

OIL ANALYSIS SERVICES



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Maximize Productivity - Minimize Wear

Right now, the oil working in your crankcase, gearbox or sump contains information that could be vital to the performance and productivity of your engine or equipment. Contaminants that can indicate wear or cause serious equipment damage such as metals, water, raw fuel, acids, fuel soot and other solids collect in your lubricant. Using oil analysis to evaluate these contaminants is a scientific approach to predictive maintenance, allowing you a look inside your machinery to spot mechanical wear and contamination in its early stages. You'll extend machine life, head off major maintenance costs and prevent catastrophic failure that can shut you down or leave you stranded, and you'll maximize lubricant life.

Oil Analysis - A Proven Industry Standard Maintenance Tool

Used oil analysis has existed as long as lubricants have been around. In the 1940s, the railroad industry began to analyze their lubricants for the various metals found in specific components of the engine. By tracking wear rates and trends from one sample to the next, maintenance could be anticipated and scheduled before component failure resulted in downtime and the loss of equipment productivity. This data allowed railroads to schedule teardowns when they were necessary, rather than after an arbitrary number of operating hours. The advent of spectrometric metals analysis gave rise to the practice of "predictive maintenance" which continues to be more cost effective than the standard of preventive maintenance. The oil analysis process consists of (1) lubricant sampling, (2) laboratory analysis and (3) interpretation of the results to determine the condition of the fluid and the machinery from which the sample was taken.



Who is Using Oil Analysis?

An oil analysis program can provide critical information for any equipment requiring lubricants - both gasoline and diesel engines, transmissions, gears, bearings, and hydraulic systems. It's useful for owners of passenger cars, over-the-road fleets, off-highway equipment, boats, or high performance vehicles. It's also right for any industrial business that focuses on managing plant equipment and maintenance costs. As a matter of fact, as many as 70 percent of today's construction equipment operators use professional oil analysis to assess equipment and lubricant condition. Forty percent of all transportation fleets and 20 percent of industrial plants also rely on lube testing as an integral part of predic-

Oil Analysis Provides a Big Return for Your Small Investment by:

- Extending equipment life by preventing premature component failure
- Reducing maintenance costs by eliminating unnecessary component changes and decrease in downtime due to premature scheduled maintenance
- Enabling calculation of optimum drain intervals that will reduce lubricant costs and assure maximum equipment protection
- Eliminating complete teardowns based on guesswork
- Reducing unscheduled maintenance keeps equipment up and running
- Enabling better assessment of equipment performance

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tive/preventative maintenance. These businesses know that oil analysis replaces the guesswork in predicting equipment wear and scheduling optimum drain intervals. The data provided by oil analysis enables them to maximize equipment profitability by minimizing maintenance downtime.

The Oil Analysis Program from **Oil Analyzers**, Inc.

Make the decision to use Oil Analyzers, Inc. (OAI) to test the lubricants in your equipment or fleet and you'll be partnering with the most advanced computerized testing laboratory today's technology has to offer. Simply collect your samples using our sampling kits and mail them in our pre-addressed packages to our lab. Our technical team will do the rest. They combine their years of analytical experience with state-of-the-art instrumentation to produce reliable, meaningful results from your samples.

Testing is typically completed by the end of the business day following receipt of your sample. Results are reported by fax, mail, or in the case of an impending equipment failure, by telephone. Reports are easy-to-read and include interpretation and recommendations. And because the tests performed on your samples are tailored to your machinery, you'll get data that applies directly to your equipment and maintenance decisions.

Our technicians are available to answer your questions ranging from sampling procedures to the test results and maintenance recommendations. Also, your reports are kept on file at the lab to enable monitoring of trends and detection of subtle changes in the condition of your equipment.

