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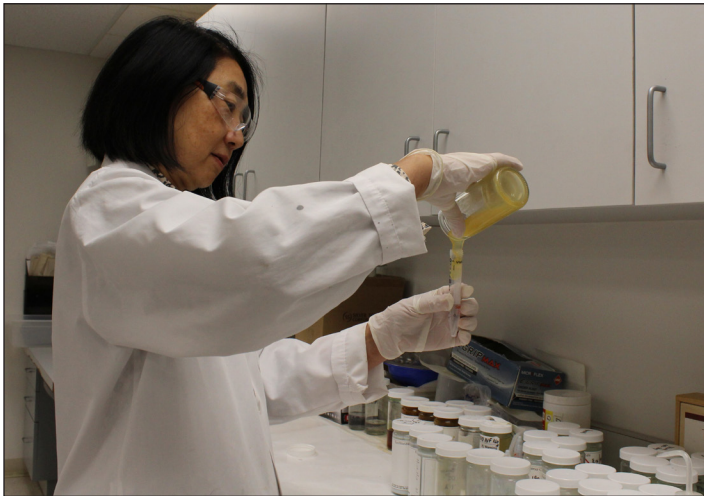
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## Cortec® Becomes a ‘BioPreferred® Program Pioneer’!

On July 2<sup>nd</sup>, we were awarded the badge of “BioPreferred® Program Pioneer” for our role as one of the first 500 companies to receive a USDA Certified Biobased Product label after the launch of the program 10 years ago. In a letter notifying us of the recognition, Andrew Jermolowicz, Director of the Business Development Division of the USDA Rural Business Cooperative Service, stated the following:



Ming Shen, Ph.D., Manager of Green Chemistry Initiative, pours biobased samples.

“As the USDA BioPreferred® Program celebrates the 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of our certification and voluntary labeling initiative, we want to recognize you as a BioPreferred® Program Pioneer and show our appreciation for businesses like yours that showed faith in our mission. . . . This badge signifies your long-term commitment to using renewable materials, reducing our reliance on petroleum, supporting the bioeconomy, and bettering the planet through innovation. . . . When your organization took those early steps to earn certification for your biobased products, you helped grow this country’s bioeconomy and establish the BioPreferred® Program as the premier government authority to verify biobased product claims.”

biobased content levels under the mandatory federal purchasing initiative of the USDA BioPreferred® Program, which requires federal agencies and their contractors to buy biobased products in specifically designated categories where possible. We are grateful for this honor as a confirmation of our leadership and initiative in an industry that would not initially come to mind as environmentally responsible, but where our R&D team has shown exceptional success!

We already have more than 40 USDA Certified Biobased Products and are actively working to grow our portfolio, with at least five new labels awarded this year alone. These products undergo third-party testing to confirm their percentages of biobased content. They also meet minimum

For more information about the program, go to <https://www.biopreferred.gov>.

## Third Consecutive Governor’s Safety Award

In spite of the extra safety challenges presented by COVID-19, we were honored to earn the Governor’s Safety Award for the third year in a row! In 2020, our Cortec® White Bear Lake Headquarters advanced from the previous level of “Meritorious Achievement” to the level of “Outstanding Achievement.” This rating is based on continuing improvement and/or a continuing outstanding record with incident rates that were 51%-90% better than the industry average, and a score between 75 and 90 on the safety program evaluation scale. We were recognized for this excellence in workplace safety May 4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>, 2021, at the 2021 Virtual Minnesota Safety and Health Conference.

“In a year that has challenged all of us in ways we never imagined, we are very pleased to recognize Cortec® Corporation for their award,” said Paul Aasen, president of the Minnesota Safety Council, the organization that coordinates the awards program. “Safety demands extraordinary attention in a normal year, double that attention this past year. Thank you Cortec® for keeping your employees safe.”



Jill Carlson, Safety & Facilities Specialist at Cortec® White Bear Lake Headquarters, has seen exciting strides forward in Cortec’s safety culture over the last several years and commented, “We have a great team here, and it shows!”



## Why Cortec®? Why Now? We Are Here to Help You Beat VCI Film and Paper Supply Chain Issues!

The pandemic has wreaked havoc on global supply chains. Microchip shortages and raw material delays are just some of the serious challenges that currently face manufacturing. In the VCI packaging industry, 8-10 week lead times are sending metal goods manufacturers scrambling for someone to supply corrosion solutions in short order for storage and shipping needs. Fortunately, our VpCI® Film and Paper supply remains solid, enabling us to maintain short lead times at competitive prices for new customers who have recently reached out because normal distribution channels can no longer supply product due to pandemic supply chain issues.

