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APPENDICES

Appendix A Supplemental Materials for Phase Diagram

Table A1 Methyl oleate/1-octanol 1:8 mole ratio, palm oil/diesel 1:1 (v/v)

EtOH/Oil	Concentration (M)		Fraction for Phase Diagram (%)			
	MO	Oct	EtOH	MO+Oct	Oil	Total
0/5	-	-	0	0	100	100
1/5	0.8	0.1000	14.17	14.97	70.86	100
2/5	1.1	0.1375	23.00	19.49	57.51	100
3/5	1.2	0.1500	29.67	20.89	49.44	100
4/5	1.3	0.1625	34.56	22.24	43.20	100
5/5	1.4	0.1750	38.23	23.55	38.22	100
5/4	1.4	0.1750	42.47	23.55	33.98	100
5/3	1.5	0.1875	46.99	24.81	28.20	100
5/2	1.6	0.2000	52.83	26.04	21.13	100
5/1	1.6	0.2000	61.64	26.04	12.32	100
5/0	-	-	100	0	0	100

Table A2 Methyl oleate/2-ethyl-1-hexanol 1:8 mole ratio, palm oil/diesel 1:1 (v/v)

EtOH/Oil	Concentration (M)		Fraction for Phase Diagram (%)			
	MO	EH	EtOH	MO+EH	Oil	Total
0/5	-	-	0	0	100	100
1/5	0.9	0.1125	13.94	16.37	69.69	100
2/5	1.2	0.1500	22.66	20.70	56.64	100
3/5	1.4	0.1750	28.74	23.35	47.91	100
4/5	1.5	0.1875	33.51	24.60	41.89	100
5/5	1.6	0.2000	37.09	25.82	37.09	100
5/4	1.6	0.2000	41.21	25.82	32.97	100
5/3	1.8	0.2250	44.91	28.14	26.95	100
5/2	1.8	0.2250	51.33	28.14	20.53	100
5/1	1.9	0.2375	59.88	28.14	11.98	100
5/0	-	-	100	0	0	100

Table A3 Span 80/1-octanol 1:8 mole ratio, palm oil/diesel 1:1 (v/v)

EtOH/Oil	Concentration (M)		Fraction for Phase Diagram (%)			
	Span 80	Oct	EtOH	S80+Oct	Oil	Total
0/5	-	-	0	0	100	100
1/5	0.9	0.1125	13.97	16.17	69.86	100
2/5	1.1	0.1375	23.12	19.08	57.80	100
3/5	1.2	0.1500	29.83	20.46	49.71	100
4/5	1.4	0.1750	34.18	23.09	42.73	100
5/5	1.5	0.1875	37.83	24.33	37.84	100
5/4	1.6	0.2000	41.37	25.54	33.09	100
5/3	1.7	0.2125	45.81	26.71	27.48	100
5/2	1.8	0.2250	51.54	27.84	20.62	100
5/1	2.0	0.2500	58.32	30.01	11.67	100
5/0	-	-	100	0	0	100

Table A4 Span 80/2-ethyl-1-hexanol 1:8 mole ratio, palm oil/diesel 1:1 (v/v)

EtOH/Oil	Concentration (M)		Fraction for Phase Diagram (%)			
	Span 80	EH	EtOH	S80+EH	Oil	Total
0/5	-	-	0	0	100	100
1/5	1.1	0.1375	13.52	18.90	67.58	100
2/5	1.3	0.1625	22.40	21.60	56.00	100
3/5	1.4	0.1750	28.92	22.88	48.20	100
4/5	1.5	0.1875	33.72	24.12	42.16	100
5/5	1.6	0.2000	37.34	25.32	37.34	100
5/4	1.7	0.2125	40.84	26.48	32.68	100
5/3	1.8	0.2250	45.24	27.61	27.15	100
5/2	1.9	0.2375	50.93	28.70	20.37	100
5/1	2.1	0.2625	57.67	30.80	11.53	100
5/0	-	-	100	0	0	100

Table A5 Palm oil methyl ester (PME)/1-octanol 1:8 mole ratio, palm oil/diesel 1:1 (v/v)

