

COMPOSITION OF THE OIL FROM WASTE TIRES

2. Fraction boiling at 160–180 °C

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Abstract. The qualitative and quantitative composition of the oil fraction from waste tires boiling at 160–180 °C were determined with a capillary GC with OV-101 and SW 10 columns and GC/MS. A total of 97 components representing 92% of the total fraction were identified by means of retention indices and mass spectra. The major contribution of this waste tire oil fraction came from aromatic hydrocarbons, which constituted 48% of the oil composition. The main components of the fraction were dipentene (35%) and *p*-cymene (10%). From the other identified compounds alkanes, alkenes, alkadienes, and cycloalkadienes made up 7% of the total oil fraction and sulphuric compounds (alkylthiophene, benzothiazole) only 0.9%.

Key words: waste tire oil, fraction boiling at 160–180 °C, composition, GC, GC/MS.

Oil was obtained from waste tires with laboratory equipment. The oil obtained was rectified on the APH-2 apparatus. The fraction boiling at 160–180 °C constituted 10.2% of the total oil [1].

In order to find possible applications of this product its qualitative and quantitative composition was studied using capillary GC and GC/MS techniques.

EXPERIMENTAL

The gas chromatographic and mass-spectrometric analyses of waste tire oil fraction boiling at 160–180 °C were performed using the same equipment as reported for the fraction boiling at up to 160 °C [2]. The column temperature on the OV-101 column was programmed from 50 °C to 160 °C at 2 °/min and on SW 10 column from 70 °C to 170 °C at 2 °/min. The injector temperature was about 200 °C.

The constituents of the fraction were identified by using our retention index data bank, GC/MS, and literature data [2–4]. The concentration of the individual compounds was expressed as their percentage in the total GC peak area. The results presented are mean values of three injections.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

The identified components (76 peaks in the chromatogram) and their concentrations in the waste tire oil fraction boiling at 160–180°C are listed in Table 1.

Table 1. Identification data and composition of the waste tire oil fraction boiling at 160–180°C

Peak number	Component	RI on OV-101	Concentration, %	Identification
1.	Isoprene	< 500	0.10	GC, MS
2.	2-Pentene	< 500	0.09	GC, MS
3.	1,3-Cyclopentadiene	590	0.11	GC, MS
4.	2,5-Dimethylfuran	700	0.05	MS
5.	1,4-Cyclohexadiene	738	0.07	GC, MS
6.	Toluene	753	0.10	GC
7.	1,3,5-Cycloheptatriene	758	0.29	GC, MS
8.	2,5-Dimethyl-2,4-hexadiene	821	0.17	GC, MS
9.	2,6-Dimethylheptane	828	0.12	GC, MS
10.	2,3-Dimethyl-1-heptene	842	0.07	GC
11.	Ethylbenzene	851	0.88	GC
12.	1,3-Dimethylbenzene	860	1.47	GC, MS
	1,4-Dimethylbenzene			GC, MS
13.	Styrene	875	0.11	GC
14.	Vinylbenzene	877	0.23	GC
15.	1,2-Dimethylbenzene	881	0.69	GC, MS
16.	1-Nonene	886	0.14	GC
17.	Nonane	900	0.17	GC
18.	<i>trans</i> -2-Nonene	906	0.13	GC
19.	Isopropylbenzene	912	1.47	GC, MS
20.	2,2-Dimethyloctane	921	0.37	GC
21.	1,5-Cyclooctadiene	928	0.32	GC, MS
22.	Allylbenzene	934	0.19	GC
23.	<i>n</i> -Propylbenzene	943	0.98	GC, MS
24.	1-Methyl-3-ethylbenzene	952	0.51	GC
	Dimethylhexadiene		0.72	MS
25.	1-Methyl-4-ethylbenzene	954	3.28	GC
	Hexahydroindene		0.55	MS
26.	1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene	958	0.75	GC, MS
27.	1-Methyl-2-ethylbenzene	967	1.65	GC
	α -Pinene		0.55	GC, MS
28.	Alkylthiophene	976	0.58	MS
29.	1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene	981	0.42	GC, MS
	2- and 3-Methylstyrene		1.63	GC

