



Do not use oils with other viscosity ratings. The use of incorrect viscosity oil can shorten engine life.

Volvo recommends the use of energy-conserving oils. Look for the API label. Synthetic oils complying with oil quality requirements are recommended for: driving in areas of sustained temperature extremes (hot or cold), when towing a trailer over long distances or for prolonged driving in mountainous areas.

**Extra oil additives must not be used unless advised by an authorized Volvo retailer.**

## Changing oil and oil filter

Oil and oil filter changes should be made at 7,500 mile (12,000 km) intervals.

**NOTE:** SAE 15W-40 oil should only be used in extreme operating conditions such as trailer towing in sustained ambient temperatures over 104° F (40° C). However, SAE 10W-30 synthetic oil would be a better alternative in such conditions.

**SAE 15W-40 should not be used under normal operating conditions.**

For winter use, 5W-30 oil, particularly the synthetic type \*, is recommended.



American Petroleum Institute (API) labels. These labels certify that the oil conforms to

the applicable standards and specifications of the API.

\* Synthetic oil is not used when the oil is changed at the normal maintenance service intervals.