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Cortec® Reconnects with Military at DoD Allied Nations Technical Corrosion Conference



The DoD Allied Nations Technical Corrosion Conference August 7th-10th in Birmingham, Alabama, was a great opportunity for Cortec® to reconnect with multiple branches of the military. Larry Mudd (USAF Retired) was joined by Cortec® reps Markus Bieber, Judy Wolf, and Michael Gonzales to share Cortec® corrosion prevention solutions with the hundreds of people attending the conference.

“It was a phenomenal conference,” reflected Mudd, who particularly enjoyed the chance to reconnect with military personnel he knew from the past. It was exciting for him to now be able to share with them the products, processes, and Global Services that make Cortec® such an important player in the field of preservation.

Some specific interests that arose during the show centered on the following:

- Military Depots (facilities that rebuild vehicles and aircraft) were interested in coatings for temporary protection of vehicles and aircraft that have to sit outside one week to several months after they are overhauled.
- TARDEC (United States Army Tank Automotive Research, Development and Engineering Center) was interested in asset preservation.
- NAVFAC (Naval Facilities Engineering Command) expressed interest in protecting aboveground storage tanks from corrosion and using CorroLogic® Filler for pipelines.
- Many military departments showed interest in VpCI® bags, coatings, films, emitters, and long or short term preservation.



Among the many different military departments encountered during the conference, Cortec® spoke with both domestic and foreign military representatives from places including the Pentagon’s DoD Corrosion Policy and Oversight Office, the UK Royal Navy, and the Colombian Air Force. Cortec® is excited for the opportunity to share important corrosion prevention solutions with these and many other high-interest leads generated at the show.



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