

Technical Data Sheet

• Dedicated CNG Engine Oil

Shell Rotella® T3 NG 15W-40

Multigrade Dedicated CNG Engine Oil

Shell Rotella[®] T3 NG Energized Protection[™] oil uses tailored combinations of high performance additives to ensure that the oil adapts and protects under the range of pressures and temperatures found in compressed natural gas (CNG) fueled engines. Shell Rotella[®] T3 NG oil is suitable for mobile applications like buses and trucks fitted with engines designed to run on 100% CNG and LNG.

Performance, Features & Benefits

Good piston and engine cleanliness

Optimized balance of detergency and dispersancy provides good piston and engine cleanliness ensuring long and efficient engine operation.

Ignition system protection

Optimized formulation with reduced levels of "ash" containing additives to control deposit formation in the combustion chamber to help prolong the life of valves and spark plugs.

Good wear protection

Contains an optimized active anti-wear system that balances the more demanding requirements of on-highway applications (compared to stationary gas engine) with the need to minimize spark plug fouling.

Typical Physical Characteristics

Main Applications



Mobile CNG fuelled heavy duty vehicles

For buses and trucks fitted with engines designed to run on 100% CNG Shell Rotella[®] T3 NG is suitable.

Specifications, Approvals & Recommendations

- API : CF
- Cummins : CES 20074
- Detroit Diesel : DDC 93K216

For a full listing of equipment approvals and recommendations, please consult your local Shell Technical Helpdesk.

Properties			Method	Shell Rotella T3 NG (2011)
SAE Viscosity Grade				15W-40
Kinematic Viscosity	@104ºF	mm²/s	ASTM D445	117
Kinematic Viscosity	@212ºF	mm²/s	ASTM D445	15.5
Total Base Number TBN - E		mg KOH/g	ASTM D2896	4.8
Sulfated Ash		%	ASTM D874	0.6
Phosphorus, Max % wt			ASTM D4952	0.08
Flash Point (COC)		°F	ASTM D92	437
Pour Point		°F	ASTM D97	-27.4
Density	@15°C	kg/l	ASTM D4052	0.88

These characteristics are typical of current production. While future production will conform to Shell's specification, variations in these characteristics may occur.

Health, Safety & Environment

Health and Safety

Shell Rotella[®] T3 NG is unlikely to present any significant health or safety hazard when properly used in the recommended application and good standards of personal hygiene are maintained.

Avoid contact with skin. Use impervious gloves with used oil. After skin contact, wash immediately with soap and water.

Guidance on Health and Safety is available on the appropriate Material Safety Data Sheet, which can be obtained from your Shell representative.

Protect the Environment

Take used oil to an authorized collection point. Do not discharge into drains, soil or water.

Additional Information

Advice

Product recommendations for applications and specifications not covered here may be obtained from your Shell representative.