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Croatian Wings Newsletter

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Happy to Welcome New Team Members!



Coming together is a beginning Keeping together is a progress Working together is a success

Henry Ford

EcoCortec[®] is especially proud to welcome three new employees to our growing team. Tihana Vidović customer service assistant will be helping in providing customers with quotations, answering product inquiries and organizing shipments. Dunja Nadoveza is our new employee in accounting department. She will offer assistance in AP and AR tasks and in the process of closing shop orders. Darko Čeh is our new employee in production department, and will be part of the team on the extrusion lines. These new members of EcoCortec[®] team will help with the tasks and processes being completed even faster and in more efficient way. Our team is here to help



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our distributors in increasing profits and respond promptly and accurately to all of our client's requests. Team's expansion is one of many confirmations of excellent and growing business at EcoCortec plant!

Preventing Plastic Debris in Adriatic Sea!

Successfully Finalized Marine Clean Project



After three years international 1, 1 million Euros worth Marine Clean Project -'Marine debris removal preventing further litter entry', sponsored by CIP Eco-Innovation Program is successfully finalized. EcoCortec[®] played an important role in this innovative project whose goal was preventing hazardous environmental impact of conventional plastic materials discarded at sea, as well as promoting sustainability and innovative technologies.

The project Marine Clean dealt with decreasing marine litter, dangerous ecological problem that is growing rapidly. The great majority of marine litter (more than 90%) consists of plastics, which has become one of the biggest contaminants in the world's oceans. As most types of plastics are not biodegradable, plastic debris poses a serious threat to various living species, boats and coasts.

EcoCortec[®]'s general manager Ivana Radić Boršić and professor Mladen Šercer from Faculty of Mechanical Engineering, University of Zagreb will present the project on conference: "Protecting the Adriatic sea from debris" in May 2015. Adriatic sea is one of the most beautiful seas in the world and its value is immeasurable. It attracts several millions of tourists



EcoOcean® film developed in Marine Clean project will help in maintaining clean waterways.



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Breathtaking Croatian beaches are facing a global problem of sea debris coming from plastic materials discarded at sea.

annually and therefore the preservation of its natural and intact beauty is a priority but also a very complex task. Plastic debris is the main reason of polluted waterways and unfortunately Adriatic sea is no exception.

This conference will highlight problems as well as present new technology solutions for maintaining Croatian sea clean and unpolluted, especially emphasizing UN resolution A /60/L.22 on laws of the sea and dealing with marine litter. Since Croatia is one of the countries that has signed the regional agreement of decreasing plastic debris in the Mediterranean sea, innovations developed through Marine Clean Project will come at excellent time for dealing with this important issue. EcoCortec[®] with its biobased and water degradable film EcoOcean[®] made a huge step in fighting one of the most serious ecological threats today.

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New State Of The Art Extrusion Line at EcoCortec[®]!

Brand new state-of-the-art extrusion line has arrived to EcoCortec[®] - First Croatian Bioplastics plant in Beli Manastir, therefore the plant's production capacity will be furtherly increased. In additon to our regular assortment we are now able to produce small dimension films. Width of the film that new extrusion line can produce is 100mm-540mm with thicknesses ranging from 20µm-200µm. Minimal distance between gussets is 80 mm. We can offer central wound sheeting and tubing products with one side print.

This latest equipment expansion is another confirmation of EcoCortec[®]'s business excellence along with growing sales. The goal of our team is continuous growth while maintaining highest quality standards of our services that include new equipment procurement such as this high-tech extruding line. The result is plant's continuous expansion and strong market presence.

We are proud that after ten years of doing business EcoCortec[®] has entered the third phase of the plant's planned construction and became a leader manufacturer of bioplastics films and bags in Europe and the second largest in the world with no relevant competitor.

This phase includes a new production hall with three new extrusion lines, branding of VpCI[®] paper and storage of Cortec[®] chemical products. EcoCortec[®] is



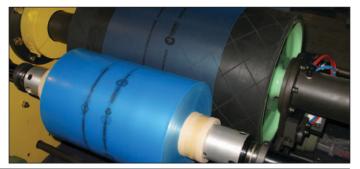


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New extrusion line in EcoCortec[®] can produce film 100mm-540mm with thicknesses ranging from 20μm-200μm.

already present in every European country nd China with over 30 distributors representing our products

Our services that include complete converting, extruding and printing capabilities with a main focus on biodegradable films and compostable films with this latest equipment expansion will be improved and brought to even higher level.



