

# ATR Analyser: Oil and fuel condition monitoring instrument

Bringing the lab to the field





# Introducing the future of oil and fuel testing

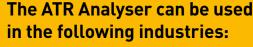
Monitoring the condition of lubricants and fuels is a key priority for engineers within the marine, mining and other industrial sectors. Contaminated and degraded lubricants and fuels can lead to a whole host of problems, ranging from inefficiencies and costly downtime, to expensive repairs and permanent damage.

While chemical testing may be one of the most common ways of analysing lubricants and fuels, it's a process that involves transporting, using and disposing of hazardous chemicals.

The ATR Analyser from Parker Kittiwake has been specifically developed to eliminate these risks by replacing the need for chemical testing.

A reagentless test analyser, the ATR Analyser is safe and highly cost effective and can be used in a wide range of applications to provide reliable trending analysis of oil and fuel parameters.





Marine

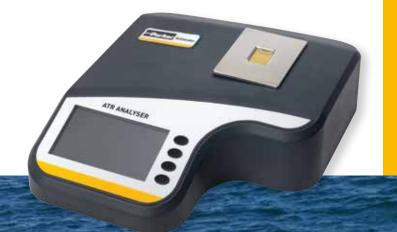
Mining/quarrying

Rail/transport

Power plants

Truck and mobile equipment

Off-shore

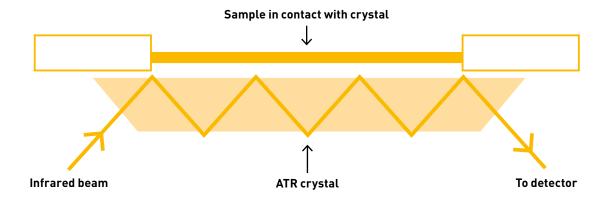




#### Tried and tested technology

The ATR Analyser from Parker Kittiwake incorporates ATR (Attenuated Total Reflectance) technology, and uses a predictive method of testing from the recorded IR spectrum.

Mid-Infrared (IR) spectroscopy is an extremely reliable and well recognised fingerprinting method, capable of characterising, identifying and quantifying a wide range of substances. The ATR Analyser is fitted with a crystal upon which samples are placed for analysis, as illustrated in the diagram below.





Easy to use, the Parker Kittiwake ATR Analyser enables multi-parameter testing to be carried out for different types of oil and fuel:

| Fluid type  | Property                        | Range      | Typical uncertainty <sup>1</sup> | Units            |
|-------------|---------------------------------|------------|----------------------------------|------------------|
| Mineral oil | Water content                   | 0 - 20,000 | 500                              | ppm by mass      |
| Mineral oil | Base number (BN)                | 0 – 150    | 3.0                              | mg KOH / g       |
| Mineral oil | Acid number (AN)                | 0 – 10     | 0.2                              | mg KOH / g       |
| Mineral oil | Anti-wear additive <sup>2</sup> | 0 – 20     | 2.0                              | AU per 0.1mm     |
| Mineral oil | Soot loading                    | 0 – 5.0    | 0.5                              | % by mass        |
| Mineral oil | Viscosity                       | 5 - 450    | 10% of reading                   | cSt <sup>3</sup> |
| Diesel fuel | FAME content                    | 0.1 – 99.9 | 0.3                              | % by mass        |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For a 95% confidence level.

#### **Condition monitoring excellence**

Not only does the ATR Analyser enable multiple tests to be conducted using a single product, it can determine the physical and chemical condition of oil and fuel, as well as detect any traces of contamination.



 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 2}\textsc{Calibrated}$  using FTIR trend values measured by ASTM E2412 standard practice.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Predicted value in centistokes that would be measured at 40°C.



# Simple.

## Efficient.

### Effective.

Whatever the conditions, the ATR Analyser from Parker Kittiwake offers a straightforward method of testing that can be operated by anyone.



Turn on and allow home screen to appear.

#### Step 2

Select oil/fuel type.

#### Step 3

Follow on-screen instructions.

#### Step 4

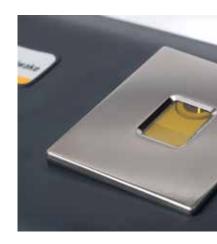
Place oil sample on to the ATR crystal, using supplied pipette.