EtOH/Oil	Concentration (M)		Fraction for Phase Diagram (%)			
	PME	Oct	EtOH	PME+Oct	Oil	Diesel
0/5	-	-	0	0	100	100
1/5	0.9	0.1125	14.12	15.30	70.58	100
2/5	1.1	0.1375	23.40	18.08	58.52	100
3/5	1.3	0.1625	30.22	19.41	50.37	100
4/5	1.4	0.1750	34.70	21.93	43.37	100
5/5	1.5	0.1875	38.43	23.14	38.43	100
5/4	1.6	0.2000	42.05	24.31	33.64	100
5/3	1.7	0.2125	46.60	25.44	27.96	100
5/2	1.8	0.2250	52.47	26.54	20.99	100
5/1	1.9	0.2375	60.33	27.61	12.06	100
5/0	-	-	100	0	0	100

Table A6 Palm oil methyl ester (PME)/2-ethyl-1-hexanol 1:8 mole ratio, palm oil/diesel 1:1 (v/v)

EtOH/Oil	Concentration (M)		Fraction for Phase Diagram (%)			
	PME	EH	EtOH	PME+EH	Oil	Diesel
0/5	-	-	0	0	100	100
1/5	1.1	0.1375	13.68	17.90	68.42	100
2/5	1.3	0.1625	22.72	20.49	56.79	100
3/5	1.5	0.1875	28.91	22.92	48.17	100
4/5	1.6	0.2000	33.74	24.08	42.18	100
5/5	1.7	0.2125	37.40	25.20	37.40	100
5/4	1.8	0.2250	40.81	26.54	32.65	100
5/3	1.9	0.2375	45.25	27.61	27.14	100
5/2	2.0	0.2500	50.97	28.64	20.39	100
5/1	2.1	0.2625	58.63	29.65	11.72	100
5/0	-	-	100	0	0	100

Appendix B Supplemental Materials for Effect of Oil Types on Amount of Surfactant to Formulate Single Phase Microemulsion Study

Table B-1 Surfactant/cosurfactant 1:8 mole ratio, palm oil/diesel 1:1 (v/v) with 20 vol.% of ethanol

Sample	Fraction of microemulsion biofuels (%)			
	EtOH	Surfactant/ cosurfactant	Palm oil/ diesel	Total
MO/Oct	20.0	18.3	61.7	100
MO/EH	20.0	19.7	60.3	100
Span 80/Oct	20.0	18.7	61.3	100
Span 80/EH	20.0	20.7	59.3	100
PME/Oct	20.0	17.7	62.3	100
PME/EH	20.0	20.0	60.0	100

Table B2 Surfactant/cosurfactant 1:8 mole ratio, RBDPO/diesel 1:1 (v/v) with 20 vol.% of ethanol

Sample	Fraction of microemulsion biofuels (%)			
	EtOH	Surfactant/ cosurfactant	RBDPO/ diesel	Total
MO/Oct	20.0	14.3	65.7	100
MO/EH	20.0	18.3	61.7	100
Span 80/Oct	20.0	15.0	65.0	100
Span 80/EH	20.0	17.0	63.0	100
PME/Oct	20.0	14.0	66.0	100
PME/EH	20.0	16.7	63.3	100

Appendix C Supplemental Materials for Viscosity Study

1. Kinematic viscosity calculation

The kinematic viscosity of the microemulsion fuel can be measured using a Canon-Fenske type viscometer (ASTM D 445). Kinematic viscosity can be calculated using Equation C.1, which is provided by the manufacturer of the viscometer:

$$\mu = Kt \quad (C1)$$

where μ Kinematic viscosity (cSt)

K Viscosity constant ($K=0.01606$ cSt/s at 40°C)

t Time of sample flow in vescometer (sec)

The sample kinematic viscosity calculation of methyl oleate/1-octanol in palm oil/diesel blend with ethanol can be shown as follows;

$$t = 346.85 \text{ sec (average time)}$$

$$K = 0.01606 \text{ cSt/s}$$

Therefore;

$$\begin{aligned} \mu &= (0.01606 \text{ cSt/s})(346.85 \text{ sec}) \\ &= 5.57 \text{ cSt} \end{aligned}$$

2. Raw data of kinematic viscosity in palm oil's system

Table C1 Time for measured kinematic viscosity of microemulsion biofuels, surfactant/cosurfactant 1:8 mole ratio, palm oil/diesel 1:1 (v/v) with 20 vol.% of ethanol