Years ago, we launched a plan to be the only vertically integrated VCI film and paper manufacturer. Pursuing this goal has given us more control over quality and the production process, so there is no need to wait on third-party contractors to finish making VCI films and bags before supplying them to customers. This serves as an important connection when many links of the supply chain are failing. Cortec's solid network of distributors also leaves many well-stocked locations ready to ship quickly to customers in their locale.

Right now, we and our distribution chain have an ample stock of competitively priced VpCI® Films, Bags, and Papers ready to fly off the shelves at a critical time when other suppliers are not able to deliver. Contact us today to get your VpCI® Film or Paper order started so you can keep production processes going with the necessary protective packaging materials in place! <https://www.cortecpackaging.com/contact-us/>

## Ongoing Growth in Europe

CorteCros®, part of Cortec® Corporation, has acquired a new facility building in Split, Croatia, from CROSCO d.o.o., subsidiary of INA, a Croatian multinational oil company. CorteCros® is now the 100% owner of the logistics and distribution center in Split, which will be Europe's main production and distribution point for Cortec's chemical corrosion protection products. CEO Boris Miksic has invested over €20 million in Croatia so far and plans another expansion in the near future. "We will increase our capacities in Split and are planning to build new compounding and reprocessing plants next year, near existing EcoCortec® facilities. One plant will produce Cortec's patented VpCI® corrosion protection additive, which will contribute to the self-sustainability of EcoCortec® while the other one will be a recycling plant. We are on [an] excellent path of branding Croatia as a central point in this part of the world for green corrosion protection technologies," concluded Miksic.

### A Note from CEO Boris Miksic

June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021

Dear All

*Today Ivan and his team reached another milestone since [the] inception of CorteCros® 23 years ago: record sales and production in the month of June showing the strength of their business model poised to grow [the] European market share for Cortec® brand RP's for years to come...*

*CorteCros® was my birthday gift when I turned 50, and is a proof in [the pudding] that through hard work and perseverance... the formula I called in my book "blood, sweat and tears"...by Ivan and his team, who have reached [this] Croatian dream without a single kuna of outside investment...*

*And that's truly remarkable not having had to borrow a penny through bad times even through [the] COVID catastrophe...*

*Today is another milestone for CorteCros® after having been a tenant in a leased building for many years, they have purchased the property in Split from the landlord in CASH... incredible achievement by a company that has never borrowed a penny from the banks and never missed a payroll in 23 years since its inception...*

*Ivan Rogan and CorteCros® Team, I salute your accomplishments, you are true champions, keep up [the] good work.*

Kind regards  
Boris Miksic  
CEO



## Creditworthiness Excellence Continues in Croatia

EcoCortec®, our bioplastics plant in Beli Manastir, Croatia, received yet another Certificate of Creditworthiness Excellence from CompanyWall Business this summer! The 2021 award included an A+ rating, one of the highest available from this renowned credit rating agency. CorteCros®, with offices in Zagreb and production and warehouse facilities in Split, Croatia, also received a 2021 Certificate of Creditworthiness Excellence, achieving the highest rating possible: AA+.



These official certificates are awarded to companies which meet strict economic and financial criteria and are given with the purpose of helping legal entities improve their business by identifying and connecting with desirable new clients. The awards serve as an important indication of the stability of our Croatian entities as good companies with which to do business. Congrats to EcoCortec® and CorteCros® for another great year of credit standing!

## CorteCros® Renews ISO 9001 Certification and Becomes ISO 14001 Certified!

Quality and environmental responsibility have both been important values to Cortec® from its inception. With the recent growth and developments at our subsidiary CorteCros® in Croatia, it is extremely fitting for them to have certification in these areas. In August, CorteCros® successfully passed audits for two ISO management systems: ISO 9001:2015 and ISO 14001:2015. The FSB Q-CERT accreditation organization confirmed CorteCros® compliance with the ISO 9001 Quality Management System standard and renewed its certification on August 27<sup>th</sup>. The same day, but for the first time, FSB Q-CERT also awarded CorteCros® ISO 14001:2015 Environmental Management System certification, valid through August 27<sup>th</sup>, 2024. Congrats to CorteCros® for all their hard work to achieve these important milestones for quality and environmental management!