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CUSTOMER INFORMATION

| ACCOUNT NUMBER: |
|-----------------|
| COMPANY: |
| STREET: |
| CITY: |
| STATE, ZIP: |
| CONTACT PERSON: |
| PHONE: |
| FAX: |

UNIT INFORMATION

| UNIT / CODE NO: |
|----------------------|
| SERIAL NO: |
| COMPONENT: |
| ENGINE (size/type):/ |
| MAKE: |
| MODEL: |
| VEAR |

SAMPLE INFORMATION

| OIL BRAND: |
|---|
| OIL TYPE: |
| SAE GRADE / ISO VISCOSITY: |
| DATE OIL INSTALLED: |
| DATE SAMPLE TAKEN: |
| HAVE WE TESTED THIS UNIT BEFORE? 🛛 YES 🗌 NO |
| MILES / HOURS (circle) ON SAMPLE: |
| MILES / HOURS (circle) ON UNIT: |
| QUANTITY OF OIL ADDED: |
| |
| TYPE OF FILTRATION: |
| LAST FILTER CHANGE: |
| SERVICE INFORMATION |

(check one)

| Gasoline Engine |
|----------------------|
| LPG Engine |
| Manual Transmission |
| Vehicle-Differential |

- □ Industrial-Hydraulic
- Industrial-Gears
- □ Vehicle-Hydraulic □ Industrial-Gas Turbine Industrial-Bearing

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Industrial-Circulation Diesel Engine Natural Gas Engine

- □ Industrial-Steam Turbine □ Industrial-Compressor
 - □ Other (please specify below)

□ Automatic Transmission

RETURN FORM WITH SAMPLE

Oil Analyzers **IMPORTANT - PLACE ON BOTTLE**



How the Oil Analysis Program (OAP) Works

OAP is a 4-step process:

- (1) Registration
- (2) Sampling
- (3) Analysis
- (4) Diagnostic Reporting

Step 1 – Registration

- 1. Begin the OAP process by purchasing a sampling kit. Simply call Oil Analyzers Inc. at (715) 395-0222 for pricing information or to order kits (and a sample pump if desired). You may purchase kits singly or in quantities of 10, 25, 50 or 100, with lower per-kit prices for larger orders.
- 2. Upon receipt of your order, OAI will immediately send out your sample kit, which includes sample container, sample information form, mailer and complete sampling and mailing instructions.

Step 2 - Sampling

- 1. Read the Oil Sampling Procedures included in the kit.
- 2. Fill out the Sample Information Form completely.
- 3. Take a sample (minimum: 2 to 3 oz) using the convenient instructions included in your kit. See page 7 of this brochure for more information on sampling.
- 4. Close and seal sample container tightly.
- 5. Using the mailing instructions included in your kit, send the filled sample container and the Sample Information Form to OAI in the supplied mailer.

Step 3 – Analysis

Upon receipt of your sample at the Oil Analyzers Inc. laboratory, all requisite testing will be performed. All analyses include determination of viscosity, fuel dilution (if applicable), water, dirt content, fuel soot contamination (if applicable), plus spectrochemical analysis for 21 trace elements to determine component wear, airborne dirt, anti-freeze contamination (if applicable), and oil additive concentrations.

The analyses also include a neutralization value determination - Total Base Number, TBN (primarily for gasoline and diesel motor oils) or Total Acid Number, TAN (non-crankcase lubricants). Oxidation values and nitration values (if applicable) are also determined.

Step 4 – Reporting

- 1. OAI will mail your analysis report on the business day following receipt and testing of your sample. For even faster results, simply request on the Sample Information Form that your report be faxed to you. Be sure to include your fax number.
- 2. If your analysis uncovers a critical problem, such as pending equipment failure, a technician will telephone you directly to advise you of the situation and recommend a course of corrective action.

The Sampling Process

Trend Analysis

A single sampling analysis is useful in providing information when critical failure conditions exist. However, trend analysis is a better tool for estimating the useful life or overall condition of your engine or equipment. Trend analysis samples are taken and analyzed at regularly scheduled intervals. Comparing the most recent analysis to previous reports on a given machine shows the development of trends. Monitoring these trends enables early detection of internal abnormalities. Tested values falling within acceptable limits may show a pattern of subtle variance, which could signal a developing problem.