Sample	Time (sec)				
	#1	#2	#3	#4	Average
MO/Oct	353.32	351.32	326.43	356.33	346.85
MO/EH	332.79	342.10	327.05	340.52	335.62
Span 80/Oct	332.79	342.10	327.05	340.52	333.14
Span 80/EH	411.35	388.96	396.11	405.23	400.41
PME/Oct	351.01	353.71	341.70	358.34	351.19
PME/EH	344.89	352.59	332.31	341.64	342.86

Table C2 Kinematic viscosity of microemulsion biofuels, surfactant/cosurfactant 1:8 mole ratio, palm oil/diesel 1:1 (v/v) with 20 vol.% of ethanol

Sample	Kinematic viscosity at 40°C (cSt)					
	#1	#2	#3	#4	Average	SD
MO/Oct	5.67	5.64	5.24	5.72	5.57	0.22
MO/EH	5.34	5.49	5.25	5.47	5.39	0.11
Span 80/Oct	7.01	6.72	7.34	6.76	6.96	0.28
Span 80/EH	6.61	6.25	6.36	6.51	6.43	0.16
PME/Oct	5.64	5.68	5.49	5.75	5.64	0.11
PME/EH	5.54	5.66	5.34	5.49	5.51	0.13

3. Raw data of kinematic viscosity in RBDPO's Ssystem

Table C3 Time for measured kinematic viscosity of microemulsion biofuels, surfactant/cosurfactant 1:8 mole ratio, RBDPO/diesel 1:1 (v/v) with 20 vol.% of ethanol

Sample	Time (sec)				
	#1	#2	#3	#4	Average
MO/Oct	381.74	377.72	374.53	391.58	381.39
MO/EH	349.10	339.39	349.11	310.62	337.06
Span 80/Oct	430.62	440.62	397.89	424.31	423.36
Span 80/EH	412.57	389.04	397.43	408.30	401.84
PME/Oct	376.89	372.82	387.09	373.18	377.50
PME/EH	354.09	351.84	346.74	351.56	351.06

Table C4 Kinematic viscosity of microemulsion biofuels, surfactant/cosurfactant 1:8 mole ratio, RBDPO/diesel 1:1 (v/v) with 20 vol.% of ethanol

Sample	Kinematic viscosity at 40°C (cSt)					
	#1	#2	#3	#4	Average	SD
MO/Oct	6.13	6.07	6.01	6.29	6.13	0.12
MO/EH	5.61	5.45	5.61	4.99	5.41	0.29
Span 80/Oct	6.92	7.08	6.39	6.81	6.80	0.29
Span 80/EH	6.63	6.25	6.38	6.56	6.45	0.17
PME/Oct	6.05	5.99	6.22	5.99	6.06	0.11
PME/EH	5.69	5.65	5.57	5.65	5.64	0.05