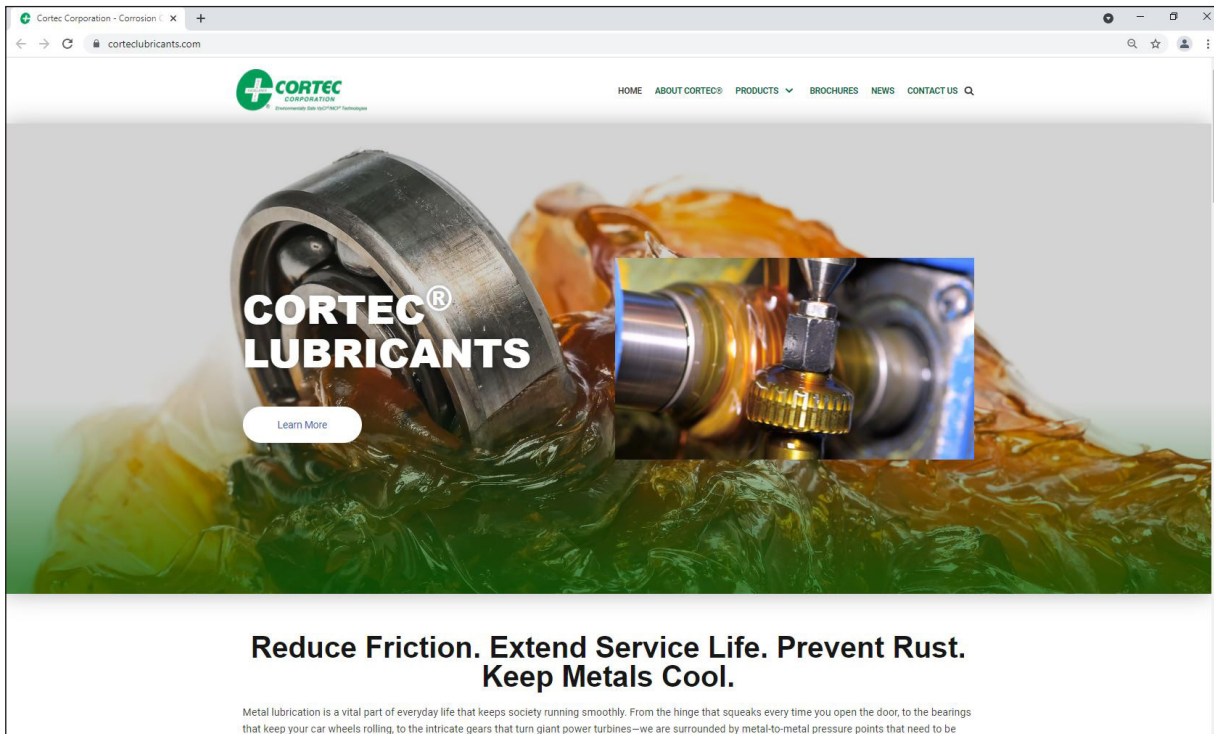
*“Cortec® team Ivana Liposcak [MCI® Technical Sales Manager Europe] (from left), Boris Miksic [CEO], Ivana Radic [VP Sales Europe] and Ivan Rogan, Executive Vice President of CorteCros®, visiting the site of the new Pelješac Bridge, one of the largest current construction projects in Europe. The design life of the bridge is 100 years, made possible by application of MCI®-2018. The nearby shellfish farms, in the ecologically sensitive Adriatic Sea, have influenced the bridge’s designer to specify Cortec® MCI®-2018 as the most desirable corrosion protection solution.” – Boris Miksic, CEO*



*Fun and Fish! The EcoCortec® team participated in the Baranja Fish Cooking Festival, or “Fišijada,” September 4<sup>th</sup> in Beli Manastir, Croatia.*



## CORTEC® RESOURCES AT YOUR SERVICE



### New Lubricants and Metalworking Websites

We were proud to unveil our new Cortec® Lubricants website this summer! The brand-new online destination is a complete revamp of the old website and offers a fresh user experience with professional appeal. Best of all, the website delivers innovative solutions to

- Reduce friction
- Extend service life
- Prevent rust
- And keep metals cool!