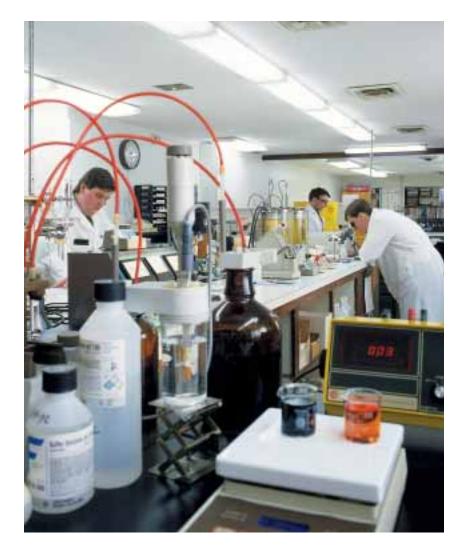
Machines of the same type will accumulate contaminants and wear at different rates. Performing trend analysis on each machine is the most effective method of giving you an internal look at your equipment and enabling you to deal with developing problems before they become catastrophic situations.



Sampling Frequency

The frequency of sample analysis from your equipment depends on the machine type, machine application and condition, operating environment and other variables. For example, many machines that operate in harsh environments, such as heavy equipment in mining or construction, require short oil sampling intervals - every 100 to 300 operating hours. However, certain power transmission systems, such as gearboxes and hydraulic systems used inside manufacturing and production facilities, require no more than quarterly sampling intervals. The following table lists generic sampling frequencies for common equipment types, and is provided as a guideline only. Additional information is available from Oil Analyzers Inc., your lubricant supplier, and the equipment manufacturer.

Collecting a clean and representative oil sample is critical to the oil analysis process. Put simply, an oil analysis is only as good as the sample taken. The accuracy and reliability of the data produced by an analysis hinges on receiving a representative sample from the equipment to be tested. To assure that the sample extracted is representative of the system, always follow proper sampling procedures.



| EQUIPMENT TYPE | TEST PACKAGE | ING FREQUENCY | | | | |
|------------------------------------|----------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|--|--|--|
| Motor Vehicles | | | | | | |
| Diesel engines | Basic with TBN | 100 - 500 hours, 3500 - 20,000 miles | | | | |
| Gasoline engines | Basic with TBN | 50 - 200 hours, 2000 - 7500 miles | | | | |
| Transmissions | Basic with TAN | 30,000 - 100,000 miles | | | | |
| Gears, differentials, final drives | Basic with TAN | 30,000 - 100,000 miles | | | | |
| Industrial | | Normal Use | Intermittent Use | | | |
| Hydraulics | Basic with TAN | 750 hours or monthly | Quarterly | | | |
| Gas turbines | Basic with TAN | 750 hours or monthly | Quarterly | | | |
| Steam turbines | Basic with TAN | 1500 hours or bimonthly | Quarterly | | | |
| Air or gas compressors | Basic with TAN | 750 hours or monthly | Quarterly | | | |
| Refrigeration compressors | Basic with TAN | Quarterly | _ | | | |
| Natural gas engines | Basic with TAN | 750 hours or monthly | | | | |
| Gears and bearings (industrial) | Basic with TAN | 1500 hours or bimonthly | Quarterly | | | |





Sampling Methods

- 1. The component sampled should be brought to operating temperature prior to sampling. This will assure that the insoluble and semi-soluble material is suspended evenly throughout the system. Samples taken from components that have been inactive for long periods are not representative.
- 2. Sample should always be taken in the same manner and from the same point.
- 3. Do not sample a component directly after an oil change or after a large amount of makeup oil has been added.
- 4. Use a clean, dry, unbreakable container. Never reuse containers or sampling tubing.

Collect your sample using one of the three following methods:

1. Sample Pump Method

Request a sample pump when ordering your sample kit.

The pump will come with complete instructions and will enable you to draw a sample quickly and easily. Seal the bottle tightly.

2. Sample Valve/Petcock Method

The valve should be wiped clean and any stagnant oil should be drained prior to catching a sample run. Seal the bottle tightly. Wipe bottle clean.

3. Oil Drain Method

Clean the area around the drain plug thoroughly to avoid sample contamination. Allow oil to drain for three to five seconds prior to catching a sample. Place a clean, dry sample bottle in the oil stream and fill to within $\frac{1}{2}$ inch of the top. Seal bottle tightly. Wipe bottle clean.

