# REPORT ON SEQUENCE HIF EVALUATION

VERSION 20010913 BETA

#### CONDUCTED FOR

TSTSPON1 TSTSPON2

	V = VALID				
	I = INVALID				
LABVALID	N = RESULTS CANNOT BE INTERPRETED AS REPRESENTATIVE OF OIL PERFORMANCE (NON-REFERENCE OIL) AND SHALL NOT BE USED FOR MULTIPLE TEST ACCEPTANCE				
TSTOIL	NR = Non-Reference Oil Test				
ISTOIL	RO = Reference Oil Test				

Test Number								
Test Stand	STANL	)	Stand Test Number	er	STRUN	Lab Test Nu	ımber	LABRUN
Oil Code	Oil Code OILCODE							
Formulation/Stand Co	de F	ORM						
Alternate Codes ALTO			LTCODE1		ALTCODE2		ALTCODE3	
EOT Date D7		DTCOMP		EOT Time		EOTTIME		

In my opinion this test *OPVALID*been conducted in a valid manner in accordance with the latest draft of Sequence IIIF procedure and the appropriate amendments through the information letter system. The remarks included in the report describe the anomalies associated with this test.

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Testing Laboratory

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Signature

SUBNAME

Typed Name

SUBTITLE

Title

### Form 2

## **Sequence IIIF**

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#### **Sequence IIIF**

#### FORM 3

#### Summary of Test Method

The Sequence IIIF Test is a fired-engine, dynamometer lubricant test for evaluating automotive engine oils for certain high-temperature performance characteristics, including oil thickening, varnish deposition, oil consumption, and engine wear. Such oils include both single viscosity grade and multiviscosity grade oils that are used in spark-ignition, gasoline-fueled engines, as well as diesel engines.

The Sequence IIIF Test utilizes a 1996 model Buick 3800 Series II, water-cooled, 4 cycle, V-6 engine as the test apparatus. The Sequence IIIF test engine is an overhead valve design (OHV) and uses a single camshaft operating both intake and exhaust valves via pushrods and hydraulic valve lifters in a sliding-follower arrangement. The engine uses one intake and one exhaust valve per cylinder. Induction is handled by a modified GM port fuel injection system setting the Air-to-Fuel ratio at 15:1. The test engine is overhauled prior to each test, during which critical engine dimensions are measured and rated or measured parts (pistons, camshaft, valve lifters, etc.) are replaced.

The Sequence IIIF Test consists of a 10-minute operational check, followed by 80 hours of engine operation at moderately high speed, load, and temperature conditions. The 80-hour segment is broken down into eight 10-hour test segments. Following each 10-hour segment, and the 10-minute operational check, oil samples are drawn from the engine. The kinematic viscosities of the 10-hour segment samples are compared to the viscosity of the 10-minute sample to determine the viscosity increase of the test oil.

The Sequence IIIF Test is operated at the following test states during the 80-hour portion of the test:

Parameter	Set Point
Engine Speed	3600 r/min
Engine Load	200 N-m
Oil Filter Block Temperature	155 °C
Coolant Outlet Temperature	122 °C
Fuel Pressure	365 kPa
Intake Air Temperature	27 °C
Intake Air Pressure	0.05 kPa
Intake Air Dew Point	16.1 °C
Exhaust Back Pressure	6 kPa
Engine Coolant Flow	160 L/min
Breather Tube Coolant Flow	10 L/min
Air-to-Fuel Ratio	15.0:1
Breather Tube Coolant Outlet Temperature	40 °C

#### SEQUENCE HIF FORM 4 TEST RESULT SUMMARY

LAB	LAB	OIL CODE	OILCODE
TEST STAND NO.	STAND	TEST NO.	STAND - STRUN - LABRUN
LABORATORY OIL CODE	LABOCODE		
FORMULATION STAND CODE	FORM		

DATE STARTED	DTSTRT	ENGINE NO.	ENGINENO
TIME STARTED	STRTTIME	FUEL BATCH	FUELBTID
DATE COMPLETED	DTCOMP	SAE VISCOSITY	SAEVISC
TIME COMPLETED	EOTTIME	TMC OIL CODE	IND
TEST LENGTH	TESTLEN		

