About HVO Renewable Diesel

What does HVO mean?

It means hydrotreated vegetable oil, also known as renewable or green diesel.

What is HVO fuel?

It is a paraffinic fossil-free fuel and direct drop-in alternative to diesel.

Are its characteristics like white diesel?

It is lighter, more like kerosene or paraffin, and has much less smell.

Is it green?

Yes, produced from 100% waste oils, timber waste and fats, very eco-friendly.

What fuel quality grade is HVO?

Our HVO conforms to the EN15940 standard, in newer vehicles has the fuel flap logo XTL.

Is it made in the UK?

Increasingly yes, it is, having started off in Finland, Holland, the USA, and France.

Is it available at the pump?

In the UK hardly at all, in the above countries and Scandinavia yes.

Can you mix HVO with standard diesel?

Yes, no problem, in any proportion, less particulate matter and NOx emissions.

Does it reduce net greenhouse gas emissions?

Yes, up to 90% in fact. You are saving 2.2 kilos of carbon emissions per litre burned.

Do vehicles use less AdBlue?

Yes, around 20% less when running on HVO.

Does it grow algae or cloud in cold weather like FAME biodiesel?

No is does not, it is useable down to -20 C, will not clog fuel filters, DPF's or need biocides.

How long can you store renewable diesel for?

Up to 10 years.

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