### Industrial Gas and Steam Turbine Oil





# **Product description**

# VARTECH™ Technology:

**GST Advantage RO** is formulated with VARTECH<sup>TM</sup> Technology which is advanced chemistry that helps:

- Improve oxidation stability
- Reduce oil degradation
- Extend oil life by limiting harmful precursors that can lead to varnish formation

VARTECH™ Technology inhibits varnish formation to help maintain peak performance, reliability and productivity.

### Customer benefits and product features

#### **Customer benefits**

- Exceptional Oxidation and Thermal Stability assists with long service life at severe temperatures with Minimal Deposit Formation
- Low Varnish Potential ensure varnish formation are minimized to protect the equipment
- Outstanding Rust and Corrosion Protection
- High Viscosity Index helps ensure minimum viscosity change when variations in temperature occur
- Minimal Foaming helps prevent sump overflow or erratic governor operation
- Fast Air Release minimizes possibility of pump cavitation in systems with high circulation rates and lesser resonance time
- Rapid Water Separation facilitates water removal
- Hydraulic Fluid Service for systems requiring an ISO 32/46 viscosity oil and pressures not exceeding 1000 psi
- Air Compressor Lubricant for systems requiring an ISO 32/46 viscosity, R&O oil

#### **Product features**

- GST Advantage RO turbine oil has exceptional thermal and oxidative stability. It is suitable for use in gas
  and steam turbines where extreme temperatures are experienced and require circulation systems with
  exceptional high temperature stability
- GST Advantage RO turbine oil combines highly refined group II base stocks and an advanced additive
  package to help minimize the formation of deposits in reservoirs, high temperature bearings and other hot
  areas of the turbine

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# **Applications**

- Non-geared gas, steam and hydroelectric turbines
- Rotating machinery in gas and steam combined-cycle cogeneration units
- · Air compressors, turbo-blowers and centrifugal pumps requiring a rust and oxidation inhibited oil
- Marine reduction gears where R&O oils are specified
- Industrial applications requiring R&O type circulating oils with extended service capability

Do not use in high pressure systems in the vicinity of flames, sparks and hot surfaces. Use only in well ventilated areas. Keep container closed.

# Product approvals, performance and recommendations

## GST Advantage RO approval of the following specifications:

- Ansaldo Energia TG02-0171-E0000 (ISO 46)
- Ansaldo Energia AD000020487
- Doosan Skoda TP0010P
- MAN Energy Solution 10000494596
- Siemens TL 9013 04, TLV 9013 05

### GST Advantage RO meets the requirements of the following specifications:

- Alstom NBA P50001A
- Alstom NBA P50003A (ISO 32)
- General Electric (Alstom) HTGD 90117
- GE Oil & Gas ITN52220.02, ITN 52220.03
- General Electric GEK 28143a,b
- General Electric GEK 107395A, 120498, 27070, 32568e-k, 46506d,e (ISO 32)
- MAG Cincinnati Cincinnati Machine P-38 (ISO 32)
- MAG Cincinnati Cincinnati Machine P-55 (ISO 46)
- Siemens MAT 821101 (ISO 32)
- Siemens MAT 821102 (ISO46)
- Siemens Westinghouse PD-55125Z3 (ISO 32)
- Solar Turbine ES 9-224 Class II
- ASTM D4304 Type I,III
- ANSI/AGMA 9005-F16
- British Standard 489
- DIN 51515-1 TD, 51515-2 TG
- ISO 8068 AR, B, L-TSA, L-TGA
- JIS K-2213 Type 2

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# Service considerations

Premium quality turbine oils must be capable of lubricating and cooling bearings while protecting the system against rust, corrosion and harmful deposits. Since the turbine equipment is normally used in key applications, the reliability of rotating machinery and its lubricant is critical.

Periodic monitoring of the oil in service is recommended to assure satisfactory performance of the turbine. The principal reasons for monitoring are two folds: firstly, to determine the conditions of the used oil and secondly, to disclose environmental or operational problems within the equipment. The oil should be visually inspected by the operator at frequent intervals for contamination and/or appearance changes. Refer to ASTM D4378 for guidance on sampling and testing frequency. Samples should be taken from discharge side of the oil pump while system is circulating.

During service, effective purification of the lubricating oil is recommended for the removal of contaminants such as water and solids.

Care should be taken to ensure against top-up and/or contamination from other products, as this can reduce the performance characteristics of GST Advantage RO. Carefully observe recommended flushing procedures on start-up of new equipment to avoid contamination with temporary corrosion protection materials.

Where geared industrial turbines are to be lubricated and an anti-wear or extreme pressure type of turbine oil is required, the use of GST® EP should be considered.

GST Advantage RO is not intended for use in aero-derivative gas turbines. Must not be used in breathing air compressors.

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# Typical test data

GST ADVANTAGE RO	TEST METHOD	RESULTS	
ISO Grade		32	46
Product Code		520035	520036
Air Release @ 50°C, mins	ASTM D3427	1.0	2.3
Flash Point, COC, °C	ASTM D92	222	236
Oxidation Stability,  TOST life, hrs to 2.0 Acid No. D2272, RPVOT, mins	ASTM D943 ASTM D2272	10,000 1500	10,000 1600
Pour Point, °C	ASTM D97	-12	-13
Viscosity, mm²/s @ 40°C mm²/s @ 100°C	ASTM D445 ASTM D445	34.20 5.67	42.40 6.50
Viscosity Index	ASTM D2270	104	103

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