Pass/Fail Results										
	Viscosity Increase (%)	Screened Average Cam + Lifter Wear (µm)	Average Weighted Piston Deposits (merits)	Average Piston Skirt Varnish (merits)	Number of Hot-Stuck Rings	Oil Consumption (L) <sup>B</sup>				
Original Units	PVIS	SACLW	WPD	APV	HSTUKT	OILCON				
Transformed Results	TPVIS									
Industry Correction Factor	PVIS_CF	SACLW_CF	$WPD\_CF$	APV_CF						
Corrected Transformed Result	PVIS_COR									
Severity Adjustment	PVIS_SA		WPD_SA	APV_SA						
Final Transformed Result	TPVISFNL									
Final Original Unit Result	PVISFNL	SACLWFNL	WPDFNL	APVFNL						

Additional Results							
Oil Consumption Hours, h B	OCONHRS	Average Oil Ring Plugging, %	ORPAVG				
Maximum Cam + Lifter Wear, μm	MCLW	Number of Cold-Stuck Rings	CSTUKT				
AverageCam + Lifter Wear, μm	ACLW						

Most Recent Stand Reference Oil Test History $^{\mathrm{C}}$							
Test Number	RSTAND - RSTRUN - RLABRUN						
Oilcode	ROILCODE						
Date Completed	RDTCOMP	TMC Oil Code	RIND				
Final Viscosity Increase, %	RPVISFNL	Fuel Batch	RFUELBID				
Final Average Piston Skirt Varnish, merits	RAPVFNL						
Final Average Cam + Lifter Wear, μm	RACLWFNL						
Final Maximum Cam + Lifter Wear, µm	RMCLWFNL						
Final Average Weighted Piston Deposit, merits	RWPDFNL						

A Reference Oil Tests Only

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>B</sup> Test Hours at which Oil Consumption was calculated

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>C</sup> Non-Reference Oil Tests Only

#### SEQUENCE IIIF FORM 5 OPERATIONAL SUMMARY

LAB	LAB	OIL CODE	OILCODE
TEST STAND NO.	STAND	TEST NO.	STAND - STRUN - LABRUN
LABORATORY OIL CODE	LABOCODE		
FORMULATION STAND CODE	FORM		

			OI	ЕОТ			Standard	Number Of	
	Parameter	Units	QI Threshold	QI	Target	Average	<b>Deviation</b>	Samples	BQD
	Speed	r/min	0.000	QRPM	3600	ARPM	SRPM	NRPM	BRPM
eters	Load	Nm	0.000	QLOAD	200	ALOAD	SLOAD	NLOAD	BLOAD
met	Oil Filter Block	°C	0.000	QOTEMP	155.0	AOTEMP	SOTEMP	NOTEMP	ВОТЕМР
aram	Engine Coolant Out	°C	0.000	QCOLOUT	122.0	ACOLOUT	SCOLOUT	NCOLOUT	BCOLOUT
ed P	Condenser Coolant Out	°C	0.000	QCCOLOU	T40.0	ACCOLOUT	<i>SCCOLOUT</i>	NCCOLOUT	<i>BCCOLOUT</i>
	Left Air-to-Fuel Ratio		0.000	QLAFR	15.0	ALAFR	SLAFR	NLAFR	BLAFR
ontroll	Right Air-to-Fuel Ratio		0.000	QRAFR	15.0	ARAFR	SRAFR	NRAFR	BRAFR
ပိ	Left Exhaust Back Pressure	kPa	0.000	QLEXBP	6.0	ALEXBP	SLEXBP	NLEXBP	BLEXBP
	Right Exhaust Back Pressure	kPa	0.000	QREXBP	6.0	AREXBP	SREXBP	NREXBP	BREXBP
	Intake Air	kPa	0.000	QINAIR	0.05	AINAIR	SINAIR	NINAIR	BINAIR
	Engine Coolant Flow	L/min	0.000	QCOLFLO	160.0	ACOLFLO	SCOLFLO	NCOLFLO	BCOLFLO

