



Formerly Known As: PANOLIN SPRINT

# Shell PANOLIN S3 HLP SYNTH EAL 68

- EU Ecolabel Certified
- USA EPA VGP compliant
- Readily Biodegradable

*Hydraulic fluid - readily biodegradable, saturated synthetic esters*

Shell PANOLIN S3 HLP SYNTH EAL is zinc-free additive technology, blended with fully synthetic saturated and unsaturated esters provides an good blend of lubrication performance and environmental acceptability. Readily biodegradable with a low ecotoxicity, particularly suited for use in environmentally sensitive areas where eco-label compliance is required including US waters. For use in stationary and mobile hydraulic systems including marine and deck equipment, construction and forestry.

## DESIGNED TO MEET CHALLENGES

### Performance, Features & Benefits

- **Good wear protection**

Shell PANOLIN S3 HLP Synth is designed to help equipment operate without interruptions. Shell PANOLIN S3 HLP Synth EAL offers good wear protection.

- **Maintaining system efficiency**

High VI provides performance across a wide temperature operating window.

- **Lower Environmental Impact**

Recommended for use in environmentally sensitive areas: An 'environmentally acceptable lubricant' as defined by the USA EPA 2013 Vessel General Permit and offers reduced impact of leak or accidental spillage into the environment when used in marine environments compared to conventional mineral oils. Readily biodegradable - biodegraded by over 60% after 28 days in the OECD 301 B carbon dioxide evolution test. Low Ecotoxicity - Classified as 'not harmful' to bacteria, algae, freshwater and marine invertebrates, and fish when tested as water-accommodated fractions (WAFs) according to OECD and EPA test guidelines.

### Main Applications



### Specifications, Approvals & Recommendations

- Meets the requirements for EU Ecolabel - NL/027/028
- Meets requirement of United States Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) 2013 vessel general permit (VGP)
- Meets USDA Bio-preferred programme
- Meets EN 16807-2016 criteria of bio-lubricants and bio-based lubricants
- Biodegradable OECD 301B >60%
- Swedish Standard SS 15 54 34 SP

For a full listing of equipment approvals and recommendations, please consult your local Shell Technical Helpdesk.

### Compatibility & Miscibility

- It is strongly recommended that an oil sample is taken from the system following changeover and analysed via the Shell Rapid Lubricants Analysis service to confirm the new fluid charge is fit for use.
- This lubricant should not be mixed with other biodegradable hydraulic fluids to ensure that the environmental properties and performance of fluid is maintained. The system should be drained and flushed thoroughly when changing fluids, guidelines on fluid change-over can be found in ISO15380 Annex A.
- This lubricant is compatible with fluoroelastomers (FPM/FKM) such as Viton. Other seal materials and system components such as paints may be adversely affected and advice should be sought from the respective manufacturers.

## Typical Physical Characteristics

Properties			Method	Shell PANOLIN S3 HLP SYNTH EAL 68
Kinematic Viscosity	@40°C	mm <sup>2</sup> /s	ASTM D445	67
Pour Point		°C	ASTM D97	-39
Flash Point		°C	ASTM D92	264
Density	@15°C	Kg/m <sup>3</sup>	ASTM D4052	929

These characteristics are typical of production, variations in these characteristics may occur.

## Health, Safety & Environment

### • Health and Safety

This product is unlikely to present any significant health or safety hazard when properly used in the recommended application and good standards of personal hygiene are maintained.

Avoid contact with skin. Use impervious gloves with used oil. After skin contact, wash immediately with soap and water.

Guidance on Health and Safety is available on the appropriate Safety Data Sheet, which can be obtained from <https://www.epc.shell.com>

### • Protect the Environment

Take used oil to an authorised collection point. Do not discharge into drains, soil or water.

## Additional Information

### • Advice

Advice on applications not covered here may be obtained from your Shell representative.

### • Additional Technical Advice

The information and guidance offered for use of Shell PANOLIN products is based on experience and understanding gained through the development and manufacturing of lubricants. The performance of the products can be influenced by a number of variables, not limited to, contamination, operating temperature, equipment application, external environment and material type. It is recommended that you discuss application and fluid recommendations with both your OEM and local Shell technical representative before the product is used. Advice given is non binding and Shell will not be held liable for any consequence as a result of or through misuse of the fluid.