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Peter,

Information you required;

We have successfully run for the last 5 years with Slipstream lubricants.

During this time we have had no failures on equipment from lubricant breakdown or failure. In the matter of fact Slipstream lubrication has had a major impact on the site reducing the engineering downtime by 5%. While engineering breakdowns are down there is the added advantage of savings on spare parts and the life expectancy of the equipments.

Tollcross is currently 22% above Climate Change Levy targets set by the government and food industry at the latest milestone. The use of Slipstream lubricants and their excellent friction characteristics has helped the site achieve these targets and on some equipment there has been a reduction of 10% on energy costs.

While Slipstream recommended a lubricant life of 5 years, we have currently carried out tribology analysis of the lubricants and found that the oil is as good as when installed.

At Tollcross we manufacture for many retail outlets and as part of this process are audited on a regular basis, as part of the audit the lubricants food quality standard is analysed and everyone has been happy with the quality of the lubricant and the planned maintenance systems introduced by Slipstream.

Best Regards,

Gordon M Murray  
Site Engineering Manager