				Standard	Number Of	
	Parameter	Units	Average	<b>Deviation</b>	Samples	BQD
Parameters	Oil Sump	°C	AOSUMP	SOSUMP	NOSUMP	BOSUMP
ame	Pump Outlet Pressure	kPa	APOUTP	SPOUTP	NPOUTP	BPOUTP
Jar	Gallery Pressure	kPa	AOILPRS	SOILPRS	NOILPRS	BOILPRS
E	Engine Coolant In	°C	AECOLIN	SECOLIN	NECOLIN	BECOLIN
lo]	Fuel Inlet	°C	AFUELIN	SFUELIN	NFUELIN	BFUELIN
ontroll	Intake Air	°C	AINAT	SINAT	NINAT	BINAT
on-c	Intake Air Dew Point	°C	AINDEW	SINDEW	NINDEW	BINDEW
S	Intake Vacuum	kPa	AINVAC	SINVAC	NINVAC	BINVAC
	Crankcase	kPa	ACCASEP	SCCASEP	NCCASEP	BCCASEP
	Fuel Pressure	kPa	APFUEL	SPFUEL	NPFUEL	BPFUEL

OIL CONSUMPTION DATA									
HOURS	Initial O Run-in	CONH0100	CONH02000	CONH03000	CONH040O	CONH0500	CONH06000	CONH07000	CONH080
LEVEL (ml) low	OILLINI (	OILLH010 C	OILLH020 (	OILLH030 (	OILLH040 (	ILLH050 (	OILLH060 (	OILLH070 (	OILLH080

NO <sub>x</sub> Measurement			
Hours	NOXHH007	NOXHH039	NOXHH079
NOx, ppm	NOX_H007	NOX_H039	NOX_H079

#### SEQUENCE HIF FORM 6 USED OIL ANALYSIS RESULTS

LAB	LAB	OIL CODE	OILCODE
TEST STAND NO.	STAND	TEST NO.	STAND - STRUN - LABRUN
LABORATORY OIL CODE	LABOCODE		
FORMULATION STAND CODE	FORM		

VISCO	VISCOSITY INCREASE DATA (cSt AT 40°C)					
HOURS	VISCOSITY A	CHANGE	PERCENT			
NEW OIL	VNEW					
INITIAL B	VINI					
VISTH010	VIS_H010	DVISH010	PVISH010			
VISTH020	VIS_H020	DVISH020	PVISH020			
VISTH030	VIS_H030	DVISH030	PVISH030			
VISTH040	VIS_H040	DVISH040	PVISH040			
VISTH050	VIS_H050	DVISH050	PVISH050			
VISTH060	VIS_H060	DVISH060	PVISH060			
VISTH070	VIS_H070	DVISH070	PVISH070			
VISTH080	VIS_H080	DVISH080	PVISH080			
TESTLEN	VISEOT	DVISEOT	PVIS			

A 8000 cSt is maximum allowable viscosity

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>B</sup> At end of leveling run

	Results of ICP Analysis of Used Oil									
Test Hours	Initial	TST_H010	TST_H020	TST_H030	TST_H040	TST_H050	TST_H060	TST_H070	TST_H080	TESTLEN
Iron	FEWMINI	FEWMH010	FEWMH020	FEWMH030	FEWMH040	FEWMH050	FEWMH060	FEWMH070	FEWMH080	FEWMEOT
Copper	CUWMINI	CUWMH010	CUWMH020	CUWMH030	CUWMH040	CUWMH050	CUWMH060	CUWMH070	CUWMH080	CUWMEOT
Lead	PBWMINI	PBWMH010	PBWMH020	PBWMH030	PBWMH040	PBWMH050	PBWMH060	PBWMH070	PBWMH080	PBWMEOT

Cold Crank Simulator Results, D 5293				
Final Temperature, °C CCSTEMP				
Final Cold-Crank Simulator Viscosity, cP	CCS			

Mini-Rotary Viscometer Results, D 4684				
MRV Temperature, °C	MRVTEMP			
MRV Result, cP	MRV			
Yield Stress, cP	YSTRESS			

#### SEQUENCE HIF FORM 7 VALVE LIFTER AND CAMSHAFT WEAR RESULTS

LAB	LAB	OIL CODE	OILCODE
TEST STAND NO.	STAND	TEST NO.	STAND - STRUN - LABRUN
LABORATORY OIL CODE	LABOCODE		
FORMULATION STAND CODE	FORM		

