

# NEWS ALERT



## EcoLine® VpCI®-642 Featured in “The Analyst” Industry Notes



Cortec's EcoLine® VpCI®-642 has made the Industry Notes section of The Analyst: The Voice of the Water Treatment Industry. The Spring 2018 issue of this quarterly journal published by AWT (Association of Water Technologies) announces Cortec's introduction of EcoLine® VpCI®-642: an economical biobased corrosion inhibitor for seawater hydrostatic testing.

The article notes that EcoLine® VpCI®-642 allows seawater to be used to check the safety and reliability of pipes and other vessels without the danger of premature equipment failure from corrosion. This provides excellent cost savings in offshore environments where seawater is abundant.

Not only does EcoLine® VpCI®-642 protect ferrous metals in contact with corrosive seawater hydrostatic testing fluid—it is also a USDA Certified Biobased Product. EcoLine® VpCI®-642 contains 93% USDA certified biobased content and is biodegradable, with an environmentally friendly profile that makes disposal of the treated hydrostatic testing water more likely to comply with local regulations. The article notes that after draining of the hydrostatic testing water, the vessel's corrosion protection can be extended by rinsing with fresh water containing 0.5% by weight of VpCI®-609.



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