

NEWS ALERT



Cortec® Now Registered With Cefas - OCNS!

Cortec® Corporation's VpCI®-609 has been accepted for registration on the Centre for Environment, Fisheries and Aquaculture Science (Cefas) Offshore Chemical Notification Scheme (OCNS). This list of products authorized for use in the North Sea has the most stringent process for registering chemical compounds, and Cortec® is pleased to have this first of many products listed.

VpCI®-609 is a water-soluble Vapor phase Corrosion Inhibitor (VpCI®) powder for wet or dry corrosion protection of ferrous metals and aluminum for onshore and offshore applications. It provides liquid, vapor-phase, and interface protection by creating a monomolecular inhibiting layer on metal surfaces to provide up to 24 months of continuous protection. VpCI®-609 does not contain nitrites, phosphates, or heavy metals.

Cefas makes an important contribution to securing healthy and sustainable marine and freshwater environments so that current and future generations can prosper. Their vision is to make a real difference for society, as recognized leaders in marine and aquatic science. As the UK's most diverse applied marine science center, they help to shape and implement policy through their internationally renowned science and collaborative relationships that span the EU, UK government, non-governmental organizations, research centers and industry.

OCNS manages chemical use and discharge by the UK and Netherlands offshore petroleum industries. It applies to all chemicals used in the exploration, exploitation, and associated offshore processing of petroleum on the UK Continental Shelf. The scheme is regulated in the UK by the Department of Energy and Climate Change using scientific and environmental advice from the Centre for Environment, Fisheries & Aquaculture Science (Cefas) and Marine Scotland. In the Netherlands the scheme is regulated by the State Supervision of Mines with scientific and environmental advice from Cefas and Netherlands government agencies.



Cortec® Corporation is the global leader in innovative, environmentally responsible VpCI® and MCI® corrosion control technologies for the Packaging, Metalworking, Construction, Electronics, Water Treatment, Oil & Gas, and other industries. Headquartered in St. Paul, Minnesota, Cortec® manufactures over 400 products distributed worldwide. ISO 9001, ISO 14001, and ISO 17025 Certified.