We have also redesigned our Metalworking Products website! This web portal is an inviting landing pad for those seeking corrosion solutions for productivity, investment protection, and cost reduction in the different phases of metalworking. While many Cortec® metalworking products fit into more than one category, the website groups them according to cutting fluids, lubricants, or general purpose rust preventatives for easier navigation. Each category is further subdivided by product type to meet the needs, preferences, and specifications of each individual user.

Browse the websites for yourself today!

Cortec® Lubricants: <https://corteclubricants.com/>

Cortec® Metalworking: <https://www.cortecmetalworking.com/>

### New Geothermal Power Plant Guide

We have released a new guide to corrosion mitigation in the geothermal energy industry! The guide looks at expectations for continued growth in the industry and then delves into specific measures that can be taken to protect equipment from corrosion during both operation and layup. Find the guide here: <https://www.cortecvci.com/geothermal-power-plant-impact-of-scale-and-corrosion/>

### Don't Forget! Cortec® Offers Accredited ASTM G180 Testing for Corrosion Inhibiting Admixtures

ASTM G180 testing may be needed for a variety of reasons. First, manufacturers use it to screen new chemistry formulations for their potential as corrosion inhibiting admixtures. In the United States, admixture formulations need to pass ASTM C1582 to qualify as a corrosion inhibiting admixture. This standard specifies use of either ASTM G180

or ASTM G109 to measure corrosion inhibition ability in chloride environments. Admixtures need to pass at least one of these in order to be classified as a corrosion inhibiting admixture. Chemistries that pass ASTM G180 testing, which is conducted over the course of three days, have a strong vote of confidence for their corrosion inhibiting ability; whereas those that do not pass this quick test must undergo years of additional testing under ASTM G109. Other times, ASTM G180 is needed simply for quality assurance of existing products and/or as part of an audit like the one recently performed by Cortec® Laboratories on MCI®-2005 for Cortec® Middle East and Dubai Municipality. Finally, ASTM G180 testing is also critical for engineers working with DOTs who require corrosion inhibitors to pass ASTM C1582 before use on their projects. Whatever the case, Cortec® Laboratories can provide the needed testing through its independent ISO 17025 accreditation to perform ASTM G180.

Learn more: <https://www.cortecmci.com/cortec-laboratories-offers-accredited-astm-g180-testing-for-corrosion-inhibiting-admixtures/>

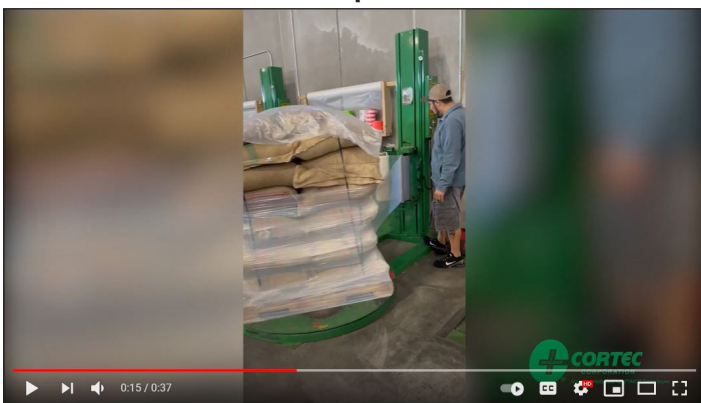
## Earn AIA Learning Credits with Cortec® MCI®!

We have recently registered and been approved as a “passport” level continuing education system provider (CES) with the American Institute of Architects (AIA)! Our accredited educational content will be available in person, online, live, or on demand anywhere in the world. Currently registered Cortec® MCI® courses offer participants elective learning units and Health, Safety, and Welfare (HSW) learning units and primarily discuss the corrosion challenges in construction and the role of corrosion inhibitors in mitigating these problems. Learn more and sign up here: <https://www.cortecmci.com/earn-aia-learning-units-with-cortec-mci/>

## New Videos Available: Watch and Share!

Check out our new collection of short demo videos ranging from commercially compostable stretch wrap demos to placement of concrete with MCI®-2005 NS admixture.

