



aramco base oils: your complete source of products to propel your business further



"We are ready to collaborate closely with our customers in meeting their base oils product needs in a dynamic, formidable marketplace today, and into the future. As the world's largest producer of high-quality base oils, Aramco's portfolio of advanced manufacturing complexes are positioned around the globe to enable the delivery of a full slate of high-quality Aramco branded base oils reliably, anywhere, at any time."

Yasser M. Mufti Saudi Aramco Vice President of Fuels



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Luberef is known as a reliable supplier of high-quality base oils to customers operating across the Middle East, East Africa, India, Pakistan, Singapore and Europe. The strategically advantageous location of Luberef's refineries in Jiddah and Yanbu', in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, is combined with a consistent and reliable high quality supply of base oil, and an optimized grade mix to provide supply chain efficiencies to Luberef customers. Luberef's total base oil production capacity is 24,300 barrels per day (1.2 million tons per year).

MOTIVA

Motiva base oils are recognized for their quality and are key components in a broad spectrum of lubricants – including automotive, industrial, and functional fluid applications. Motiva's Port Arthur refinery is the site of the largest base oil plant in North America, operating three lube hydroprocessing units that use Motivapatented unit designs, to upgrade heavy gas oils into high-quality premium base oils. With a world-class sales and supply logistics team. Motiva will consistently fulfill your Group II and Group III needs in the Americas and around the world. Motiva's total capacity is 40,300 barrels per day (2.0 million tons per year).



S-Oil is one of the world's top base oil producers, leading in South Korea since S-OIL's foundation in 1976 as the first local lube base oil refinery located in Ulsan. S-OIL's global presence has been successfully expanded into not only Asia but also Europe and North America, by utilizing its full range of product portfolio from Group I to Group III, with a daily production capacity of 44,700 barrels per day (2.2 million tons per year).

Introducing aramco base oils

For over 80 years, Saudi Aramco has been a reliable, trusted supplier of oil and gas to our customers across the world.

Through a series of joint ventures, we have been a major supplier of premium quality base oils around the world for over 40 years. Under the trusted company names of Luberef, Motiva, and S-OIL, we have collaborated with our customers to navigate market change, while delivering to them base oil solutions that meet their needs.



Three brand families for the products you trust

Aramco Base Oils is proud to present its high-performance, premium-quality base oils portfolio. Our broad portfolio of base oils will help you choose the right solution for whatever challenge you and your customers face so together you can innovate. Aramco Base Oils is a brand family, for the products you know, from the global name you trust.



aramco**dura**®

aramcoDURA API Group I base oils are used in a wide range of applications, including: passenger car and heavy duty engine oils, gear oils, and transmission fluids, as well as in industrial applications such as hydraulic oils, turbine oils, compressor oils, and marine oils.

aramcoprima°

aramcoPRIMA API Group II base oils give you the power to formulate the majority of automotive and industrial lubricating oils for heavy duty diesel engine oils, as well as driveline, industrial hydraulic, and turbine oils.

aramcoultra

aramcoULTRA API Group III base oils are used in applications that require high performance and efficiency, such as high-performance engine oils, automatic/manual transmission fluids, and long-life industrial fluids.



aramco**dura**®

aramcoDURA API Group I base oils are used in a wide range of applications, including: passenger car and heavy duty engine oils, gear oils, and transmission fluids, as well as in industrial applications such as hydraulic oils, turbine oils, compressor oils, and marine oils.

- Consistency in the quality of base oils
- High quality brightstock for marine, driveline, and heavy viscosity applications

