

Shear Stability and HTHS Viscosity Task Group

June 16, 2003

Meetings

- June 11th Teleconference
 - Agreed to test oil matrix
 - Agreed process for June 16 meeting
 - Reviewed funding status
- June 16th
 - Agreed recommendation to HDEOCP

Recommendation to HDEOCP

- Task group recommends the use of a 90 cycle Kurt Orbahn test to determine shear stability characteristics of diesel engine oils.
 - Supported by data already presented to task group by various members
- Task group recommends that Subcommittee 7 develop a method and precision statement for the 90 cycle test