### Eco Wrap® Demo



Wrapping Sacks of Coffee

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OEIJoR64gi8>

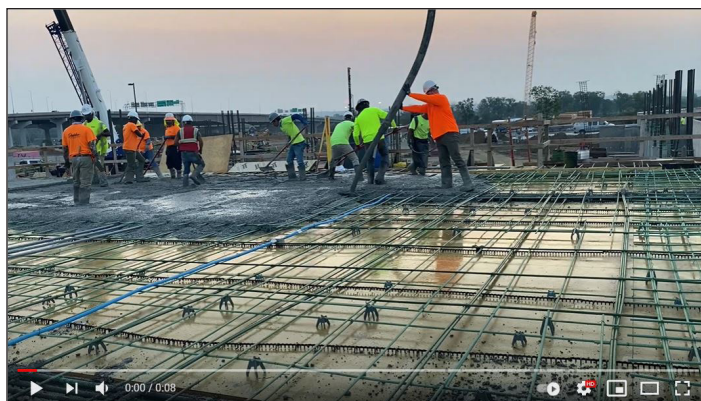
### CorShield® VpCI®-146 Perforated Roll



Easy to Use Corrosion Inhibiting Paper: Tear and Go!

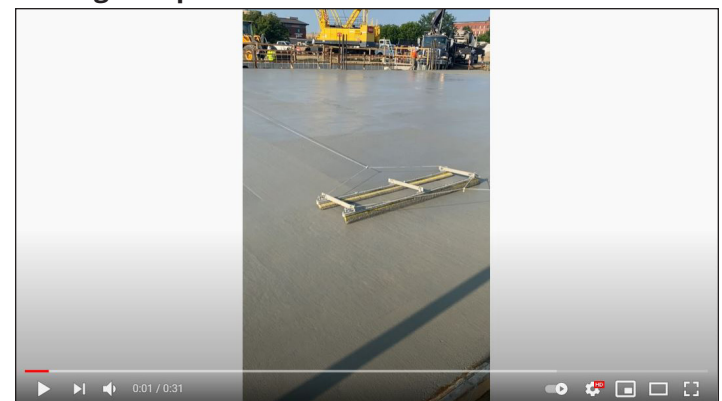
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l-CahyX\\_UnE](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l-CahyX_UnE)

### The Mercantile Parking Ramp



PT Mix w/MCI® – High Slump, Great Consolidation!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OnrOkSuFtSA>

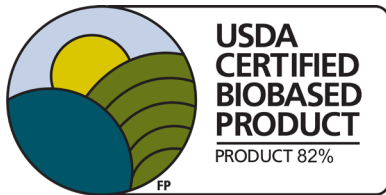


PT Mix w/MCI® in Extreme Heat – Great Finish!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-WfdW4NHJFY>

## PRODUCT NEWS

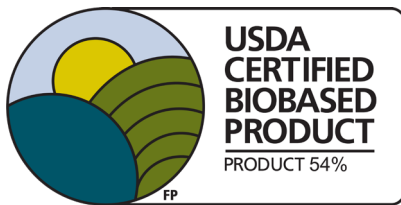
### S-10 F Boiler Additive Earns USDA Certified Biobased Product Label



Our S-10 F Boiler Additive was awarded the USDA Certified Biobased Product label on April 15<sup>th</sup>! This product is an excellent choice for fighting the corrosiveness of carbonic

acid that forms in steam and condensate lines from dissolved carbon dioxide. Added directly to the steam or condensate lines as either a batch or continuous treatment during operation, S-10 F Boiler Additive forms a persistent film that makes it an excellent replacement for film forming amines. This film is resistant to oxidation, has a high salt tolerance, and is stable under a wide range of temperatures. It can be used as a standalone water treatment or as a building block for a comprehensive boiler treatment program. Read more: <https://www.cortecvci.com/s-10-f-boiler-additive-earns-the-usda-certified-biobased-product-label/>

### The Newest Generation of BioCorr®!



At the end of April, we officially released the newest generation of BioCorr®, known as BioCorr® HP. BioCorr® HP has excellent emulsion stability, contains no chemicals

that interfere with automatic transmission fluids, and employs UV-marker technology for easy identification on the metal surface. BioCorr® is a USDA Certified Biobased Product (contains 54% USDA certified biobased content) that provides excellent multi-metal corrosion protection and is an excellent environmentally sound alternative to petroleum-derived products. Read more about it here: <https://www.cortecvci.com/products/vpci-metalworking-products/biocorr-hp/>