Sampling Tips

- For best results, oil samples should be taken immediately after equipment shutdown, while the equipment is still at operating temperature. Never sample a cold engine and always make sure the oil has been well circulated before taking a sample. Dirt, water and other debris tend to settle to the bottom of the reservoir while light fuels tend to float. This separation will compromise your analysis.
- Good locations for sampling include an oil gallery, the engine crankcase, the drain plug or dipstick tube and the equipment reservoir or sump.
- When taking oil from industrial machinery through a bottom drain, be careful to draw oil until your sample has a uniform, representative appearance.
- Use samples from the drain pan or oil filter only as a last resort. For a failed engine that has had the oil drained, a drain pan or oil filter sample may help detect the cause of the failure.
- Avoid prolonged skin contact with used oil. Wash exposed skin with soap and water after exposure.

Caution: Engine crankcase oil temperatures can exceed 200°F. To avoid personal injury, use protective equipment such as gloves, safety glasses and protective clothing.

SERIAL# 123456 DATE SAMPLE # SAMPLED Sample Data 1998082814 5/1/00 5/3/00 Indicates sample data was tested and the hours/miles on the oil and unit. The Laboratory Sample Number is used to track the unit history. Fe Cr Pb Cu Iron Chromium Lead Copper 22 ຂ **Physical Properties** Changes in the physical qualities of the lubicant are determined and evaluated. These changes can have a dramatic effect on the lubricant's ability to protect the component from wear or failure. **Spectrochemical Analysis** Determines component wear, airborne dirt, cooling system contamination and oil addition concentrations. Information is reported in parts per million (ppm). **Oil Analyzers** 1-715-395-0222

Reading Your Analysis Report

Your OAI oil analysis report contains a detailed listing of the characteristics tested to determine the condition of both the equipment and the oil. The tests performed in the analysis are designed to detect a range of critical situations including:

- Abnormal wear in engines, gears, shafts and bearings
- Oil thinned by fuel from leaking injectors or crossover lines or cool operation
- Poor equipment performance due to incorrect air-to-fuel ratios
- Oil contaminated by water/antifreeze from • cracked gaskets, failed seals or cracked cylinder heads
- Incorrect grade of lubricant in use
- Air filter failure causing dirt ingestion and excessive wear
- Overextended or underutilized drain intervals
- Lubricant contamination due to operating • environment

Most of the characteristics of a used oil analysis are interdependent. Because of this interdependency, trained analysts examine the characteristics, just as a detective would examine clues to solve a case. Based on

the examination, a recommendation is made by OAI as to the condition of both the equipment and the oil. The sample report shown here details the characteristics tested, as well as the causes and effects associated with each characteristic.

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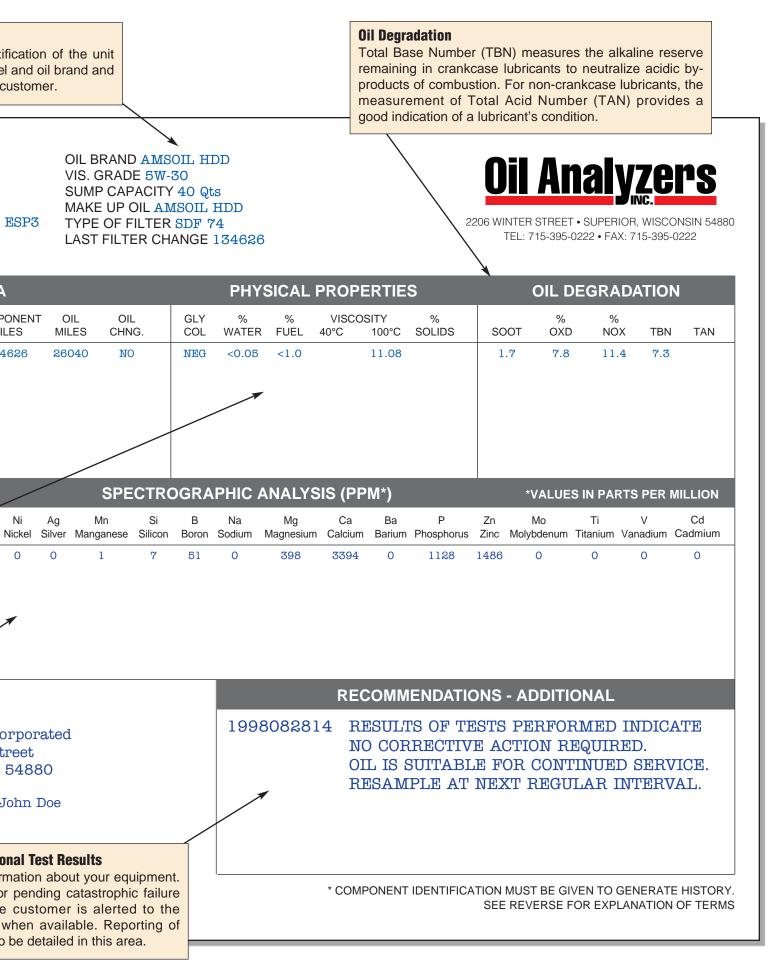
Recommendations and Additi