Table 1 continued

Peak number	Component	RI on OV-101	Concentration, %	Identification
30.	<i>tert</i> s-Butylbenzene	984	0.73	GC
31.	1-Decene	988	0.83	GC
32.	<i>sec</i> -Butylbenzene	996	1.35	GC
33.	1,2,3-Trimethylbenzene	1005	1.22	GC, MS
34.	1-Methyl-3-isopropylbenzene	1008	1.08	GC, MS
35.	1-Methyl-4-isopropylbenzene	1013	9.65	GC
36.	2,3-Dihydroindene	1017	2.79	GC
37.	Dipentene Indene	1025	34.69	GC, MS
38.	1-Methyl,2-isopropylbenzene Butylcyclohexane	1029	0.45	GC, MS
39.	Not identified	1033	0.24	
40.	1,3-Diethylbenzene	1037	0.27	GC
41.	1-Methyl-3-propylbenzene	1039	0.35	GC, MS
42.	1,4-Diethylbenzene <i>n</i> -Butylbenzene	1043 1045	0.88 0.48	GC GC
43.	1-Methyl-2-propylbenzene	1054	0.47	GC, MS
44.	1,3-Dimethyl-4-ethylbenzene	1064	0.29	GC
45.	1,4-Dimethyl-2-ethylbenzene <i>trans</i> -Decahydronaphthalene	1066	0.48	GC GC
46.	1,2-Dimethyl-4-ethylbenzene	1069	0.88	GC
47.	1,2-Dimethyl-2-ethylbenzene 2-Methyl-propenylbenzene	1072	0.95	GC MS
48.	1,3-Dimethyl-2-ethylbenzene <i>trans</i> -Decalin	1074 1075	1.05 0.92	GC GC
49.	Terpinolene	1070	1.09	GC, MS
50.	1,2-Dimethyl-3-ethylbenzene 1-Undecene	1088	0.52	GC MS
	<i>tert</i> s-Pentylbenzene		0.76	GC, MS
51.	Diene (MW=152)	1095	1.02	MS
52.	Undecane 1,2,4,5-Tetramethylbenzene	1100	0.36	GC, MS GC, MS
53.	1,2,3,5-Tetramethylbenzene <i>cis</i> -Decahydronaphthalene	1103	1.04	GC, MS GC
54.	Isopentylbenzene	1113	0.34	GC
55.	Methylindane Tetralin	1116	0.31 0.30	GC, MS MS
56.	1,2-Dimethyl-4-isopropylbenzene Phenyl butene	1120 1122	0.60 0.63	GC MS
57.	1,2-Dimethylindane Phenyl butene	1130	1.38	GC MS
58.	1,2,3,4-Tetrahydronaphthalene	1136	0.40	GC, MS
59.	1,4-Diethyl-2-methylbenzene <i>n</i> -Pentylbenzene	1144	0.33	GC GC, MS
	1,2,3,4-Tetramethylbenzene			GC
60.	1,4-Dimethyl-2-propylbenzene	1148	0.31	GC, MS
61.	1,2-Diethyl-4-methylbenzene 1-Methyl-2-butylbenzene	1153	0.12	GC GC
62.	Naphthalene	1158	0.32	GC, MS

Peak number	Component	RI on OV-101	Concentration, %	Identification
63.	1,3-Dimethyl-2-propylbenzene	1170	0.56	GC
64.	1,2-Dimethyl-3-propylbenzene	1178	0.46	GC
65.	1-Dodecene	1189	0.20	GC, MS
66.	1,2,3-Trimethyl-5-ethylbenzene	1194	0.17	GC
67.	Benzothiazole	1200	0.30	GC, MS
	<i>n</i> -Dodecane	1200	0.26	GC
68.	Phenylcyclopentane	1212	0.19	GC, MS
69.	1,3-Dimethyl-5-butylbenzene	1230	0.09	GC
70.	1,2,4-Trimethyl-5-isopropylbenzene	1234	0.20	GC
71.	Methyltetralin	1238	0.13	GC, MS
72.	1,3,5-Trimethyl-2-isopropylbenzene	1244	0.16	GC
73.	1,2,3,4-Tetrahydro,5-methylnaphthalene	1261	0.19	GC, MS
74.	Pentamethylbenzene	1269	0.18	GC
	2-Methylnaphthalene			GC
75.	1,2,5-Trimethyl-3-propylbenzene	1276	0.24	GC
76.	1-Methylnaphthalene	1282	0.13	GC
77.	Phenylcyclohexane	1289	0.17	GC, MS
78.	Not identified	1348	0.12	
	Total		92.95	

Table 2. Group content of the waste tire oil fraction boiling at 160–180 °C

Group of components	Concentration, %
<i>n</i> -Alkanes	0.79
Isoalkenes	0.49
Alkenes	2.22
Alkadienes	2.01
Cyclic hydrocarbons	1.34
Monoterpenes	36.33
Aromatic hydrocarbons	48.12
Sulphyric compounds	0.88
Oxygen compounds	0.05
Total	92.23

Like in the fraction boiling at up to 160 °C aromatic hydrocarbons dominated also in this fraction (Table 2). The total content of aromatic hydrocarbons (48%) was higher than in the fraction boiling at lower temperatures (27%) [2]. The major individual components in the fraction boiling at 160–180 °C were dipentene (35%) and *p*-cymene (10%), in the fraction boiling at up to 160 °C these components made up 12% and 3%, respectively [2]. Other components (alkanes, alkenes, alkadienes, and cycloalkadienes) constituted about 7% of the

total fraction. Alkyl thiophene and benzothiazole were identified in minor amounts (0.9%) as sulphur consisting compounds. Owing to a high concentration of aromatic hydrocarbons in this tire waste oil fraction the results for main constituents determined on two columns with different polarity coincided well.

Dipentene (limonene), the main component of the waste tire oil fraction boiling at 160–180°C, is widely used for its aromatic value as flavouring in foods and beverages and as fragrance in cosmetic and industrial products. It could be used as raw material for synthesizing other flavouring compounds.

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SÕIDUAUTO KASUTATUD RADIAALKUMMI ÕLI KOOSTIS

2. Fraktsioon keemispriiriga 160–180°C

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Kapillaargaasikromatograafia ja massispektromeetria meetoditega on uuritud sõiduauto kasutatud radiaalkummi termilisel lagundamisel saadud 160–180°C juures keeva õlifraktsiooni keemilist koostist. Retentsiooniindeksite ja massispektrite abil identifitseeriti õlis ligi sada komponenti, mis kokku moodustasid 92% fraktsiooni koostisest. Peaaegu pool fraktsioonist koosnes aromaatsetest süsivesinikest. Põhikomponentideks osutusid dipenteen (35%) ja *p*-tsümeen (10%). Teised süsivesinike rühmad (alkaanid, alkeenid, alkadieenid ja tsükloalkadieenid) moodustasid kokku 7% fraktsiooni koostisest ning väevli- ja hapnikühendid alla 1%.