NUMBER	CAMSHAFT LOBE, µm	VALVE LIFTER, μm	CAM & LIFTER WEAR, µm
1	CAMW01	LFTW01	CLW01
2	CAMW02	LFTW02	CLW02
3	CAMW03	LFTW03	CLW03
4	CAMW04	LFTW04	CLW04
5	CAMW05	LFTW05	CLW05
6	CAMW06	LFTW06	CLW06
7	CAMW07	LFTW07	CLW07
8	CAMW08	LFTW08	CLW08
9	CAMW09	LFTW09	CLW09
10	CAMW10	LFTW10	CLW10
11	CAMW11	LFTW11	CLW11
12	CAMW12	LFTW12	CLW12
MAXIMUM	MAXCW	MAXLFTW	MCLW
MINIMUM	MINCW	MINLFTW	MINCLW
AVERAGE	AVGCW	AVGLFTW	ACLW

Screened Averge Cam + Lifter Wear A SACLW

A Average Cam + Lifter wear based on ten positions, excluding minimum and maximum positions.

### SEQUENCE IIIF FORM 8 SUMMARY OF OIL RING LAND DEPOSIT RATING

LAB	LAB	OIL CODE	OILCODE
TEST STAND NO.	STAND	TEST NO.	STAND - STRUN - LABRUN
LABORATORY OIL CODE	LABOCODE		
FORMULATION STAND CODE	FORM		
RATER	RLDRATER	RATING DATE	RLDRTDT

PISTON	OIL RING LAND DEPOSIT, MERITS	% CHIPPED
1	ORLD1	ORCHIP1
2	ORLD2	ORCHIP2
3	ORLD3	ORCHIP3
4	ORLD4	ORCHIP4
5	ORLD5	ORCHIP5
6	ORLD6	ORCHIP6
Average	ORLD	AVGORCHP

DICTON	% OIL RING	RING STICKING A		
PISTON	PLUGGING	HOT-STUCK RINGS	COLD-STUCK RINGS	
1	ORP1	HSTUK1	CSTUK1	
2	ORP2	HSTUK2	CSTUK2	
3	ORP3	HSTUK3	CSTUK3	
4	ORP4	HSTUK4	CSTUK4	
5	ORP5	HSTUK5	CSTUK5	
6	ORP6	HSTUK6	CSTUK6	
Total		HSTUKT	CSTUKT	
Average	ORPAVG			

A Possible values  $T = top\ compression\ ring \\ B = bottom\ compression\ ring \\ O = oil\ ring \\ N = none$ 

#### SEQUENCE HIF FORM 9 SUMMARY OF PISTON DEPOSITS

LAB	LAB	OIL CODE	OILCODE
TEST STAND NO.	STAND	TEST NO.	STAND - STRUN - LABRUN
LABORATORY OIL CODE	LABOCODE		
FORMULATION STAND CODE	FORM		
RATER	APVRATER	RATING DATE	APVRTDT

NOTE: CRC Manual 14 used for ALL Ratings

NOTE: These are unweighted ratings.

	Grooves, merits			Lands,	Undercrown,	
	1	2	3	2	3	merits
Piston 1	G1P1	G2P1	G3P1	L2P1	ORLD1	UCP1
Piston 2	G1P2	G2P2	G3P2	L2P2	ORLD2	UCP2
Piston 3	G1P3	G2P3	G3P3	L2P3	ORLD3	UCP3
Piston 4	G1P4	G2P4	G3P4	L2P4	ORLD4	UCP4
Piston 5	G1P5	G2P5	G3P5	L2P5	ORLD5	UCP5
Piston 6	G1P6	G2P6	G3P6	L2P6	ORLD6	UCP6
WF	0.05	0.10	0.20	0.15	0.30	0.10

NOTE: These are unweighted ratings.

	Piston Skirt Varnish, merits					
	Thrust	Average				
Piston 1	PSVT1	PSVA1	PSVAV1			
Piston 2	PSVT2	PSVA2	PSVAV2			
Piston 3	PSVT3	PSVA3	PSVAV3			
Piston 4	PSVT4	PSVA4	PSVAV4			
Piston 5	PSVT5	PSVA5	PSVAV5			
Piston 6	PSVT6	PSVA6	PSVAV6			
Average	PSVTAV	PSVAAV	APV			
WF			0.10			

PSVAVx = (PSVTx + PSVAx)/2 where x = Number of Piston PSVTAV = average of six Thrust Piston Skirt ratings. PSVAAV = average of six Anti-Thrust Piston Skirt ratings. APV = average of all 12 Piston Skirt ratings.