### VpCI®-126 Vacuum Bags for Long-Term Metal Parts Packaging



The month of May saw the release of a new high performance VpCI® packaging product: VpCI®-126 Vacuum Bags! These bags take the protection of basic VpCI®-126 Film to the next level by adding an

extra barrier against moisture and oxygen for enhanced corrosion inhibition during long-term storage or harsh shipping conditions. The bags can be vacuum-packed and are ideal for automotive build-ahead programs, all-time-buys, or other long-term metal storage applications. Learn more: <https://www.cortecvci.com/introducing-cortecs-new-vpci-126-vacuum-bags-for-long-term-metal-parts-packaging/>

### EcoShrink™ Commercially Compostable Shrink Film

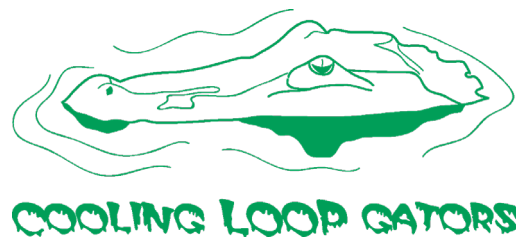
The second specialty packaging product we released in May was EcoShrink™, a commercially compostable



compostable shrink film. This product is designed to make the “circular economy” a reality while meeting common packaging needs. It contains 45% biopolymers and can be used with a wide variety of shrink tools. After use, EcoShrink™ can be disposed of in a commercial composting environment to reduce the amount of plastic packaging that normally ends up in a landfill.\* Read more: <https://www.cortecvci.com/products/vpci-packaging-products/ecoshrink-compostable-film/>

### Molybdate-Free Cooling Water Layup with Cooling Loop Gator® MF

This new molybdate-free version of the Cooling Loop Gator® is a June release that is important for users in regions with increasing



molybdate restrictions. Cooling Loop Gator® MF offers simple, safe, easy, and effective corrosion protection for cooling water systems during seasonal, short-term, or long-term layup. This is a critical time when idle equipment is at higher risk for corrosion, which could shorten asset life and complicate startup. While the standard industry practice has been to simply shut down a system and drain the water, this leaves the cooling system internals vulnerable to a problem that could be easily mitigated by the simple application of Cooling Loop Gator® MF. Read more: <https://www.cortecvci.com/products/vpci-water-treatment-products/seasonal-lay-up-products/cooling-loop-gator-mf-patented/>

\*Note: This product is intended to be composted in a commercial composting facility operated in accordance with best management practices. Check locally to see if such a facility exists in your community and if they will accept this product. Not suitable for backyard composting.

A Note from CEO Boris Miksic

July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2021

Dear All

Remember John Lennon's song "Imagine"?

...Imagine if corrosion protection would be Recyclable, Repulpable, Biodegradable, Compostable, Patentable...

The future came early again, a revolutionary VCI Paper is unveiled in front of our eyes:

Our best selling CorShield® VpCI®-146 Paper with Eco-Bio™ Technology just merged in the "Blue Ocean" of its own, is the One and ONLY VCI PAPER in the world that's biodegradable, USDA certified biobased (92%) and compostable...

Plastic pollution is a major global problem facing our planet providing enormous and timely opportunity for Eco-Bio™ CorShield® VpCI® Paper as a replacement for traditional VCI Films, USD\$ 250 million per year market, a life time opportunity for all of us...

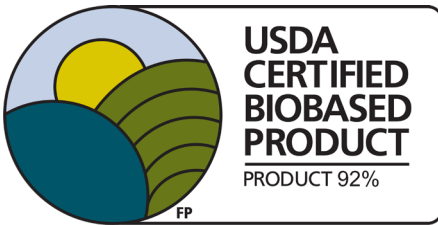
...unimaginable suddenly became imaginable...

Kind regards

Boris Miksic

CEO

### Revolutionary Biodegradable VCI Paper with Eco-Bio™ Technology



August brought the announcement of CorShield® VpCI®-146 Paper getting better for the environment with the addition of Eco-Bio™ Technology!

As packaging pollution becomes an increasing concern in today's society, we have been looking into ways to keep the environment cleaner while offering top quality corrosion protection.

