

Gear Shield NC® In The Cement Industry





Background Information

Industry: Cement Equipment: Kiln

Application: Open Gear Lubrication Lubricant: Petron Gear Shield NC[®]

Previous Condition:

- 1) Customer used a synthetic product to lubricate the open gears of one kiln.
- 2) Evidence of excessive lubricant on surface of gears.
- 3) Consumption of open gear lubricant estimated at 36 pounds per day.

Current Condition:

- **1)** Gear Shield NC[®] currently lubricates the open gears of kiln.
- 2) Current application of lubricant exceeds OEM recommendation.
- 3) Current consumption of Gear Shield NC[®] estimated at 9 lbs. pounds per day.

Benefits:

- 1) Greater protection to gears due to superior film thickness (lambda value) of Gear Shield ® NC.
- 2) 75 % reduction in lubricant consumption.
- 3) Cost reduction to dispose of used lubricant.

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Proof of Performance

Higher Viscosity Film Thickness Established





K1 Kiln Automatic Lubrication System Timing Comparison

(Over Sixty Minutes)

Previous Product





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Proof of Performance

K1 KILN Daily Lubricant Consumption Reduced 75%



Benefits

- Increased Gear Protection
- Reduced Lubricant Consumption
- Reduced Lubricant Cost
- Reduced Used Lubricant Disposal Cost
- Improved Housekeeping

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Proof of Performance

Hardware

One Lincoln SL-1 injector per spray head Each injector adjustable between .008 - .080 cu. in. Output set at 75% of maximum = .060 cu. in. per injector

Previous = 36 lbs. per day

Lubrication cycle = $2\frac{1}{2}$ minutes (24 cycles per hour) .060 x 1 = .060 cu. in. per injector .060 x 3 injectors = 1.80 cu. in. total output 1.80 cu. in. x 24 cycles per hour = 43.20 cu. in. (24.0 oz) 24.0 oz. x 24 hours = 576 oz. (36 lbs.) per day

Current = 9 lbs. per day

Lubrication cycle = 10 minutes (6 cycles per hour) .060 x 1 = .060 cu. in. per injector .060 x 3 injectors = 1.80 cu. in. total output 1.80 cu. in. x 6 cycles per hour = 10.80 cu. in. (6.0 oz.) 6.0 oz. x 24 hours = 144 oz. (9 lbs.) per day



Consumption Estimate K1 Kiln

Product	Consumption
Gear Shield NC®	K1 Kiln =
	9 lbs. per day
Previous Product	K1 Kiln =
	36 lbs. per day