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Evonik's Oil Additives Team Publishes New Product **Application Guide**

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HORSHAM, PA --- Evonik's oil additives team has created a product application guide as a new tool for its customers to aid in the selection of its oil additives products and technologies.

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The product application guide outlines Evonik's product and technology portfolio and includes a comprehensive listing and explanation of the VISCOPLEX® and VISCOBASE® product lines: VISCOPLEX® viscosity index improvers, VISCOPLEX® pour point depressants (PPDs), VISCOPLEX® dewaxing aids, VISCOPLEX® fuel additives, VISCOPLEX® defoamer additives and VISCOBASE® synthetic base fluids. In addition, the product application guide explains how the VISCOPLEX® and VISCOBASE® product lines can be efficiently used in applications like hydraulic fluids, driveline fluids, oil refineries, engine oils and specialty applications.

"The new product application guide helps highlight oil additives' unique ability to assist customers with customized formulations in specialty application areas," said Oliver Eyrisch, director, marketing and branding for oil additives.

The interactive product application guide can be found on Evonik's oil additives web pages at http://oil-additives.evonik.com/product/oil- additives/en/publications/pages/brochures.aspx?s=1&sf=DocumentTyp e&p=2&dt=dc.dropdown.doctype.brochures.

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About oil additives at Evonik

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®



technology offers 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 fluids. In all of its many applications, oil additives at Evonik strives for Resource Efficiency.

The oil additives business line of Evonik Industries also specializes in high-performance additives and technologies for fuels and refinery products. Evonik's VISCOPLEX® Cold Flow Improvers (CFIs) provide outstanding flow properties for biofuels in any region or season. VISCOPLEX® dewaxing aids (DWAs) are designed for refinery solvent dewaxing processes that involve differing lube oil viscosity grades, especially bright stocks.

Advanced regional technology centers, modern global manufacturing centers, and a secure and reliable supply chain worldwide enable Evonik's continuous development of customized solutions for customers anywhere on earth.

Company information

Evonik, the creative international industrial group, is one of the world leaders in specialty chemicals. Its activities focus on the key megatrends resource efficiency, health, nutrition and globalization. Evonik benefits specifically from its innovative strength and integrated technology platforms. Evonik is active in over 100 countries around the world. In fiscal 2012 more than 33,000 employees generated sales of around €13.6 billion.

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