CorShield® VpCI®-146 Paper with Eco-Bio™ Technology does that by enhancing the biodegradable and compostable characteristics of a naturally sourced paper that provides reliable corrosion protection on both sides. Learn more: <https://www.cortecvci.com/press-release-cortec-unveils-revolutionary-biodegradable-vci-paper-with-eco-bio-technology/>

### Three New MCI® DOT Approvals

MCI®-2005 NS corrosion inhibiting admixture has recently been approved for DOT use in three more states! This is exciting news for engineers in Pennsylvania, Maine, and Massachusetts who can now specify an industry leading admixture in their concrete design mixes for new construction and repair of roads, bridges, and other public transportation infrastructure. MCI® is one of the easiest and most cost-effective ways to build a longer service life into a new or existing structure and hence can have beneficial ripple effects on budget and safety concerns long-term.

Read more: <https://www.cortecmci.com/mci-2005-ns-admixture-recently-approved-by-three-new-dots/>

### New VCI Paper Perf Capabilities up to 48" Wide!

For several years, Cortec® has had the dream of offering wide width VpCI® Paper perforated on a roll for the convenience and efficiency of customers whose processes are particularly suited to this format. After intensive trial and error on specially designed equipment, CCP has finally brought this dream to reality. The recently perfected equipment is able to perforate 30#, 35#, 40#, and 60# CorShield® VpCI®-146 Paper into custom-sized pieces 24 to 72 inches (61-183 cm) long and 12 to 48 inches (30.5-122 cm) wide. This greatly expands Cortec's previous perforation capabilities of 12 x 12 inches (30.5 cm x 30.5 cm) minimum and 18 x 36 inches (45.7 x 91.4 cm) maximum so that manufacturers can now tear off pieces of CorShield® VpCI®-146 Paper big enough to line pallets or use in other large-scale applications. Learn more: <https://www.cortecvci.com/cortec-leads-industry-with-new-vci-paper-perf-capabilities-up-to-48-wide/>

## NEW ARTICLES

### Putting Off the Rust Payday' Canadian Rental Services March 2021

This article highlights an important aspect of rust prevention that we do not always think of first: preservation of rental equipment. In order for rental equipment to keep its value, it must be kept in good condition. Corrosion can be a serious enemy to this, especially in situations where equipment must haul corrosive materials such as fertilizers or deicing salts. The article takes a look at what can be done to help a rental fleet last longer to maximize profits! Read here: [http://magazine.canadianrentalservice.com/publication/?m=1862&i=693545&view=articleBrowser&article\\_id=3904256&ver=html5](http://magazine.canadianrentalservice.com/publication/?m=1862&i=693545&view=articleBrowser&article_id=3904256&ver=html5)





**'Keeping Valves Corrosion-Free'  
Chemical Engineering  
May 2021**

Valves are a critical part of the chemical process industries, which is why this article is fitting for the *Chemical Engineering* audience. It discusses the threat of corrosion in all phases of a valve's lifecycle, from newly manufactured components to critical spares to rusted assets that need to be restored and preserved. It also includes several industry examples straight out of our collection of Cortec® Case Histories. Read here: <https://view.imirus.com/8rLRGj2mK8G/document/13553/page/42>



**'Helping Bridges Last Longer with Migrating Corrosion Inhibitors'  
Highway Engineering Australia  
May/June 2021**

Tailored to Australian readers, this article addresses the corrosive environments to which many coastal bridges are exposed on this continent. It gives a brief explanation of how MCI® Technology works and offers ideas on how it can be used as part of preventative maintenance and to fortify repairs. Read here: [https://issuu.com/epcmediagroup/docs/h525\\_mayjun2021/28](https://issuu.com/epcmediagroup/docs/h525_mayjun2021/28)

**'MCI® Technology Helps Concrete Structures Last Longer in Harsh Coastal Conditions'  
Construction Engineering Australia  
April/May 2021**

This article also focuses on mitigating corrosion on concrete structures in Australia. The Sydney Opera House, Victoria State Offices, and Queensland's Art Gallery are given a shoutout in this article specifically targeted to Australian engineers but applicable to the construction industry around the world. The article discusses the problem posed by corrosion on reinforced concrete structures such as these. It also looks at how Migrating Corrosion Inhibitors can reduce corrosion when applied as an admixture, a topical surface treatment, or a combination MCI®/water repellent. Click here and scroll to page 28 to read the article: [https://www.epcgroup.com/wp-content/uploads/C071\\_AprMay2021.pdf](https://www.epcgroup.com/wp-content/uploads/C071_AprMay2021.pdf)



