

HEAT TRANSFER SYSTEM

Customer: PTRHTF10008

ARKEMA 1415 STEELE AVENUE GRAND RAPIDS, MI 49507 US

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System Information

System Volume: 3000 gal

Bulk Operating Temp: 540F / 282C

Heating Source:

Blanket:

Fluid: PETRO CANADA CALFLO AF

Make:

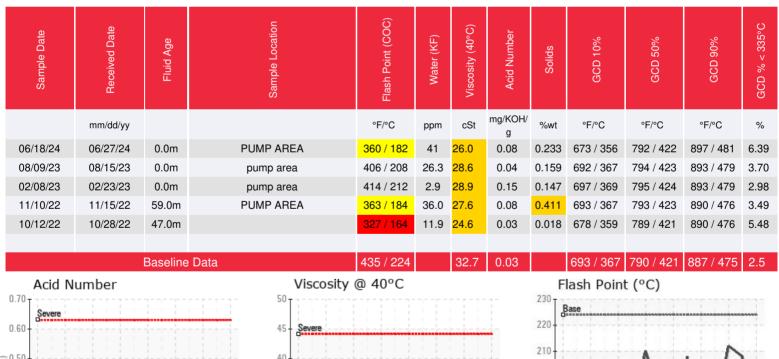
Sample Information

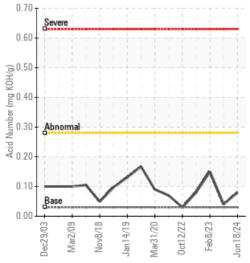
Lab No: 02644448 Analyst: Yvette Trzcinski Sample Date: 06/18/24 Received Date: 06/27/24 Completed: 07/02/24 Yvette Trzcinski

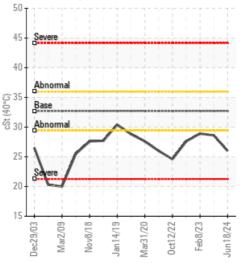
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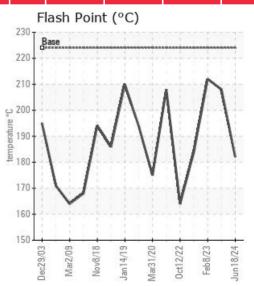
Recommendation: The Low boilers have almost doubled since the last sample and that has lowered the flash point. The viscosity has decreased and the insolubles in the oil have increased, all signs of thermal degradation of the fluid. Venting the low boilers could be helpful and then I would suggest re-sampling the fluid

Comments: Visc @ 40°C is abnormally low. COC Flash Point is marginally low.



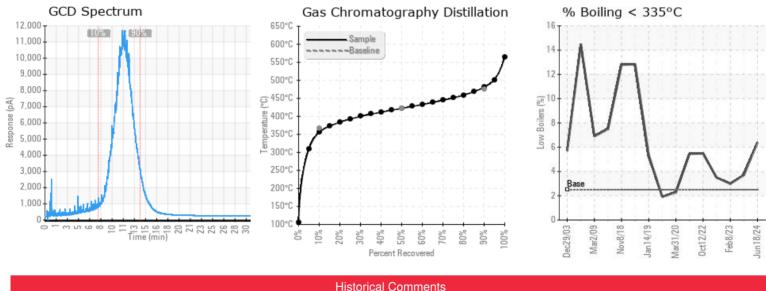








Elemental analysis results (above) in parts per million (ppm). [10,000 ppm = 1.0%]



Historical Comments	
08/09/23	acid number, flash point, GCD boiling points and insolubles are within specifications and viscosity has stayed constant from the last sample. Resample in 9-12 months
02/08/23	Viscosity has risen slightly as well as the flash point - probably due to top up of small amount of oil since the last sample. The GCD boiling points, and solids, flash point, viscosity and acid number are all within specification. Resample in 6 - 9 months Visc @ 40°C is abnormally low.
11/10/22	after replacing 1300 -1500 gallons of the fluid from the last sample in October 2022 the viscosity has improved by 10% up to 27.6 cSt and the flash point has increased to 184 F. The solids level has increased, recommend operating the system monitor filters if they are on the system and resample in 6 months Pentane Insolubles levels are abnormally high. Visc @ 40°C is abnormally low. COC Flash Point is marginally low.
10/12/22	The viscosity continues to decrease and is 24% below the original viscosity of the fluid which happens due to thermal cracking which is causing some lower viscosity material which is what we call low boilers (GCD % <335 C) which are at 5.48 % that is also negatively affecting the flash point causing it to be very low at 164 C /327 F recommend venting the low boilers and consider sweetening the system adding a minimum of 30% new oil to the system and re send a new oil sample COC Flash Point is severely low. Visc @ 40°C is abnormally low.

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