Our data provide specific info In case of imminent danger of to a piece of equipment, th emergency by phone or fax additional test results may also

Customer Unit Information

This section of the report lists the identity sampled, equipment manufacturer, mode type. This information is supplied by the

ACCOUNT# 123456 UNIT# 123 **COMPONENT** Diesel Engine MAKE, MODEL, YEAR Cummins N-14 DISPLACEMENT 855 CID, 14L



Analysis Information

| Test | Measures | Cause | | Effect | |
|--|--|---|--|---|--|
| Viscosity (lubricant "thickness"; resistance to flow) | High Viscosity | Contamination Soot/Solids Oxidation Degradation Coolant Leak | Over-Extended Oil Drain High Operating Temperatures Improper Oil Grade | Increased Operating Costs Engine Overheating Restricted Oil Flow Increased Energy Consumption | Accelerated Wear Harmful Deposits/Sludge Hard Starting |
| | Low Viscosity | Additive Shear Fuel Dilution | Improper Oil Grade Coolant Leak | Engine Overheating Poor Lubrication | Metal to Metal Contact Accelerated Wear |
| Water/Coolant Contamination (water or coolant present in lubricant) | Oil Contamination | Defective Seals New Oil Contamination Coolant Leak Improper Storage Condensation | Cracked Head or Block Weather/Moisture Combustion By-Product Oil Cooler Leak | Engine Failure Lubricant Thickening Poor Lubrication Corrosion Sludge Formation | Increased Engine Heat Acid Formation Accelerated Wear Reduced Additive Effectiveness |
| Fuel Dilution (fuel present in lubricant) | Oil Contamination | Incorrect Air to Fuel Ratio Extended Idling Stop and Go Driving Incorrect Timing | Defective Injectors Leaking Fuel Pump/Lines Incomplete Combustion Carburetor Malfunction | Metal to Metal Contact Poor Lubrication - Oil Thinning Increased Overall Wear Cylinder Ring Wear Reduced MPG | Decreased Oil Pressure Reduced Engine Performance High Operating Costs Shortened Engine Life |
| Fuel Soot (soot content of lubricant) | Oil Contamination | Improper Air/Fuel Ratio Improper Injector Adjustment Defective Injector Poor Quality Fuel Incomplete Combustion | Clogged Air Induction Improper Equipment Operation Low Compression Worn Engine Parts/Rings | Poor Engine Performance Poor Fuel Economy Increased Operating Cost Harmful Deposits/Sludge Increased Wear Lubricant Thickening | Shortened Oil Life Lacquer Formation Carbon Deposits Clogged Filters Shortened Engine Life |
| Oxidation (evidence of lubricant breakdown) | Oil Contamination/Condition | Overheating Over-Extended Oil Drain Improper Oil Type | Combustion By-Products Blow-By Coolant Leak | Shortened Equipment Life Lacquer Deposits Oil Filter Plugging Increased Oil Viscosity | Corrosion of Metal Parts Increased Operating Expenses Increased Wear Shortened Equipment Life |
| Nitration (evidence of lubricant breakdown) | Oil Contamination/Condition | Abnormally High Combustion Temperature | Lean Air to Fuel Ratio Abnormal Blow-By Injector or Carburetor Malfunction EGR Valve Failure | Accelerated Oxidation Increased Exhaust Emissions Acidic By-Products Formed Increased Cylinder and Valve Train Wear | Oil Thickening Combustion Area Deposits Increased TAN |
| Total Acid Number (TAN) (lubricant acid content) | Oil Contamination/Condition | High Sulfur Fuel Overheating Excessive Blow-By | Over-Extended Oil Drains Improper Oil Type | Corrosion of Metallic Components Increases Oxidation Oil Degradation | Oil Thickening Additive Depletion |
| Total Base Number (TBN) (lubricant alkalinity reserve) | Lubricant Service Life (Low Readings) | High Sulfur Fuel Overheating Over-Extended Oil Drains | Improper Oil Type Acid Build-up in Oil | Increased TAN Oil Degradation | Increased Wear Corrosion of Metal Parts |

