

CASE STUDY 41

(MACHINING OF ENGINE VALVES WITH LOW VISCOSITY NEAT OIL)



CUSTOMER DETAILS:

A renowned manufacturer in Hyderabad that produces Steering and Suspension systems, Friction materials, Valve train components and safety systems.



OBJECTIVES FOR CONDUCTING THE TRIAL

- To achieve the required finish: Seat Surface (RA 0.6 Max), Stem (RA 0.2 Max), and Seat Roundness (10).
- 2. Reduction in consumption cost
- 3. No EHS Issues (Skin & eye irritation)



OPERATING / APPLICATION DETAILS:

- 1. Machine: Microsmatic Grinding
- 2. Operation: Groove Grinding, Finish Grinding Stem
- 3. Tank capacity: 420 Ltrs & 700 Ltrs
- 4. Filtration: Paper Filter/Magnetic Roller
- Chiller: Available, Maintained at 30 Deg C
- Material: Low Carbon steel, Martensitic & Austenitic grades of valve steels and super alloys



- Dimension Of Valves: Stem Dia 4.5 42 mm / Head Dia 18 – 200 mm /Length 50 – 1000 mm
- 9. Cycle time: 20 Secs
- Castrol Magna PR 40



COMPONENT VIEW



PRODUCT RECOMMENDED: HICUT N-CBN

TRIAL RESULTS



Achieved better than the required finish: Seat Surface (RA 0.4 Max), Stem (RA 0.15 Max) and Seat Roundness (4).



Good Flushability observed



No EHS Issues observed



Consumption cost reduced by 20% compared to an existing product