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## Evaluating Vappro film

**Background:** The Customer submitted Vappro film to Cortec Corporation. No details

about the film are given.

**Purpose:** Evaluate the corrosion inhibition performance of submitted film

**Method:** Razor Blade Test

VIA Test

Materials: Razor Blade Test Kit

VIA Test Kit Vappro film (8 mil)

**Procedure:** The above tests were performed according to standard procedures for each.

**Results:** 

## Razor Blade Test

Material	Panel #1	Panel #2	Panel #3
Vappro film	Fail	Pass	Pass
Cortec VpCI-126 film*	Pass	Pass	Pass
Control	Fail	Fail	Fail

<sup>\*</sup>Typical results for Cortec VpCI-126 film

## VIA Test

Material	Panel #1	Panel #2	Panel #3
Submitted film	Grade 1	Grade 1	Grade 1
Cortec VpCI-126 film*	Grade 3	Grade 3	Grade 3
Control	Fail	Fail	Fail

<sup>\*</sup>Typical results for Cortec VpCI-126 film

Note: Barrier testing was not performed, due to insufficient amount of submitted film.

**Conclusion:** Vappro film, fails to provide adequate corrosion inhibition. In addition to low

density polyethylene, film possibly contains benzoates.

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## VIA Test Grades (Grade 2 or 3 are passing)



Grade 0: Blind test

No corrosion inhibiting effect

Grade 1: Blind test

Minute corrosion inhibiting effect

Grade 2: Blind test

Medium corrosion inhibiting effect

Grade 3: Blind test

Good corrosion inhibiting effect

Grade 1