Wear Metal Analysis

(measures the levels of 21 metals from wear particles, contaminants and additives. This analysis detects dissolved metal ions plus particles less than 10 microns in size. See pages 11-13 for specific applications.)



Wear Metal Analysis

Wear metal analysis, also called elemental analysis or spectrochemical analysis, is critical to the determination of component wear, airborne dirt, antifreeze contamination (if applicable), and oil additive concentrations. The following tables provide information on types of equipment and their elemental makeup. Due to the large variance in equipment "typical" values and condemnation limits, the equipment manufacturer should be consulted to provide specific information.

WEAR METAL REFERENCE GUIDE — Engine

| When trace metals are detected, the following components could be responsible | lron Fe | Copper Cu | Lead Pb | Aluminum Al | Silicon Si | Chromium Cr | Tin Sn | Sodium Na | Potassium K |
|---|------------|--------------|------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|-----------|--------------|----------------|
| Journal Bearings | | Х | Х | Х | | | Х | | |
| Bushings | | Х | Х | Х | | | Х | | |
| Cam Shaft | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Coolant Additives | | | | | Х | Х | | Х | Х |
| Crankshaft | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Cylinder Walls | Х | | | | | Х | | | |
| Exhaust Valve | Х | | | | | Х | | | |
| Anti-Friction Bearing | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Gasket Materials | | Х | | | Х | | | | |
| Gasoline Additive | | | Х | | | | | Х | |
| Housing/Castings | Х | | | Х | Х | | | | |
| Ingested Dirt | | | | | Х | | | Х | |
| Oil Additive | | Х | | | Х | | | Х | |
| Oil Cooler | | Х | | | | | | | |
| Oil Pump Bushing | | Х | Х | Х | | | Х | | |
| Oil Pumps | Х | | | Х | | | | | |
| Pistons | Х | | | Х | | | Х | | |
| Rings | Х | | | | | Х | | | |
| Thrust Washers | | Х | Х | Х | | | Х | | |
| Timing Gears | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Turbo-Charger/Super Charger | Х | | | Х | | | | | |
| Valve Guides | Х | Х | | | | | | | |
| Valve Train | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Wrist Pin-Bushings | | Х | Х | Х | | | Х | | |
| Wrist Pins | Х | | | | | | | | |

WEAR METAL REFERENCE GUIDE — Manual Transmission

| When trace metals are detected, the following components could be responsible | lron Fe | Copper Cu | Lead Pb | Aluminum Al | Silicon Si | Chromium Cr | Tin Sn | Sodium Na | Potassium K |
|---|------------|--------------|------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|-----------|--------------|----------------|
| Bushings | | X | Х | Х | | | Х | | |
| Clutch Faces | Х | Х | | | | | | | |
| Coolant Additives | | | | | Х | Х | | Х | Х |
| Anti-Friction Bearings | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Gears | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Ingested Dirt | | | | | Х | | | | |
| Oil Additives | | | | | Х | | | | |
| Oil Cooler | | Х | | Х | | | | | |
| Pumps | Х | | | Х | | | | | |
| Thrust Washers | | Х | Х | | | | Х | | |
| Gasket Materials or Silicon Sealant | | Х | | | Х | | | | |
| Housing/Castings | Х | | | Х | Х | | | | |

