

Sequence IVA Valve Train Wear Evaluation

Form 2

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Form 3

Summary of Test Method

The Sequence IVA engine valve train wear test is a fired engine-dynamometer lubricant test which evaluates the ability of a test lubricant to reduce camshaft lobe wear. The test method is a low temperature cyclic test, with a total running duration of 100 hours.

A 1994 Nissan model KA24E water-cooled, 4 cycle, in-line cylinder, 2.4L engine is used as the test apparatus. The engine incorporates a single overhead cam (SOHC), three valves per cylinder (2 intake; 1 exhaust), and sliding follower valve train design. An engine short block is utilized for 12 tests; a cylinder head assembly for 6 tests; and the critical test parts (camshaft, rocker arms, rocker shafts) are replaced every test. A 95-minute break-in schedule is conducted whenever the long block or cylinder head is replaced (before tests 1 and 7).

The Sequence IVA test is a flush and run type of lubricant test. Each individual test consists of two 20-minute flushes, followed by the 100-hour cyclic test. The cyclic test is comprised of 100 hourly cycles. Each cycle consists of two stages. The idle speed Stage 1 duration is 50 minutes; the 1500 r/min stage 2 operates for 10 minutes. The stages of the test cycle are set at the following conditions:

Parameter	Units	Stage 1	Stage 2
Duration	min	50	10
Engine Speed	r/min	800	1500
Engine Torque	N•m	25	
Coolant Out Temperature	°C	50	55
Oil Cylinder Head Temperature	°C	49	59
Intake Air Temperature	°C	32	
Intake Air Pressure	kPa	0.050	
Intake Air Humidity	G/kg	11.5	
Exhaust Pressure	kPa absolute	103.5	
Coolant Flow	L/min	30	
Fresh Air Flow	SL/min	10	

Upon test completion, the camshaft is removed from the engine and measured for individual lobe wear at seven prescribed locations (nose; 14 degrees before and after the nose; 10 degrees before and after the nose; 4 degrees before and after the nose). For each lobe, the seven locations are summed to determine the lobe wear. Then the twelve lobes are averaged to compute the final test result.

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Form 4 Results Summary

Laboratory: <i>CC</i>	Test Number: <i>CCCCC - CCCC -</i>	Oil Code: <i>cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc</i>
Formulation/Stand Code: <i>CC-CCCCCCCCC-C-C-CCCCC-CC-CC-CCCC</i>		

Laboratory Oil	<i>cccccccccccccccccccc</i>	Fuel Batch	<i>CCCCCCCCC</i>	SAE Grade	<i>CCCCC</i>
Date Started	<i>YYYYMMDD</i>	Date Completed	<i>YYYYMMDD</i>	Test Length	<i>S1234</i>
Time Started	<i>HH:MM</i>	Time Completed	<i>HH:MM</i>	TMC Oil Code ^A	<i>CCCCC</i>
Lab Engine	<i>CCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCC</i>				
Cam Lot Number	<i>CCCCC</i>	Head Lot	<i>CCCCC</i>	Rocker Arm Lot	<i>CCCCC</i>

Average Camshaft Wear

Original Unit Result, μm	<i>S1234.12</i>
Transformed Result	<i>S1234.12</i>
Industry Correction Factor	<i>S12.123</i>
Corrected Transformed Result	<i>S12.123</i>
Severity Adjustment (non-reference oil tests only)	<i>S12.123</i>
Final Transformed Result	<i>S1234.12</i>
Final Original Unit Result, μm	<i>S123.12</i>

Additional Camshaft Lobe Wear Measurements

Intake Lobe	Maximum, μm	<i>S123.12</i>
	Average, μm	<i>S123.12</i>
Exhaust Lobe	Maximum, μm	<i>S123.12</i>
	Average, μm	<i>S123.12</i>
Nose	Maximum, μm	<i>S123.12</i>
	Average, μm	<i>S123.12</i>

