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Evonik to Deliver Synthetic Base Fluid Presentation at CIS Base Oils, Lubricants and Fuels 2014

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HORSHAM, PA --- A representative from Evonik's Oil Additives team will deliver a presentation on synthetic base fluid at the CIS Base Oils, Lubricants and Fuels 2014 Conference on May 27-29, at the Hotel Intercontinental in Moscow, Russia.

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Dmitriy Shakhvorostov, Oil Additives technical service manager & OEM relations manager at Evonik, will serve as a panelist during Session 4 and share a presentation titled, "VISCOBASE® Synthetic Base Fluids—Your Choice for Modern Transmission Oils" on May 28 at 3:30 p.m.

Shakhvorostov will discuss the benefits of VISCOBASE® high-viscosity, synthetic base fluids for automotive oils, including manual transmission fluids and heavy-duty axle lubricants, and industrial gear oils, including wind turbine gearbox lubricants.

For more details about the conference, visit the CIS Base Oils, Lubricants and Fuels 2014 Conference website at www.globuc.com/events/cis_fuels_and_lubricants_2014. To learn more about the Evonik's technologies and products, visit evonik.com/oil-additives.

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The Oil Additives team at Evonik has taken a leadership role in developing lubricant additive technology designed to improve fuel efficiency and productivity. Energy–saving results have been demonstrated with VISCOPLEX® Viscosity Index Improvers (VIIs) in engine oils, driveline fluids and gear oils. Industrial and off–highway equipment field tests have also recorded up to double–digit improvements in fuel savings with DYNAVIS® technology for hydraulic fluids, reducing operating costs as well as CO2 emissions. Evonik's VISCOBASE® products offer an ideal balance between a very shear–stable VII and a synthetic base fluid, providing excellent solvency in automotive gear oil formulations such as heavy duty axle oils and manual transmission

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fluids. In all of its many applications, the Oil Additives team at Evonik strives for Resource Efficiency.

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