CLAIMS

1. A lubricant composition comprising:

not less than 14% by weight and not more than 50% by weight of a fraction having a boiling point of 500°C to 550°C; and

not less than 5% by weight and not more than 20% by weight of a fraction having a boiling point of higher than 550°C.

2. The lubricant composition according to claim 1, wherein the NOACK evaporation amount is not more than 20% by weight.

3. The lubricant composition according to claim 1 or 2, wherein the CCS viscosity at -35°C is not more than 6.2 Pa·s.

4. The lubricant composition according to any one of claims 1 to 3, which comprises not less than 45% by weight and not more than 90% by weight of paraffin.

5. The lubricant composition according to claim 4, which comprises not less than 1% by weight and not more than 40% by weight of monocyclic naphthene.

6. The lubricant composition according to any one of claims 1 to 5, which has a high-temperature high-shear viscosity (HTHS viscosity) of 2.0 to 3.5 mPa·s at 150°C.

7. The lubricant composition according to any one of claims 1 to 6, which comprises an ester base oil.

8. The lubricant composition according to any one of claims 1 to 7, which comprises a poly-α-olefin (PAO) base oil.

9. The lubricant composition according to any one of claims 1 to 8, which comprises a Fischer-Tropsch-derived base oil.

10. The lubricant composition according to any one of claims 1 to 9, which is used in an internal-combustion engine.

11. The lubricant composition according to claim 10, wherein the internal-combustion engine is a diesel engine.

12. A method of inhibiting formation of compressor

deposits by using the lubricant composition according to any one of claims 1 to 11 in a diesel engine.