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Protection for the future

The practice of mothballing plant and equipment is regularly performed by companies who have the intention to re-commence operations at some point in the future.

During this time, it is vital that plant and equipment are protected from degradation, particularly from corrosion.

With adequate protection, assets can be efficiently reinstated to working order when they are needed and their value will be protected during the idle time.

Vapour phase corrosion inhibitors (VpCIs) are not widely known, however provide excellent results for plant and equipment during idle time.

Savcor Products Australia are the Australia and New Zealand importers and distributors of VpCIs.

These products are sourced from Cortec Corporation which is a US-based Technology Company.

VpCIs emit an environmentally friendly vapour that condenses on the metal surface to form a thin, uniform, economical and extremely effective corrosion inhibiting layer.

VpCIs come in many different forms such as plastic films and wraps, coatings, powders and emitters, with the use for this technology wide-ranging.

Some of the ways in which Savcor Products Australia has helped clients in mothballing include:

- VpCI impregnated coatings, powders and liquids for protecting all surfaces including engine and gearbox internals of vintage vehicles as displayed and stored in museums;
- Milcorr - a heavy duty VpCI shrink wrapping film for protecting vital equipment from corrosion and weathering;
- Concentrated oil and fuel additives for heavy mining equipment such as gearboxes;



A Cortec VpCI in use.

- Powders added to many enclosed spaces such as dredge chambers, piles and lighting poles for long term protection; and
- Emitters used to protect electrical switchboard cabinets.

VpCIs are a very cost effective way of providing corrosion protection and reducing long term maintenance costs. Savcor, together with the expertise of Cortec Products, can provide cost effective solutions for the protection of plant and equipment. **P**

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