

## Oil Consumption AJ Power 7 Series

Oil consumption can be up to 2% of fuel consumption when new. It should settle to 1% of fuel consumption in service. In case of unusual, elevated oil consumption— have a look at the crankcase breather and see if it is obstructed or showing signs of oil mist in the gases.

A highly overloaded OR highly underloaded engine will inevitably burn more oil- but for different reasons. Do not use a light oil to top-up. It is recommended to use a 15W-40 grade oil- as opposed to a 0W-30 grade.

There is about 6 litres capacity difference on the dipstick between max and min. In order to get an accurate oil level reading, make sure to wait approximately 10 minutes after the engine has stopped in order to allow all the oil in the head to drain back to the sump, or else an inaccurate and lower reading will be obtained.