

ABSTRACT

**TRANSMISSION FLUID COMPOSITION FOR IMPROVED WEAR
PROTECTION**

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A transmission fluid composition contains a major amount of a lubricating oil basestock, and a minor amount of an additive package comprising: (i) a mixture comprising two or more phosphites and/or phosphates; (ii) one or more thioester compounds; (iii) one or more zinc dihydrocarbyl dithiophosphate compounds; and
10 (iv) one or more oil-soluble or dispersible molybdenum-containing compounds. Such a transmission fluid may be used for controlling and/or reducing wear, *e.g.*, in a manual transmission.

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