aramco dura °		60	150	500
API Base Oil Category		Group V	Group I	Group I
Properties	ASTM Method	Typical	Typical	Typical
Appearance	Visual	Clear & Bright	Clear & Bright	Clear & Bright
Kinematic Viscosity @ 40°C, cSt	D 445	7.92	28.09	92.30
Kinematic Viscosity @ 100°C, cSt	D 445	2.19	5.08	10.60
Viscosity Index	D 2270	71	101	97
Sulfur Content, wt%	D 5453	<0.001	0.90**	1.15**
Pour Point, ºC	D 5950	-20	-12*	-6*
Density @ 15°C, kg/L	D 4052	0.8751	0.8730	0.8894
ASTM Color	D 1500	L0.5	L1.0	L2.0
Flash Point, COC, °C	D 92	149	220	258
Flash Point, PMCC, ^o C	D 93		208	235
Furfural Content, ppm	D 5837		1	1
Copper Strip Corrosion, 100°C, 3 hrs	D 130	1b	1a	1a
Conradson Carbon Residue, wt%	D 189	<0.01‡		0.1
Total Acid Number, mgKOH/g	D 664	<0.01	0.01	0.02
Ash, wt%	D 482		<0.01	<0.01
Manufacturing Site		Ulsan	Jeddah	Jeddah

Notes: * - D 97 | ** - D 4294

aramco dura °		600	150BS	BS150
API Base Oil Category		Group I	Group I	Group I
Properties	ASTM Method	Typical	Typical	Typical
Appearance	Visual	Clear & Bright	Clear & Bright	Clear & Bright
Kinematic Viscosity @ 40°C, cSt	D 445	117	488.6	500.4
Kinematic Viscosity @ 100°C, cSt	D 445	12.49	31.85	32.03
Viscosity Index	D 2270	98	96	95
Sulfur Content, wt%	D 5453			1.15**
Pour Point, ⁰C	D 5950	-14	-14	-6*
Density @ 15ºC, kg/L	D 4052	0.8791	0.8929	0.9050
ASTM Color	D 1500	L 0.5	L 1.0	2.5
Flash Point, COC, ⁰C	D 92	259	316	298
Flash Point, PMCC, ^o C	D 93			268
Furfural Content, ppm	D 5837			1
Copper Strip Corrosion, 100ºC, 3 hrs	D 130	1b	1b	1a
Conradson Carbon Residue, wt%	D 189	0.01‡	0.2‡	0.6
Total Acid Number, mgKOH/g	D 664	<0.01	<0.01	0.03
Manufacturing Site		Ulsan	Ulsan	Yanbu

Notes: * - D 97 | ** - D 4294, ‡-D4530



aramcoprima®

These grades of aramcoPRIMA are not classified as API Group II. They are commonly used for nonengine oil applications.

aramcoPRIMA API Group II base oils give you the power to formulate the majority of automotive and industrial lubricating oils for heavy duty diesel engine oils, as well as driveline, industrial hydraulic, and turbine oils.

- Provide optimized automotive engine oil formulations, ranging from 5W 20 to 20W 50
- Wide performance and viscosity grade coverage for North and South American/ Asian/ Middle East/European automotive engine oils.

aramcoprima		60	60	70	
API Base Oil Category		Group V	Group V	Group II	
Properties	ASTM Method	Typical	Typical	Typical	
Appearance	Visual	Clear & Bright	Clear & Bright	Clear & Bright	
Kinematic Viscosity @ 40°C, cSt	D 445	8.74	10.63	14.60	
Kinematic Viscosity @ 100°C, cSt	D 445	2.32	2.61	3.26	
Viscosity Index	D 2270	67		83	
Saturates, wt%	D 7419			99	
Sulfur, wt ppm	D 5453	<10	<10‡	1‡	
Pour Point, °C	D 5950	<-40	-35	-30*	
Density @ 15°C, kg/L	D 4052	0.8700**	0.8650	0.8610	
Saybolt Color	D 156	+30	+30		
ASTM Color	D 1500	L0.5	L0.5	0.5	
Flash Point, COC, °C	D 92	≥150	172	185	
Copper Corrosion, 100 °C, 3hrs	D 130	1b			
Total Acid Number, mgKOH/g	D 974	<0.01			
Aromatics, wt%	D 7419	<1		1	
Aniline Point, ⁰C	D 611	87.2			
Manufacturing Site		Ulsan	Port Arthur	Yanbu	