Appendix D Supplemental Materials for Microemulsion Droplet Size Study

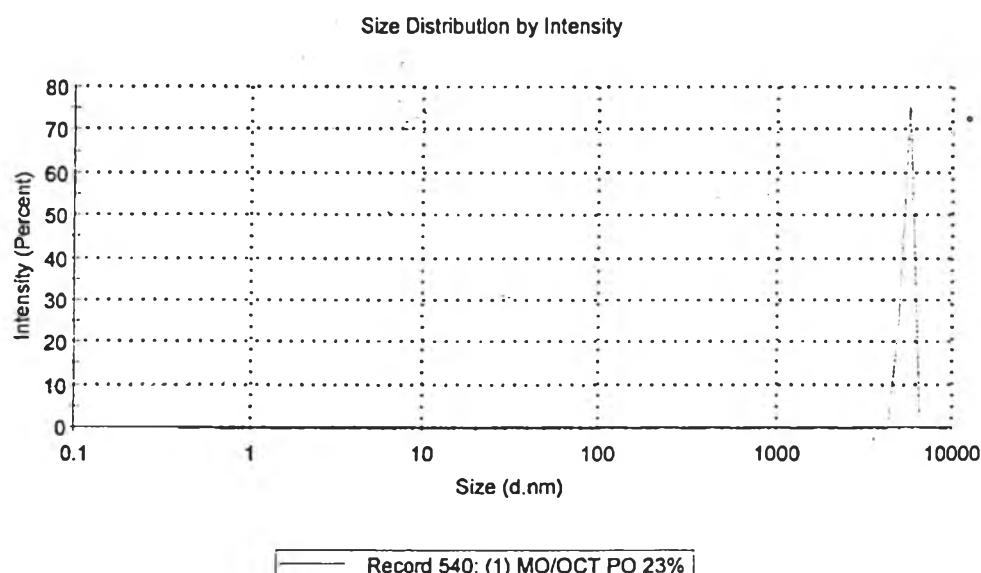


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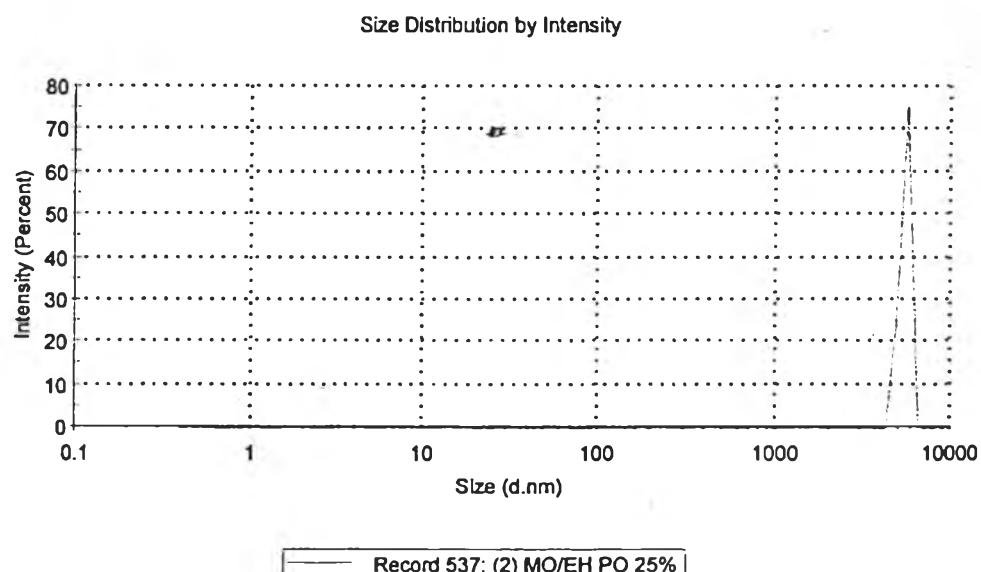


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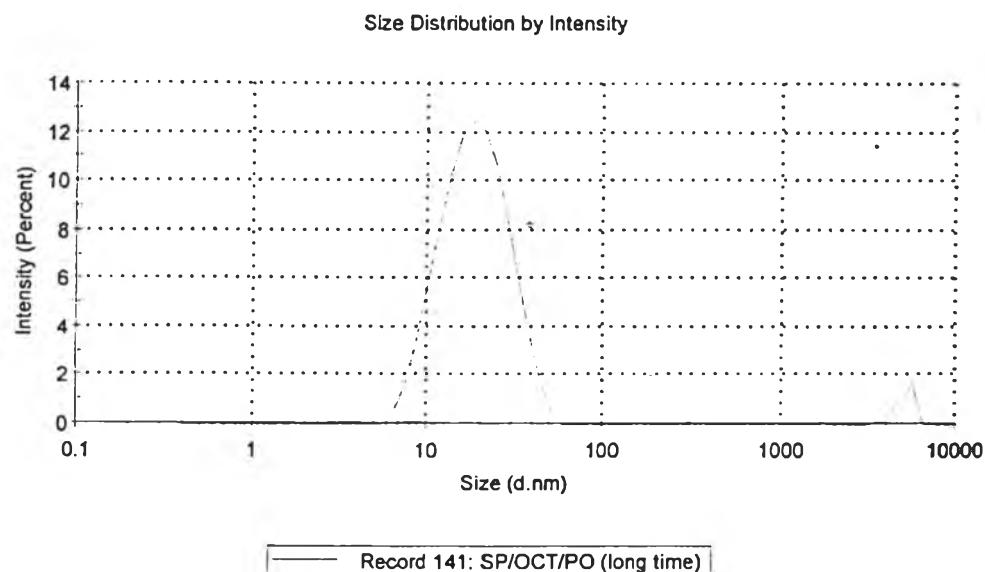


