

### Reolube<sup>®</sup> Turbofluid 46B Fire Resistant Hydraulic Fluid

#### **DESCRIPTION**

**Reolube**<sup>®</sup> **Turbofluid 46B** is a high performance, fire-resistant hydraulic fluid designed for use in electrohydraulic governor control systems of steam turbines, including systems using fine tolerance servo valves. It is a triaryl phosphate based on synthetic butylated phenol and is formulated to provide good oxidation stability. Physical properties such as air release, foaming and demulsibility are also carefully controlled within turbine manufacturers' specified limits.

**Reolube® Turbofluid 46B** is also recommended for use as a fire-resistant lubricant, for example in steam and gas turbines. **Reolube® Turbofluid 46B** is approved by major OEMs such as General Electric, Siemens, Mitsubishi Hitachi Power Sytems and Alstom and is approved by FM Global against Standard 6930 for 'Less flammable hydraulic fluids'. It also meets the requirements of ISO Standard 12922 and ASTM D4293 for HFDR-type fire-resistant hydraulic fluids.

Reolube® Turbofluid 46B is fully compatible with other phosphate ester EHC fluids.

The values given in the tables are typical and do not constitute specification limits.

**Technical data\*** 

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PHYSICAL PROPERTY	UNIT	TYPICAL VALUE	TEST METHOD	
Color	Hazen	1	ASTM D1500	
Kinematic Viscosity at 100°C	SUS (cSt)	25.019 (5.4)	ISO 3104/ ASTM D445	
Kinematic Viscoity at 40°C	SUS (cSt)	206.12 (44.5)	ISO 3104/ ASTM D445	
Specific Gravity at 20°C		1.15	ISO 3675/ ASTM D4052	
Pour Point	°F (°C)	-11.2 (-24)	ISO 3016	
Acid Number	mgKOH/g	0.05	ISO 6619/ ASTM D664	
Chlorine Content	ppm	6	Microcoulometric	
Water Content	%w/w	0.04	ISO ISO 760	
Volume Resistivity at 20°C	MOhm.m	200	IEC 60247	
Particulate Contamination		Passes -/15/12	ISO 4406	
Foaming Tendency at 75.2°F (24°C)	ml	10	ISO 6247/ ASTM D892	
Foaming Stability at 75.2 F (24°C)	ml	0	ISO 6247/ ASTM D892	
Air Release at 122°F (50°C)	min	4.0	ISO 9120/ ASTM 3427	
Water Separation (Demulsification)	min	5	ISO 6614/ASTM D1401	

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FIRE RESISTANCE PROPERTY	UNIT	TYPICAL VALUE	TEST METHOD
Flash Point (open cup)	°F (°C)	503.6 (262)	ASTM D92
Fire Point (open cup)	°F (°C)	669.2 (354)	ASTM D92
Autoignition Temperature (method A)	°F (°C)	1004 (540)	DIN 51794
Autoignition Temperature (method B)	°F (°C)	993.2 (534)	ASTM E659
Wick Ignition Maximum Persistence	s	0.7	ISO 14935
Spray Ingnition Maximum Persistence of Burning	s	8	ISO 15029-1
Spray Ignition Stabilised ignitability grade		E	ISO 15029-2
Spray Ignition Stabilised flame length grade		D	ISO 15029-2
Hot Manifold Ignition	°F (°C)	No flashing or burning on tube at 1338.8 (726) (pass)	ISO 20823

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LUBRICATION PERFORMANCE	UNIT	TYPICAL VALUE	TEST METHOD
Vickers Vane Pump Test ring weight loss	mg	11.6	ISO 20763
Vickers Vane Pump Test ring vane weight loss	mg	4.9	ISO 20763
Vickers Vane Pump Test ring total weight loss	mg	16.5	ISO 20763
Four Ball Wear Test wear scar diameter	mm	0.52	ASTM D4172
FZG Gear Test Failure Load Stage		8	DIN 51354 part 1
FZG Gear Test Specific Weight Loss	mg/kWh	0.46	DIN 51354 part 1

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STABILITY PROPERTY	UNIT	TYPICAL VALUE	TEST METHOD
Oxidative Stability Method A acid value change	mgKOH/g	0.05	DIN EN 14832
Oxidative Stability Method A Metal weight changes iron, copper	mg	-0.1, -0.1	DIN EN 14832
Oxidative Stability Method B viscosity change at 40°C	%	1.5	FTM 791 5308.7
Oxidative Stability Method B acid value change	mgKOH/g	0.05	FTM 791 5308.7
Oxidative Stability Method C time to 275 kPa pressure drop	min	216	ASTM D2272
Hydrolytic Stability Method A acid value change in fluid	mgKOH/g	0.27	DIN EN 14833
Hydrolytic Stability Method A acid value change in water	mgKOH/g	0.46	DIN EN 14833
Hydrolytic Stability Method B acid value change in fluid	mgKOH/g	0.13	ASTM D2619
Hydrolytic Stability Method B acid value change in water	mgKOH/g	0.17	ASTM D2619
Hydrolytic Stability Method B copper weight change	mg	0.04	ASTM D2619

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MATERIAL APPLICATION	SEALS PACKING HOSES ACCUMULAT- ORS	WIRES AND CABLE INSULATION	PAINTS	FILTERS
Acrylic			U	
Activated Alumina				А
Alkyd Paint			А	
Butyl Rubber	R			
Cellulose				A
Ethylene-Propylene Rubber	R			
Epoxy Paint (cured)			R	
Fuller's Earth				Α
Ion Exchange Resins				R
Natural Rubber	U			
Neoprene	U			
Nitrocullulose			U	
Nitrile Rubber	U			
Nylon	R	R		
Paper				А
Phenolic Resins			U	
Polyethylene		Α		
Polypropylene		Α		
Polyurethane Paint			А	
PVC		U		
Silicone Rubber	U	Α		
Teflon	R	R		
Vinyl Ester Paint			А	
Viton Rubber	R			





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### **Packaging**

Reolube® Turbofluid 46B is available in 230kg drums.

### Storage conditions

Store in a cool dry location

#### Handling

In accordance with safe industrial practice, gloves, safety glasses and an apron should be worn when handling Reolube<sup>®</sup> Turbofluids, and spillages should be dealt with immediately. If allowed to overheat, breathing the fumes should be avoided

For more extensive information on the safe handling and use of this product, see the Safety Data Sheet.

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