Notes: * - D 97 | ‡ - D 2622 | **Density @15°C Kg/L

aramco prima °		1005	1505	500S
API Base Oil Category		Group II	Group II	Group II
Properties	ASTM Method	Typical	Typical	Typical
Appearance	Visual	Clear & Bright	Clear & Bright	Clear & Bright
Kinematic Viscosity @ 40°C, cSt	D 445	20.94	30.47	95.86
Kinematic Viscosity @ 100°C, cSt	D 445	4.236	5.189	11.24
Viscosity Index	D 2270	107	101	96
Saturates, wt%	D 2007	>90	>90	>90
Sulfur, wt ppm	D 5453	<10	<100	<100
Pour Point, ^o C	D 5950	-15	-12	-14
Density @ 15°C, kg/L	D 4052	0.8540	0.8630	0.8731
Saybolt Color	D 156			
ASTM Color	D 1500	L0.5	L0.5	L0.5
Flash Point, COC, ºC	D 92	210	212	258
Copper Corrosion, 100 °C, 3hrs	D 130	1b	1b	1b
Total Acid Number, mgKOH/g	D 974	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01
Aromatics, wt%	D 2007	<2	<2	<2
Manufacturing Site		Ulsan	Ulsan	Ulsan

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	Group II	Group II	Group II
ASTM Method	Typical	Typical	Typical
Visual	Clear & Bright	Clear & Bright	Clear & Bright
D 445	20.40	23.30	29.70
D 445	4.16	4.60	5.2
D 2270	105	113	105
D 7419		99	99
D 2622	<10	1	<10‡
D 5800	22.5	16.0	15.8
D 5293		900	1,620
D 5293	1,238	1,500	2,760
D 5950	-15	-18*	-18
D 2983	13,232		
D 4052	0.8495	0.8510	0.8590
D 156		+30	+30
D 1500	L0.5	L0.5	L0.5
D 92	207	224	218
D 130		1a	1b
D 974		0.01	<0.01
D 7419		1	<1
	Port Arthur	Yanbu	Ulsan
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Notes: * - D 97 | ‡ - D 5453

220	230	500	500	600	
Group II					
Typical	Typical	Typical	Typical	Typical	
Clear & Bright					
42.30	44.50	87.80	96.40	109.00	
6.50	6.78	10.65	11.30	12.00	
104	103	104	104	98	
	99.5	99.5	99		
<10	2.0	1	2‡	<25	
10.4	7.5	2.0	6.9	2.4	
3,080	3,200	9,500	14,550		
	5,900	21,500	26,000		
-15	-16*	-15*	-18	-21	
0.8640	0.8635	0.8690	0.8720	0.8740	
			+30		
L0.5	L0.5	L0.5	L0.5	L0.5	
226	235	262	240	263	
	1b	1b	1b		
		0.02	<0.01		
	0.5	0.5	<1		
Port Arthur	Yanbu	Yanbu	Ulsan	Port Arthur	



aramcoultra

- aramcoULTRA 4
- aramcoULTRA 6
- aramcoULTRA 8

aramcoULTRA API Group III base oils are used in applications that require high performance and efficiency, such as high performance engine oils, automatic/manual transmission fluids, and long-life industrial fluids.

- aramcoULTRA 2
- aramcoULTRA 3

These grades of aramcoULTRA are not classified as API Group III.

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API Base Oil Category		Group II	Group II
Properties	ASTM Method	Typical	Typical
Appearance	Visual	Clear & Bright	Clear & Bright
Kinematic Viscosity @ 40°C, cSt	D 445	7.62	14.0
Kinematic Viscosity @ 100°C, cSt	D 445	2.25	3.38
Viscosity Index	D 2270	103	115
Saturates, wt%	D 2007	>99	>99
Sulfur, wt ppm	D 5453	1	1
Noack Volatility, wt% (Procedure B)	D 5800		
CCS Viscosity @ - 30°C, mPa-s	D 5293		
Pour Point, °C	D 5950	-36	-27
Density @ 15°C, kg/L	D 4052	0.8300	0.8323
Saybolt Color	D 156	+30	+30
ASTM Color	D 1500	L0.5	L0.5
Flash Point, COC, °C	D 92	158	202
Copper Corrosion, 100 °C, 3hrs	D 130	1b	1b
Total Acid Number, mgKOH/g	D 974	<0.01	<0.01
Aromatics, wt%	D 2007	<1	<1
Manufacturing Site		Ulsan	Ulsan