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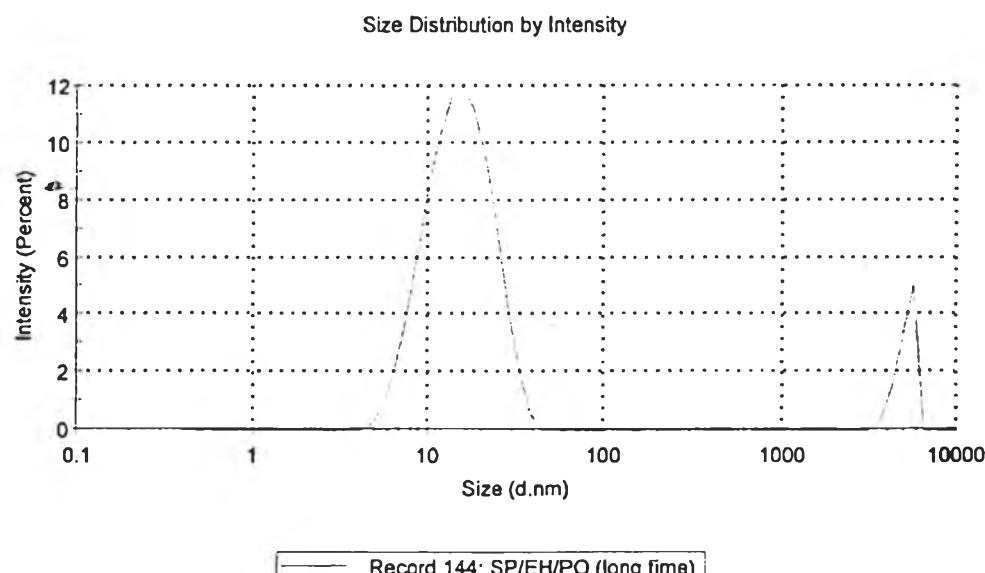


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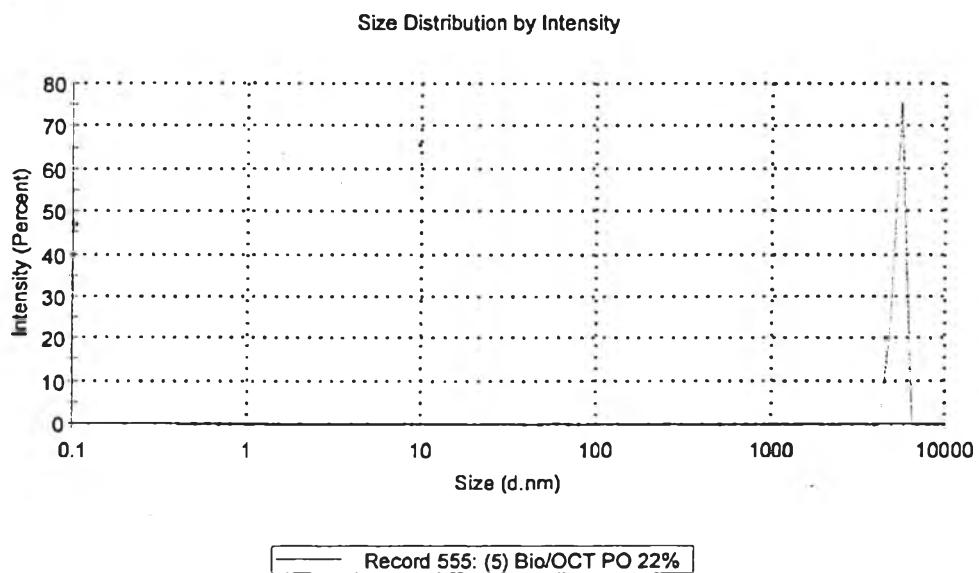