	Total Weighted
	Deposits, merits
Piston 1	WPD1
Piston 2	WPD2
Piston 3	WPD3
Piston 4	WPD4
Piston 5	WPD5
Piston 6	WPD6

WPDx = (WF\*G1Px) + (WF\*G2Px) + (WF\*G3Px) + (WF\*L2Px) + (WF\*G3Px) + (WF\*L2Px) + (WF\*G3Px) + (WF\*L2Px) + (WF\*G3Px) + (WF\*G3Px)

(WF\*ORLDx)+(WF\*UCPx)+(WF\*PSVAVx)

where: x=Number of Piston

WF=Appropriate Weighting Factor (WF) for part, from table.

#### SEQUENCE HIF FORM 10 BLOWBY VALUES & PLOT

LAB	LAB	OIL CODE	OILCODE
TEST STAND NO.	STAND	TEST NO.	STAND - STRUN - LABRUN
LABORATORY OIL CODE	LABOCODE		
FORMULATION STAND CODE	FORM		

Blowby Plot	
BLOWBYIM	

Test Hours	BBYTH001	ВВҮТН006	BBYTH011	ВВҮТН016	BBYTH021	ВВҮТН026	BBYTH031	<i>ВВҮТН036</i> .	BBYTH041	ВВҮТН046
Blowby, L/min.	BLWBH001	BLWBH006	BLWBH011	BLWBH016	BLWBH021	BLWBH026	BLWBH031	BLWBH036	BLWBH041	BLWBH046
Test Hours	<i>BBYTH051</i> .	ВВҮТН056	BBYTH061	ВВҮТН066	BBYTH071 .	ВВҮТН076	<i>BBYTH079</i>			Average
Blowby, L/min.	BLWBH051	BLWBH056	BLWBH061	BLWBH066	BLWBH071	BLWBH076	BLWBH079			ABLOBY

#### SEQUENCE HIF FORM 11 VISCOSITY INCREASE PLOT

LAB	LAB	OIL CODE	OILCODE
TEST STAND NO.	STAND	TEST NO.	STAND - STRUN - LABRUN
LABORATORY OIL CODE	LABOCODE		
FORMULATION STAND CODE	FORM		

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#### SEQUENCE IIIF FORM 12 HARDWARE INFORMATION

LAB	LAB	OIL CODE	OILCODE
TEST STAND NO.	STAND	TEST NO.	STAND - STRUN - LABRUN
LABORATORY OIL CODE	LABOCODE		
FORMULATION STAND CODE	FORM		

Build Completion Date	BUILDDT	Piston Batch (Code)		PISTBAT
Block Serial Number	BLOCKSN	Piston Size (Grade)		PISTSIZE
Crankshaft Serial Number	CRANKSN	Piston Ring Batch	Code	RINGCODE
Camshaft Serial Number	CAMSN	Oil Filter Batch Co	ode	OILFIBAT
Cylinder Head Serial Number, Left	LHEADSN	Intake Valve Seals	Batch Code	INVSLBAT
Cylinder Head Serial Number, Right	RHEADSN	Valve Springs Bate	ch Code	VALSPBAT
Bearing Kit Serial Number	BRNGSN		1	LFTR1SN
Top Ring Gap, mils	TRINGGAP		2	LFTR2SN
Bottom Ring Gap, mils	BRINGGAP		3	LFTR3SN
Bottom King Gap, mins			4	LFTR4SN
			5	LFTR5SN
		Lifter	6	LFTR6SN
		Serial Number	7	LFTR7SN
			8	LFTR8SN
			9	LFTR9SN
			10	LFTR10SN
			11	LFTR11SN
			12	LFTR12SN

#### SEQUENCE HIF FORM 13 DOWNTIME & OUTLIER REPORT FORM

LAB	LAB	OIL CODE	OILCODE
TEST STAND NO.	STAND	TEST NO.	STAND - STRUN - LABRUN
LABORATORY OIL CODE	<i>LABOCODE</i>		
FORMULATION STAND CODE	FORM		

Downtim	e Occurrences	DWNOCE	?
Test Hours	Date	Total Downtime	Reasons
DOWNR00	IDDATR001	DTIMR001	DREAR001
Total	Downtime	TOTLDOW	N Maximum allowable downtime: 24 hours
			7
Other Com	ments & Outliers	TOTCO	N
OCOMR00	01		
I			