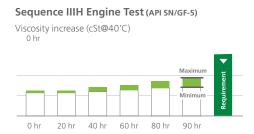
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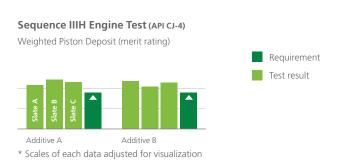
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Group III				
Typical	Typical	Typical	Typical	Typical
Clear & Bright				
19.7	20.50	32.54	32.40	41.10
4.27	4.41	6.04	5.89	7.10
124	127	134	127	134
>99		>99		>99
1	<10‡	<1.0	<10‡	<1.0
14.7	14.4	6.4	7.4	4.0
1,500	1,534	3,850	4,084	6,300
-20	-20	-16	-21	-14
0.8350	0.8367	0.8398	0.8438	0.8425
+30		+30		+30
L0.5	L0.5	L0.5	L0.5	L0.5
220	220	240	237	250
1b		1b		1b
<0.01		<0.01		<0.01
<1	<1	<1		<1
Ulsan	Port Arthur	Ulsan	Port Arthur	Ulsan

Aramco Prima API Licensabilty and OEM approval

The aramcoPRIMA base stock slate has completed the test program to support the API CK-4, ACEA A3/B4, E7, E9, and key North American and European Original Equipment manufacturers in commonly used SAE grades like 10W-30, 10W-40 and 15W-40 for heavy duty diesel engines. These formulations are now available for lubricant marketers to use to obtain API License and OEM approvals.

Automotive Engine Tests



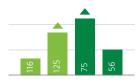


Meeting API and ACEA requirement

Interchangeable and linked group II base oils

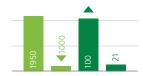
In accordance with API and ACEA protocols, Saudi Aramco has successfully completed test programs that demonstrated the interchangeability and linage between Group II base oils from our global manufacturing sites. The extensive testing programs covers API SN/GF-5, API CJ-4 together with ACEA A3/B4, E7 and E9 automotive engine in addition to demonstration in industrial and gear oils applications.

AramcoPRIMA HDD Test Program



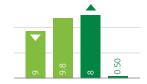
Oxidation Height A/cm

Volvo T-13 Aramco PRIMA in 15W-40



Sludge Rating, merit

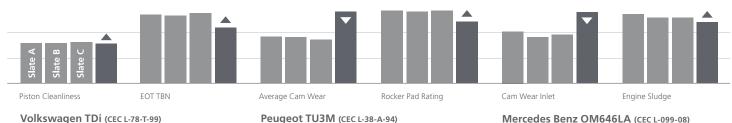
Cummins ISM Aramco PRIMA in 10W-30



Engine Sludge, merit

OM50LA Aramco PRIMA in 10W-30

European Engine Test (ACEA A3/B4)

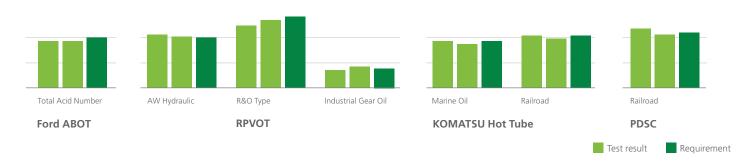


Volkswagen TDi (CEC L-78-T-99)
4 cyl., 1.9L, turbocharged, direct injection

Peugeot TU3M (CEC L-38-A-94) OHC, 4 cyl., gasoline, 1,360cc

Mercedes Benz OM646LA (CEC L-099-08) 4 cyl., 2.2L, VTG turbocharged, direct injection

Driveline & Industrial Oxidation Tests



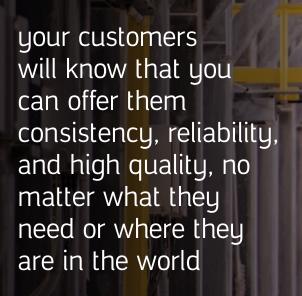
The Group II base oils show satisfactory performance in various API and ACEA engine tests across a number of metrics including oxidation, anti-wear, piston cleanliness, and sludge formation resistance using suitable additive technologies.



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