SUNTEC PUMPS AND UK KEROSENE

KEROSENE PROPERTIES

Kerosene fuel has different properties compared to gasoil:

- ⇒ much lower viscosity (1,3 to 2,9 cst @20°C), meaning that the internal leakages between the moving parts of the pump are increased giving a reduction in available nozzle flow capacity.
- ⇒ lower lubricity of the pump inner parts.

Due to these properties, kerosene use requires precautions in the selection and use of burner pumps.

SUNTEC PUMP RANGE AND KEROSENE APPLICATIONS

■ Low capacity pumps :

To fulfill the market requirements Suntec has developped a <u>special range of models</u> issuing from standard **AN**, **AE**, **AS**, **AL**, **AP2**, **A2L**, **AT2** types with <u>high precision gears</u>.

These models are identified with their own reference number and by the letter "K":

ie: ASV 47C K 1682 6P 0700.

The maximum recommended pressure for these models is: **15 bars**.

■ Medium capacity pumps :

For AJ pumps, as for A pumps, specific models identified by the letter "K" have been created :

ie: AJV4 ABK 1004P;

The maximum recommended pressure for these models is: **15 bars**.

For **E1001/1002** and **J** (revision ≥8) pumps, standard models are compatible for kerosene application. The maximum recommended pressure is : **15 bars**.

Do not use J7 or E71001 pumps for kerosene application, SUNTEC recommends to use TAR2 pumps

■ High capacity pumps :

For **TA**, **TAR and T** pumps, standard models are compatible for kerosene application.

However for viscosities below 3 cSt, the maximum recommended pressure is :

- 20 bars for TA2/3/4, TAR2/3/4 and T2/3/4 pumps,
- 17 bars for TA5, TAR5 and T5 pumps.

For viscosities lower than 2 cSt, SUNTEC recommends to use **TAR** pumps, improved to suit these applications (consult SUNTEC).

