

# Light Oil (fluid composition)

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A mixture of low density [hydrocarbons](#) that stay [liquid](#) in [subsurface reservoir](#).

The usual composition ranges between C<sub>4</sub> and C<sub>8</sub> and [API gravity](#) is in the range of 31.1° ÷ 42° ([Specific Gravity](#) = 0.816 ÷ 0.87).

It may also include minor [organic](#) and [inorganic](#) chemical substances (usually < 7% in weight).

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