Additional Information

Total Oil Consumption @ EOT, g	<i>S123456</i>
Fuel Dilution @ EOT, %	<i>S123.12</i>
Fuel Consumption @ EOT, kg	<i>S123.12</i>
Fe by ICP @ EOT, ppm	<i>AAAAAA</i>
Corrected Blowby, L/min @ hour 5	<i>S1234.12</i>
Corrected Blowby, L/min @ hour 100	<i>S1234.12</i>

Most Recent Reference Oil Test History^B

Test Number	<i>CCCCC - CCCC -</i>		
Oilcode	<i>CCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCC</i>		
Date	<i>YYYYMMDD</i>	TMC Oil Code	<i>CCCCC</i>
Final Average Camshaft Wear, μm	<i>S123.12</i>		

^A Reference Oil Tests Only

^B Non-reference Oil Tests Only

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Form 7 Used Oil Analysis

Laboratory: <i>CC</i>	Test Number: <i>CCCCC - CCCC -</i>	Oil Code: <i>cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc</i>
Formulation/Stand Code: <i>CC-CCCCCCCCC-C-C-CCCCCC-CC-CC-CCCCC</i>		

Chemical Analysis of 0, 25, 50, 75, & 100-hour Used Engine Oil Samples

ASTM Method	Analysis Description	Units	CCC	CCC	CCC	CCC	CCC
D445	Kinematic Viscosity @ 40°C	cSt	<i>S123.12</i>				<i>S123.12</i>
D3525-M	Fuel Dilution, Gasoline	%					
D5185 (ICP)	Iron by ICP	ppm		<i>AAAAAA</i>	<i>AAAAAA</i>	<i>AAAAAA</i>	<i>AAAAAA</i>
D5185 (ICP)	Copper by ICP	ppm		<i>AAAAAA</i>	<i>AAAAAA</i>	<i>AAAAAA</i>	<i>AAAAAA</i>

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Form 8

Camshaft Bore/Journal Measurements

Laboratory: <i>CC</i>	Test Number: <i>CCCCC - CCCC -</i>	Oil Code: <i>cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc</i>
Formulation/Stand Code: <i>cc-cccccccc-c-c-cccccc-cc-cc-cccc</i>		

Camshaft Bearing Bore Diameter (mm)

Bore Gauge Set: 33.000mm

Diameter (Standard): 33.000 – 33.025mm

Bore Number	X		V		Y		Maximum Run-out	
	F	R	F	R	F	R	F	R
1	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>
2	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>
3	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>
4	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>
5	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>

Camshaft Bearing Journal Diameter (mm)

Diameter (Standard): 32.935 – 32.955mm

Clearance (Limit): 0.120mm

Bore Number	V		H		Run-out		Clearance @ V	
	F	R	F	R	F	R	F	R
1	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>
2	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>
3	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>
4	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>
5	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>	<i>S123.123</i>

Note: Calculate camshaft bearing clearance @ vertical bore diameter

Camshaft End Play, mm	<i>S123.123</i>	End Play (Limit): 0.20mm
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Camshaft Sprocket Run-out, mm	<i>S123.123</i>	Run-out (Limit): 0.12mm
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Camshaft Run-out (bend), mm	<i>S123.123</i>	Run-out (Limit): 0.02mm
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Cylinder Compression, kPa

Cylinder Number	1	2	3	4
Before Test	<i>S12345</i>	<i>S12345</i>	<i>S12345</i>	<i>S12345</i>

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Form 10

Cycle 5 Stage 2 to 1 Transition: Oil Cylinder Head Temperature

Laboratory: CC	Test Number: CCCCCC - CCCC -	Oil Code: <small>cc</small>
Formulation/Stand Code: CC-CCCCCCCCCC-C-C-CCCCCCC-CC-CC-CCCCC		

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Cycle 5 Stage 1 to 2 Transition: Oil Cylinder Head Temperature

