



NEWS ALERT

Cortec® Lab Finds Six-Year-Old VpCI® Film Still Effective!



Cortec's reputation for quality VpCI® products was reinforced during recent testing of a six-year-old VpCI® film. The Cor-Pak® EX VpCI® film sample came from one of Cortec's distributors who wanted to know whether the six-year-old film would still provide corrosion protection effective enough to be sold to customers. Cortec® highly encourages such testing before using a VpCI® product that has aged beyond its two-year recommended shelf life.

Cortec® Laboratories performed testing on both the contact protection and Vapor phase Corrosion Inhibiting ability of the Cor-Pak® EX VpCI® film sample. Carbon steel panels and copper panels protected by the film passed the razor blade test, showing that multi-metal contact protection was still effective. The film also passed critical VIA testing, demonstrating the continued effectiveness of the film's Vapor phase Corrosion Inhibiting ability.

Photos from VIA Testing



Control

Plug #1

Plug #2

Plug #3

While it is important to follow Cortec's two-year shelf life guideline to ensure best performance, tests such as these demonstrate the remarkably high quality and excellent durability of Cortec® products for added user confidence!

More Information on Cor-Pak® EX VpCI® Film can be found here:

http://cortecvci.com/Publications/PDS/Cor-Pak_Ex_VpCI_Film.pdf

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