#### Step 5

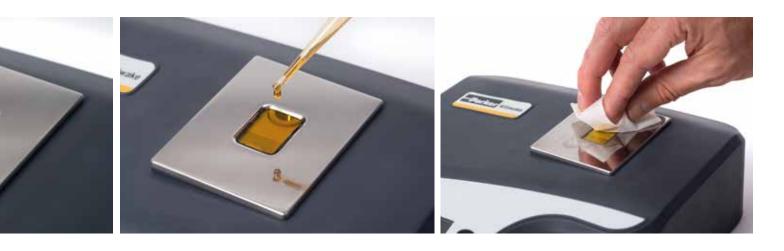
Select 'start test'.

#### Step 6

The measured values are presented on-screen and stored in memory for later retrieval.













No re-calibration required as the ATR Analyser does its own internal performance checks, it is incredibly easy to use and requires minimal maintenance. Other key benefits include:



#### Quick testing and results

Obtain real-time results in a matter of minutes and effortlessly detect any potential issues before major damage is caused.

#### Easy to use

The ATR Analyser utilises a simple method that can be carried out by anyone, without the need for training.

#### Multi-parameter

Save time, as well as money, by eliminating the need to carry out separate chemical tests, which can be hazardous and time consuming.

#### Easy to maintain

Simply wipe the ATR crystal clean after use with supplied cleaning wipes.

#### Reliable trending

Obtain results that correlate to accepted laboratory methods.

#### Minimal hassle

Analyse oil and fuel easily and minimise the amount of on-board equipment required to do it. The ATR Analyser is the only piece of equipment that's required.

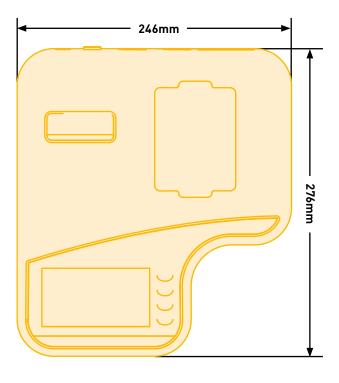
#### Tailored analysis

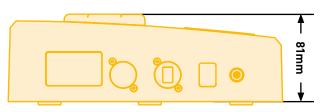
The ATR Analyser can be upgraded to analyse additional types of fluids.



# The Parker Kittiwake ATR Analyser specifications:

| Rated input voltage   | 12 V d.c. (regulated power supply) |  |
|-----------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| Rated input current   | 0.7 A                              |  |
| Operating temperature | 10°C to 40°C                       |  |
| IP rating             | IP22                               |  |
| Instrument weight     | 1.6 Kg                             |  |
| Test time             | 100 seconds                        |  |
| Unit dimensions       | 246mm wide                         |  |
|                       | 276mm deep                         |  |
|                       | 81mm high                          |  |





Note: Predictions made at the extremes of operating temperature can be affected by up to 10%, and uncertainy by 1.5. For best results, operate in temperature stable environments of 15 to 25°C

# The Parker Kittiwake ATR Analyser features:







#### Ordering information for the Parker Kittiwake ATR Analyser:

| Product                         | Option      |   | Measurement range |   | Future options | Future optional (ie. branding indent) |   |
|---------------------------------|-------------|---|-------------------|---|----------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| Attenuated Total<br>Reflectance | Mineral oil | 1 | Standard          | 1 | 0              | Standard                              | 0 |

| Part number | Option | Measurement range | Future range | Future options |
|-------------|--------|-------------------|--------------|----------------|
| ATR         | 1      | 1                 | 0            | 0              |

| Description          | Quantity     | Part number |
|----------------------|--------------|-------------|
| ATR Analyser         | 1            | ATR1100     |
| ATR Consumable pack: | 1            | ACCK05004   |
| Pipette 3ml          | 100 per pack |             |
| Alcohol wipes        | 100 per pack |             |

To discuss how Parker Kittiwake can help you monitor and control the quality and efficiency of your lubricants and fuels, contact our expert consultants:

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