

**Process For Improving The Lubricating Properties Of Base Oils
Using Isomerized Petroleum Product**

Abstract

- 5 A method for improving the lubricating properties of a isomerized distillate
base oil having a kinematic viscosity at 100 degrees C between about 2.5
cSt and about 8 cSt, the method comprising blending with said
isomerized distillate base oil a sufficient amount of a pour point
depressing base oil blending component to reduce the pour point of the
10 resulting base oil blend at least 3 degrees C below the pour point of the
distillate base oil wherein the pour point depressing base oil blending
component is an isomerized petroleum derived base oil containing
material having a boiling range above about 1050 degrees R; also
lubricating base oil blends prepared according to the process; and the
15 pour point depressing base oil blending component.

(No drawings)