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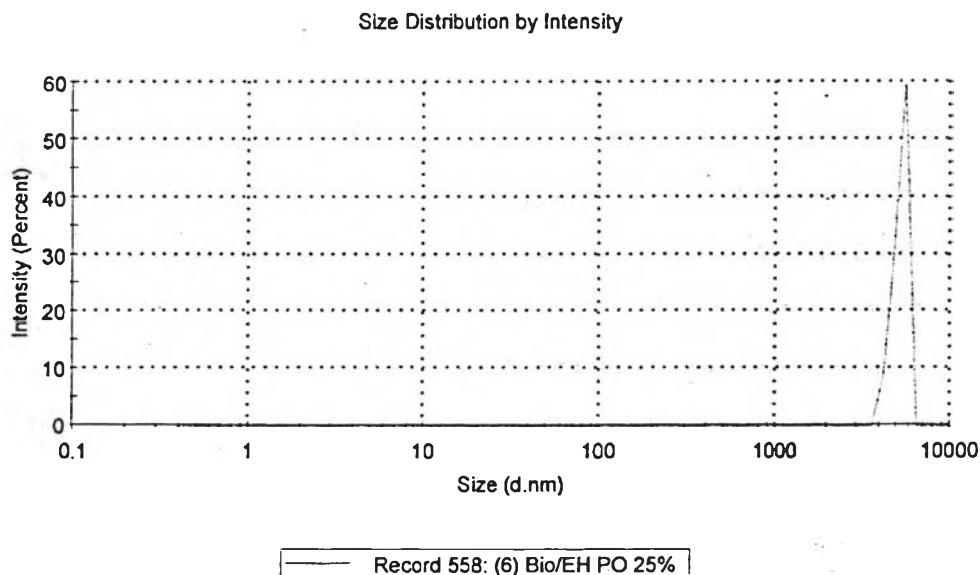


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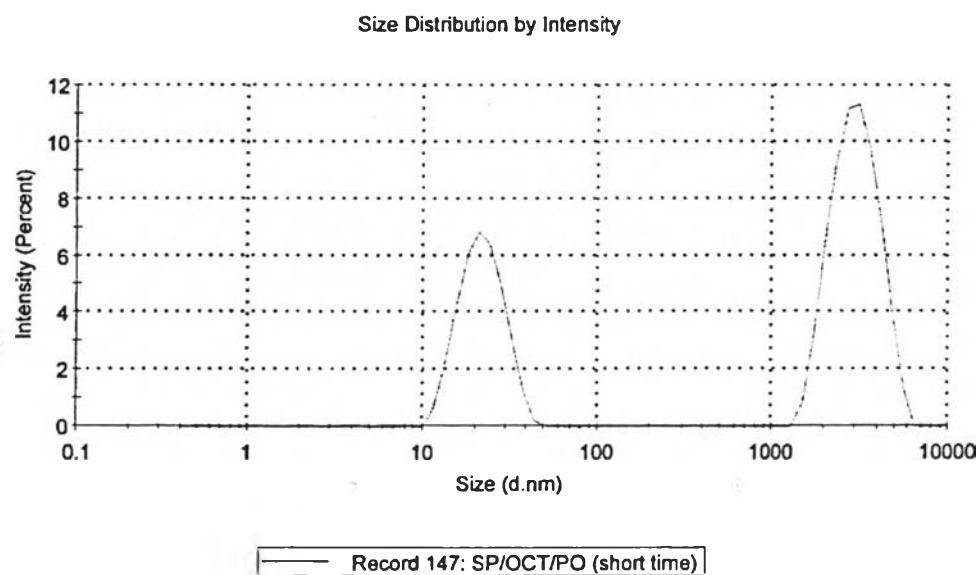


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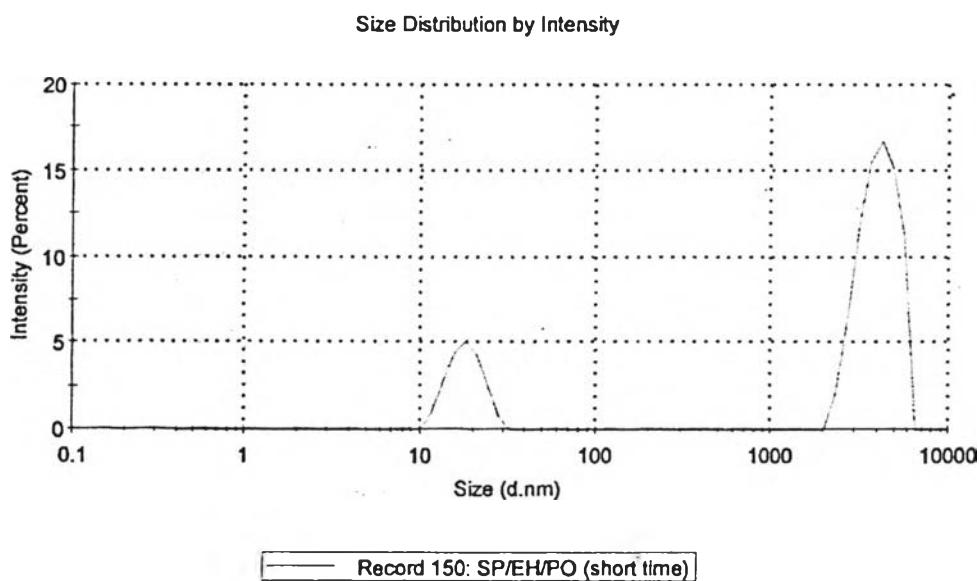


