower viscosity is caused by the oil being cracked and producing light ends that are indicated by the 15% distilled <335C and the multiple peaks seen in the graph on the upslope. This oil should be scheduled for change in the next 90-120 days to reduce fire hazard and improve system efficiency.

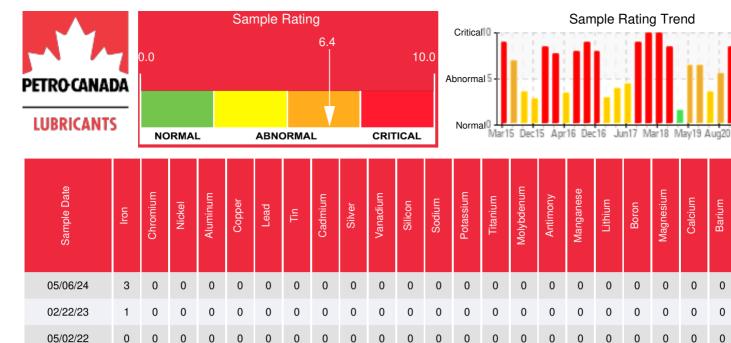
Comments: (GCD) 10% Distillation Point is severely low. COC Flash Point is severely low. Visc @ 40°C is severely low. (GCD) % < 335°C is abnormally high.











Phosphorus

61

45

40

56

59

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

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07/23/21

03/03/21

Baseline Data

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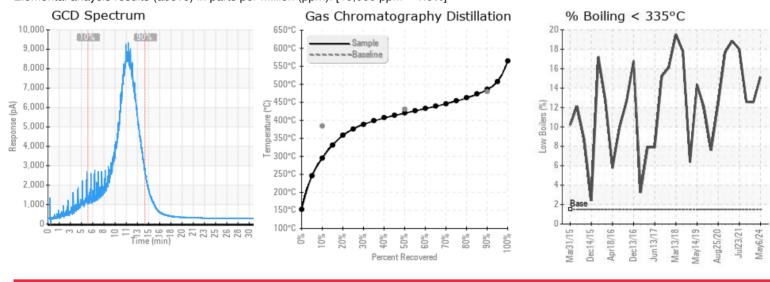
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Historical Comments Flash point and viscosity have increased slightly since the last sample but are both still very low as is the GCD % <335 C which all point to thermal degradation cracking the oil creating low viscosity molecules or low boilers consider sweetening the system with new oil at least a minimum of 30% Resample in 3 - 6 months 02/22/23 (GCD) 10% Distillation Point is severely low. COC Flash Point is severely low. Visc @ 40°C is severely low. (GCD) % < 335°C is abnormally high. The sample shows signs of thermal degradation, need to monitor the low boilers they are in a cautionary level continue use of fluid but resample in 6 months to monitor the low boilers (GCD % < 335 C) and the flash point. 05/02/22 System is in critical condition and has been for the last 3 samples. The low boilers are very high at 18% well above the 15% max limit which causes the flash point to drop as well as the viscosity all signs of severe degradation of the system. Recommend changing this unit out. (GCD) % < 335°C is severely high. 07/23/21 (GCD) 10% Distillation Point is severely low. COC Flash Point is severely low. Visc @ 40°C is severely low. This system is in critical condition - similar to the last analysis 3 months ago. The flash point has dropped to 128 C the fluid continues to degrade the loss in viscosity has continued it is now 16.5 cSt and the low boilers % has increased to 18.84% Recommend changing out the system as soon as it can be scheduled 03/03/21

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