**'Equipping the Concrete Industry with Corrosion-Inhibiting Sealers'  
ASI Adhesives & Sealants Industry  
June 2021**

This article takes a closer look at how MCI® water repellents can be a benefit to new, existing, or repaired concrete structures. It discusses the advantages of two-in-one MCI® water repellents and offers tips on ensuring successful application. Read the article here: <https://www.adhesivesmag.com/articles/98605-equipping-the-concrete-industry-with-corrosion-inhibiting-sealers>

**'Continuing Corrosion Solutions for Africa During COVID-19 and Beyond'  
Construction Review Online  
August 2021**

Written in the wake of COVID-19 chaos, this article not only takes a look at the corrosion solutions available for unexpected shutdowns but also looks at how we and our South Africa distributor TCC SA have responded to some of the upheavals. Read here: <https://constructionreviewonline.com/corporate-news/continuing-corrosion-solutions-for-africa-during-covid-19-and-beyond/>



## TIPS & IDEAS

### Reflections on the Favorite VpCI® Film of Three Cortec® Reps

Here's what some of our sales reps had to say about their favorite VpCI® film, which happened to be VpCI®-126 HP UV Shrink Film in each of the responses below!!

#### Jessica Carpenter, Regional Sales Manager (MI, Northern OH, Northern IN, Pittsburgh)

- It is versatile
- Offers customers an opportunity to free up floor space by wrapping and storing assets outdoors up to two years
- UV protection prevents film from degrading in sun
- VpCI®-126 chemistry keeps assets protected
- Easy to use with step-by-step shrink-wrapping instructions from the lab!

#### Dario Dell'Orto, Vice President, International Sales

- Typically well-received
- Advantageous and convenient
- Favorable quality-performance/price relationship



#### Judy Wolf, Regional Sales Manager (Southern United States)

- It's the "Swiss army knife" of films
- 10 mil thickness gives it strength
- Provides outdoor protection against corrosion
- UV protection is important for enclosed rubber parts
- Tight shrink-wrapping fit eliminates flapping in the wind during flatbed transport

### Need Some Tips for Boiler Startup?

Boiler startup—whether for the fall and winter heating season or simply for the launch of heat/steam dependent manufacturing processes—is a critical time when the influx of fresh makeup water (often unheated and not yet treated with the normal operating chemical program) can cause oxygen pitting. This is reflected by a spike of iron levels in the water. Not only does the surge in iron indicate metal loss from corrosion that could lead to leakage or clogging; the extra iron could also react with standard water treatment chemicals and undermine the effectiveness of the operational treatment program once underway.



The easiest way to circumvent these problems is by adding a Boiler Egg™ to the bottom of the steam drum, condensate return tank, deaerator, or feed-water tank at the beginning of layup. Learn more: <https://www.cortecvci.com/news-alert-does-your-boiler-water-reflect-a-spike-in-iron-levels/>

Boiler Egg 

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### ICRI Fall Convention

October 11<sup>th</sup>- 13<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
Marriott Minneapolis City Center  
Minneapolis, MN  
<https://www.icri.org/>



### SSPC Coatings+

December 13<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
Phoenix Convention Center  
Booth # 638  
<https://sspc.org/coatings-2021/>



### World of Concrete

January 18<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup>, 2022  
Las Vegas Convention Center  
Las Vegas, NV  
Booth # C4014  
<https://www.worldofconcrete.com/en/attendee.html>



### AMPP

March 6<sup>th</sup>- 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
Henry B. Gonzalez Convention Center  
San Antonio, TX  
Booth # 1909  
<https://ace.ampp.org/home>



### America Coatings Show

April 5<sup>th</sup>- 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
Indiana Convention Center  
Indianapolis, Indiana  
Booth # 2274  
<https://american-coatings-show.com>



# Cortec® Corporation



## Quality Management System (ISO 9001 Certified)

### World Class Product Offerings

An innovative producer of leading edge products.

### World Class Customer Service

A positive, long-lasting impression through every link of our company.

### World Class Environmental Commitment

Cortec® commits to continued development of processes and products that are useful, non-hazardous to the environment, and recyclable whenever possible.

### An Ethical and Respectful Company Culture

Respect and treat our colleagues, customers, and vendors as we would our own family members.



## Environmental Management System (ISO 14001 Certified)

Cortec's strong environmental concern is demonstrated in the design and manufacturing of products that protect materials of all kinds from environmental degradation. A strong commitment to produce recyclable products made from sustainable resources has been and will be our future policy.



## Laboratory Accreditation (ISO/IEC 17025)

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