

# **OPUS LUBRICANTS PRODUCT DATA**

# LONG LIFE ANTIFREEZE

# **Description**

OPUS Long Life Antifreeze is an ethylene glycol based engine coolant concentrate, which uses Organic Acid Inhibitor Technology and is free from nitrites, amines, phosphates, borates and silicates. BTC Classification Type 4E. Fleet trials have shown that when used at the correct concentration coolants based on Organic Acid Inhibitor Technology continues to provide effective corrosion protection for up to 250,000 km for passenger cars and 500,000km in commercial vehicles. It is recommended that the coolant is replaced when the above mileages have been reached or after 5 years whichever is the sooner. Unlike traditional coolants which employ inorganic inhibitors, Opus Long Life Antifreeze has excellent hard water stability and very low inhibitor depletion rates.

## **Physical Properties**

Parameter	Method	EXLC 5	<u>ASTM D3306</u>
Appearance	Visual	Clear Red – Orange liquid free from suspended matter	Not Specified
Specific Gravity 15/15°C	ASTM D 4052	1.125	1.110 – 1.145
Equilibrium Reflux Boiling Point °C	ASTM D 1120	174	163 min
Freezing Point °C (50% Dilution by vol.)	ASTM D 1177	-40	-37 max
Freezing Point °C (33% Dilution by vol.)	ASTM D 1177	-20	
pH (50% vol.)	ASTM D 1287	8.0	7.5 – 11.0
Reserve Alkalinity 0.1N HCI	ASTM D 1121	7.5	Report
Water Content	ASTM D 1123	3.0	5 max
Foaming Vol. (ml)	ASTM D1881	45	150 max
Properties Break (s)	AGTIM D1001	2	5 max

## **Corrosion Protection**

	Weight Loss mg / Coupon					
	Copper	Solder	Brass	Steel	Cast Iron	Aluminium
ASTM D 2570 (max)	20	60	20	20	20	60
Longlife	2	3	2	2	1	5



# ASTM D 4340 Corrosion of Aluminium under heating rejecting conditions

	Weight Loss mg / cm <sup>2</sup> / week
ASTM D 2570 (max)	1.0
Longlife	0.2

# ASTM D2570 Simulated Service Corrosion Test

	Weight Loss mg / Coupon					
	Copper	Solder	Brass	Steel	Cast Iron	Aluminium
ASTM D 2570 (max)	20	60	20	20	20	60
Longlife	2	3	2	2	1	5

# ASTM D 2809 Cavitation Corrosion Characteristics of Aluminium Pumps

	Weight Loss mg / cm² / week
ASTM D 2809 (min)	8
Longlife	9

(The above figures are typical values and do not constitute a specification)

# **Freeze Protection**

	Concentration by Volume %				
	25	33	40	50	60
Specific Gravity 20 / 4°	1.040	1.055	1.073	1.086	1.100
Freeze Protection * °C	-12	-22	-27	-40	-56

\*Average of Freezing Point and Pour Point



#### Performance Standards

Opus Longlife Antifreeze exceeds the requirements of most European and International Standards incuding:

ASTM D3306 ASTM D 4985 SAE J 1034 BS 6580 (2010) AFNOR NF R15-601 \* FFV Heft R443 CUNA NC 956-16 UNE 26361 - 88 JIS K 2234 \* NATO S 759 (\* with the exception of reserve alkalinity)

It also meets the performance requirements of the following OEM specifications:

Chrysler MS 9176 Cummins CES 14603 Ford ESE M97B49-A, WSS-M97B44-D &ESD M97 B49-A GM 1899 M, US 6277 M & OPEL GM QL130100 John Deere H 24 B1 & C1 Leyland Trucks LTS 22 AF 10 Mack 014GS 17004 MAN 248, 324 (SNF) & B&W D 36 5600 Mercedes MB 325.3 Renault 41-01-001 - D VAG TL 774 D/F VOLVO VCS

## Compatibility with other coolants

Opus Longlife Antifreeze is compatible with other ethylene glycol based coolants and can be safely mixed with them. As Opus Longlife Antifreeze employs an inhibitor technology that is significantly different from that used in traditional coolants we recommend that prior to using Opus Longlife Antifreeze in systems previously filled with traditional coolant that the cooling system is drained and flushed with clean water before filling with Opus Longlife Antifreeze diluted in accordance with the vehicle manufacturers instructions to ensure optimum performance and durability. Failure to do so can significantly reduce the working life of the Opus Longlife Antifreeze. In the absence of a vehicle manufacturer's advice we would recommend a 50% dilution of Opus Longlife Antifreeze in good quality water.

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