WEAR METAL REFERENCE GUIDE — Automatic Transmisssion

| When trace metals are detected, the following components could be responsible | iron Fe | Copper Cu | Lead Pb | Aluminum Al | Silicon Si | Chromium Cr | Tin Sn | Sodium Na | Potassium K |
|---|------------|--------------|------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|-----------|--------------|----------------|
| Journal Bearings | Х | Х | Х | Х | | | Х | | |
| Bushings | | Х | Х | | | | Х | | |
| Coolant Additives | | | | | Х | | | Х | Х |
| Anti-Friction Bearings | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Gasket Materials and Silicone Sealant | | | | | Х | Х | | | |
| Gears | Х | Х | | | | | | | |
| Ingested Dirt | | | | | Х | | | | |
| Shafts | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Thrust Washers | | Х | Х | | | | Х | | |
| Valves | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Housing/Castings | Х | | | Х | Х | | | | |

WEAR METAL REFERENCE GUIDE — Differential Drive

| When trace metals are detected, the following components could be responsible | iron Fe | Copper Cu | Lead Pb | Aluminum Al | Silicon Si | Chromium Cr | Tin Sn | Sodium Na | Potassium K |
|---|------------|--------------|------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|-----------|--------------|----------------|
| Journal Bearings | | Х | Х | Х | | | Х | | |
| Bushings | | Х | Х | | | | Х | | |
| Anti-Friction Bearings | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Gears | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Ingested Dirt | | | | | Х | | | | |
| Oil Additives | | | | | Х | | | | |
| Oil Pump | | Х | | Х | | | | | |
| Road Salt | | | | | | | | X | |
| Shafts | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Thrust Washers | | Х | | Х | | | Х | | |
| Gasket Materials and Silicon Sealant | | Х | | | Х | | | | |
| Housing/Castings | Х | | | Х | Х | | | | |

WEAR METAL REFERENCE GUIDE — Industrial Gears

| When trace metals are detected, the following components could be responsible | lron Fe | Copper Cu | Lead Pb | Aluminum Al | Silicon Si | Chromium Cr | Tin Sn | Sodium Na | Potassium K |
|---|------------|--------------|------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|-----------|--------------|----------------|
| Journal Bearings | | Х | Х | | | | Х | | |
| Bushings | | Х | Х | | | | Х | | |
| Anti-Friction Bearings | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Gasket Materials or Silicone Sealants | | Х | | | | | Х | | |
| Gears | Х | Х | | | | | | | |
| Ingested Dirt | | | | | Х | | | | |
| Oil Additives | | | | | Х | | | | |
| Pumps | Х | Х | | Х | | | | | |
| Shafts | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Thrust Washers | | Х | | Х | | | | | |
| Housing/Castings | Х | | | Х | Х | | | | |

WEAR METAL REFERENCE GUIDE — Hydraulics

| When trace metals are detected, the following components could be responsible | lron Fe | Copper Cu | Lead Pb | Aluminum Al | Silicon Si | Chromium Cr | Tin Sn | Sodium Na | Potassium K |
|---|------------|--------------|------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|-----------|--------------|----------------|
| Journal Bearings | | x | X | Х | | | Х | | |
| Bore & Rods | Х | | | | | Х | | | |
| Bushings | | Х | Х | Х | | | Х | | |
| Cylinders | Х | | | Х | | | | | |
| Anti-Friction Bearings | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Gasket Materials or Silicone Sealant | | Х | | | Х | | | | |
| Gears | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Guides | | Х | | | | | | | |
| Ingested Dirt | | | | | Х | | | Х | |
| Motors | Х | | | Х | | | | | |
| Oil Additives | | Х | | | Х | | | | |
| Oil Cooler | | Х | | Х | | | | | |
| Pistons | Х | Х | | | | | | | |
| Pumps | Х | | | Х | | | | | |
| Rods | Х | | | | | Х | | | |
| Spools | Х | Х | | | | Х | | | |
| Thrust Plates | | Х | | | | | | | |
| Valves | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Vanes | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Housing/Castings | Х | | | Х | Х | | | | |