At EcoCortec[®] we are continually improving our facilities, equipment, processes, and ourselves to meet our customer's needs and expectations for consistent high quality films and bags delivered on time.

EcoCortec[®] Welcomes New Distributor in Greece-Dynateco

We are more than happy to announce that EcoCortec[®] has a new distributor in Greece – Dynateco. Dynateco is a company that primarily specializes in cleaning and hygiene products, industrial lubricants, metal processing lubricants and flexible packaging products. It is run by Mr. Stavros Papagiannis and Mr. Kostas Papagiannis who are become our new partners in this region. We wish them a warm welcome to Cortec[®] family and we hope for a long, profitable, mutual partnership.



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Custom Fabricated Equipment Covers and Hoods Powered by Nano-VpCI[®]!

EcoCortec[®] is proudly announcing the latest innovation in its wide range of flexible packaging products. The plant is now offering special custom VpCI[®] film covers/hoods in various sizes and shapes. Cortec[®]'s premium shrink films VpCI[®]-126 and Milcorr[®] are now available as equipment covers in small series. rain, snow, ice and sand storms. They are economical alternative to crating therefore making it easy for equipment to cross customs check-ups without damaging the integrity of the packaging.

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MilCorr[®] VpCl[®] Shrink Film and VpCl[®]-126 High Performance Film are latest technology heavy duty



Air cooler (induced, forced type) preservation for long term outdoor storage and transportation with VpCI-126[®] High Performance UV Film .

These high strength, high performance covers are designed to replace wooden crates, containers, metal, plastic and wooden boxes. They are light weight thus reducing transportation costs while being non-toxic and recyclable thus improving carbon footprint of equipment manufacturers. VpCI[®] shrink films are offered printed with logos of equipment producers at no extra charge providing brand and counterfeit protection as well as protection against high winds,



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MilCorr® VpCI® Shrink Film demonstrated outstanding resistance to the power of the storms.

films featuring Cortec[®]'s world renown multimetal (VpCI[®]) Vapor phase Corrosion Inhibitors. They enable strong protection of surfaces against the most powerful elements of nature. These films can be used to protect products for storage, preserving or shipment in safe VpCI[®] environment. They combine the latest film technology with premium corrosion protection for all multimetals. Both are safe for handling and economical to use by significantly reducing labor for



crating.

Cortec[®]'s MilCorr[®] VpCl[®] Shrink Film and VpCl-126[®] High Performance Film conform to military specification MIL-B-22019D, NACE Standard RP0487-2000 and are RoHS compliant.

Cortec[®] 's premuin VpCI[®]126 High Performance Film is now available in custom fabricated version.

Cortec[®]'s VpCI[®] Inhibitors Exhibited at University of Zagreb-Stainless Steel Seminar!





Sveučilište u Zagrebu 90 godina Fakulteta strojarstva i brodogradnje

University of Zagreb 90 Years of Faculty of Mechanical Engineering and Naval Architecture



The seminar under working title "Stainless Steel" organized by the Faculty of Mechanical Engineering and Naval Architecture, University of Zagreb, Croatia, was held at the Hotel International in Zagreb. The seminar was attended by 100 engineers, technicians, production managers and other professionals dealing with the maintenance and protection of metal structures against corrosion. Attendees had the opportunity to deepen their knowledge about the most modern methods of corrosion protection in various aggressive environments.

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Exhibition area was also organized as part of the event where EcoCortec[®] presented its products and services. Since among the technologies of corrosion protection a significant place belongs to the application of corrosion inhibitors this was an excellent opportunity to present Cortec[®] to engineers from Croatia and the region. Cortec[®] products were also presented on the seminar through several technical papers.



New 24/7 Production Schedule at EcoCortec[®] Plant!

EcoCortec[®] plant will be implementing 24/7 production schedule in Q3 effective June, 2015. This new schedule is organized due to increased demand for VpCI[®] film products in Europe and Asia. It is a result of excellent quality and service provided by EcoCortec's team. Our goal is to enable larger quantities being delivered to our distributors and shorter lead time. 24/7 schedule will apply to production department with exception of national holidays.



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