Figure D8 Droplet size and size distribution of Span 80/2-ethyl-1-hexanol 1:8 mole ratio, palm oil/diesel 1:1 (v/v) with 20 vol.% of ethanol (measured after prepared immediately).

Appendix E Supplemental Materials for Density Study

Table E1 Density of microemulsion biofuels, surfactant/cosurfactant 1:8 mole ratio, RBDPO/diesel 1:1 (v/v) with 20 vol.% of ethanol at room temperature (25°C)

Sample	Density at 25°C (g/mL)					
	#1	#2	#3	#4	Average	SD
MO/Oct	0.8863	0.8725	0.8701	0.8686	0.8743	0.0081
MO/EH	0.8240	0.8416	0.8480	0.8503	0.8410	0.0119
SSpan 80/Oct	0.8375	0.8854	0.8883	0.8999	0.8778	0.0276
Span 80/EH	0.8458	0.8550	0.8570	0.8586	0.8541	0.0058
PME/Oct	0.8500	0.8478	0.8615	0.8589	0.8545	0.0067
PME/EH	0.8268	0.8390	0.8433	0.8447	0.8384	0.0082

Appendix F HLB Calculation of Nonionic Surfactants

HLB calculation for nonionic products is obtained with the Griffin formula:

$$\text{HLB} = 20 \times \frac{\text{MW}_H}{\text{MW}_H + \text{MW}_L} = 20 \times \frac{\text{MW}_H}{\text{MW}}$$

where MW_H = Molecular weight of hydrophilic part

MW_L = Molecular weight of hydrophobic part

MW = Molecular weight of surfactant

For HLB calculation of Methyl oleate

$$\text{MW}_H = 59.04$$

$$\text{MW} = \text{MW}_H + \text{MW}_L = 296.5$$

$$\text{HLB} = 20 \times \frac{\text{MW}_H}{\text{MW}}$$

$$\text{HLB} = 20 \times \frac{59.04}{296.50}$$

$$\text{HLB} = 3.98$$

For HLB calculation of Span 80

$$\text{MW}_H = 91.08$$

$$\text{MW} = \text{MW}_H + \text{MW}_L = 428.60$$

$$\text{HLB} = 20 \times \frac{\text{MW}_H}{\text{MW}}$$

$$\text{HLB} = 20 \times \frac{91.08}{428.60}$$

$$\text{HLB} = 4.25$$

For HLB calculation of Palm oil methyl ester (PME)

HLB_{AVG} calculation of mixed products is obtained with this equation:

$$\text{HLB}_{\text{AVG}} = \% \text{wt.}_1 \times \text{HLB}_1 + \% \text{wt.}_2 \times \text{HLB}_2 + \% \text{wt.}_3 \times \text{HLB}_3 + \dots$$

Table F1 shows HLB_{AVG} calculation of mixed products

Fatty acid	Carbon number	Composition (%)	MW _H	MW	HLB	% HLB
Lauric acid	C12:0	0.1	59.04	214.35	5.51	0.0055
Mtristic acid	C14:0	0.9	59.04	242.40	4.87	0.0438
Palmitic acid	C16:0	45.6	59.04	270.46	4.37	1.9908
Palmitoleic acid	C16:1	0.4	59.04	268.44	4.40	0.0176
Estearic acid	C18:0	3.8	59.04	298.51	3.96	0.1503
Oleic acid	C18:1	38.6	59.04	296.50	3.98	1.5372
Linoleic acid	C18:2	10.5	59.04	294.48	4.01	0.4210
Linolenic acid	C18:3	0.1	59.04	292.46	4.04	0.0040
SUM		1.00	HLB Average			4.17

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