WEAR METAL REFERENCE GUIDE — Air Compressor

| When trace metals are detected, the following components could be responsible | lron Fe | Copper Cu | Lead Pb | Aluminum Al | Silicon Si | Chromium Cr | Tin Sn | Sodium Na | Potassium K |
|---|------------|--------------|------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|-----------|--------------|----------------|
| Journal Bearings | | Х | Х | Х | | | Х | | |
| Bushings | | Х | Х | | | | Х | | |
| Coolant Additives | | | | | Х | Х | | Х | Х |
| Crankshaft | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Cylinder | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Anti-Friction Bearings | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Ingested Dirt | | | | | Х | | | | |
| Oil Additives | | Х | | | Х | | | Х | |
| Oil Cooler | | Х | | Х | | | | | |
| Oil Pump | Х | | | Х | | | | | |
| Pistons | | | | Х | | | | | |
| Rings | Х | | | | | Х | | | |
| Rotors | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Screws | Х | | | Х | | | | | |
| Shaft | Х | | | | | | | | |
| Thrust Washers | | Х | Х | | | | Х | | |
| Wear Plates | Х | Х | Х | | | | Х | | |
| Housing/Castings | Х | | | Х | Х | | | | |
| Gasket/Sealants | | Х | | | Х | | | | |

Special Tests Available

| Tests | Lube Tested | Method | Qty Req'd |
|---|-------------|-------------|-----------|
| Cloud Point | Diesel Fuel | ASTM D 2500 | 2 oz |
| Cold Cranking Simulator | Engine Oil | ASTM D 5293 | 1 oz |
| Color Test | Any | ASTM D 1500 | 2 oz |
| Cone Penetration of Lubricating Grease | Grease | ASTM D 217 | 1 lb |
| Corrosion, Copper Strip | Any | ASTM D 130 | 2 oz |
| Density | Any | ASTM D 1298 | 1 qt |
| Falex Pin & V-Block Test; per run | Gear Lube | ASTM D 3233 | 4 oz |
| Flash and Fire Point - (COC) Cleveland Open Cup | Any | ASTM D 92 | 3 oz |
| Flash Point - (PMCC) Pensky-Marten Closed Cup | Any | ASTM D 93 | 3 oz |
| Foam Stability Sequences I, II & III | Any | ASTM D 892 | 1 qt |
| *Fuel Dilution, % | Engine Oil | FTIR | 1 oz |
| *Fuel Soot, % | Engine Oil | FTIR | 1 oz |
| Four-Ball Wear Characteristics | Any | ASTM D 4172 | 4 oz |
| *FTIR Infrared Analysis | Any | FTIR-Scan | 1 oz |
| Glycol Base Anti-Freeze Determination in Oils | Engine Oil | ASTM D 2982 | 1 oz |
| *Metals Analysis | Any | ICP | 1 oz |
| **Neutralization Number - Total Acid Number | Any | ASTM D 664 | 1 oz |
| **Neutralization Number - Total Base Number | Any | ASTM D 2896 | 1 oz |
| *Nitration, % | Engine Oil | FTIR | 1 oz |
| NOACK Volatility, % Weight Loss | Engine Oil | DIN 51581 | 4 oz |
| *Oxidation, % | Any | FTIR | 1 oz |
| pH Range | Any | | 1 oz |
| Pour Point | Any | ASTM D 97 | 4 oz |
| Refractive Index | Any | | 1 oz |
| *Viscosity, measured in cSt, specify temperature | Any | ASTM D 445 | 2 oz |
| Viscosity Index (Includes 100°C & 40°C Viscosities) | Any | ASTM D 2270 | 4 oz |
| Water by Distillation | Any | ASTM D 95 | 2 oz |
| Water by Mobil Crackle Test | Any | MOBIL | 2 oz |
| Water by Karl Fisher | Any | ASTM D 1123 | 1 oz |
| Water Separability - Petroleum Oils and Syn. Fluids | Any | ASTM D 1401 | 4 oz |

*Also included in standard test package.

**TAN or TBN included in standard test package.

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