



Gulf Way

Superior quality machine tool slideway lubricants

Product Description

Gulf Way series are superior quality lubricants specially developed to meet the requirements of modern high production machine tool slideways. These oils are formulated from high quality base stocks and select additives to provide excellent anti-wear and EP characteristics, low frictional properties, adhesiveness filterability and water separating capabilities. These oils offer superior protection against oil degradation and corrosion of machine tool surfaces even in presence of aqueous cutting fluids. They are specially developed to reduce the "stick-slip" problems with slow moving and heavily loaded machine tool slides and lead to improved surface finish and dimensional accuracy of workpieces. These oils exceed the performance requirements of the Cincinnati Machine specifications - P-47 (ISO VG 68) and P-50 (ISO VG 220).

Features & Benefits

- Low frictional properties reduce chatter and stick-slip of slides and ways and lead to improved surface finish and dimensional accuracy of workpieces
- Excellent demulsibility provides ready separation from soluble cutting fluids and leads to prolonged coolant life and reduced cost of replacement and disposal
- Superior metal wetting properties and adhesiveness resist wash-off from critical surfaces and protect from attack of high pH coolants
- Good filterability provides easy circulation through filters and reduces stick-slip, chatter and wear
- Excellent anti-wear performance provides high levels of protection for gears, bearings and slides
- Effective rust and corrosion inhibitors provide enhanced protection of machine tool slides even in presence of aqueous cutting fluids
- Good thermal and oxidative stability keeps sliding surfaces clean and resists oil degradation thereby increasing its service life

Applications

- Slides and ways of lathes, shapers, grinders and milling machines
- Gulf Way 32 and 68 are suitable for horizontal slides and ways on small to medium size machine tools
- Gulf Way 220 is recommended for large machines where way pressures are high and also for vertical and inclined slides and ways

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Specifications, Approvals & Typical Properties

ISO Viscosity grades		32	68	220	
Meets the following Specifications					
Cincinnati Machine		P-53	P-47	P-50	
GM LS-2		X	X	X	
Typical Properties					
Test Parameters	ASTM Method	Test Values			
Viscosity @ 40 °C, cSt	D 445	31.2	67.6	215.5	
Viscosity Index	D 2270	100	99	96	
Flash Point, °C	D 92	202	228	256	
Pour Point, °C	D 97	-21	-15	-6	
Density @ 15°C, Kg/l	D 1298	0.87	0.881	0.894	
Rust Test	D 665A/B	Pass	Pass	Pass	
Copper Corrosion	D 130	1b	1b	1b	
Stick-Slip, Ratio	CM	0.79	0.75	0.72	
Thermal Stability	CM – Procedure B	Pass	Pass	Pass	
Acid Number, mg KOH/g	D 974	0.63	0.64	0.66	
Emulsion Test 30 minutes max	@ 54 °C	D 1401	Pass	Pass	-
	@ 82 °C		-	-	Pass
Four Ball Wear, Scar 20 kg, 1800 rpm, 1 hr, 54°C, mm	D 4172	0.37	0.29	0.26	
Timken EP OK load, lb	D 2782	40	45	60	

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