

# **VpCI®-347**



## **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

VpCI<sup>®</sup>-347 is a multifunctional corrosion inhibitor/heavyduty lubricant concentrate for metalworking operations. High performance characteristics make VpCI<sup>®</sup>-347 ideally suited for heavy-duty cutting, milling, turning, drilling, boring, broaching, gear cutting, and other machining operations. VpCI<sup>®</sup>-347 contains lubricating and corrosion inhibiting compounds, and is resistant to rancid attack by bacteria. When used as directed, VpCI<sup>®</sup>-347 prevents corrosion during in-plant processing, storage, and export shipment for up to 24 months, while also eliminating problems caused by petroleum-based products.

## **FEATURES**

- Low to no smoke or burning vapors
- Low foaming
- Prevents corrosive attack caused by chlorides, aggressive industrial gases and acidic atmospheres
- Effective in high humidity (laboratory tests of standard cold-rolled steel panels showed no signs of corrosion at 100% relative humidity after 2,000 hr. per ASTM D-1748)
- Provides excellent drawability, lubricity and wetting under pressure
- Displaces water and oil from metal surfaces, leaving a thin transparent film
- Economical (can be diluted up to 1 part VpCI®-347 to 40 parts water)
- Protects ferrous and non-ferrous metals
- Easy to remove from metal surfaces

- · Contains no chlorinated compounds, chromates, or nitrites
- Eliminates cleaning and housekeeping problems associated with rust inhibiting oils
- No need for slushing oils
- Weldable in most cases.
- Resistant to rancid attack by bacteria
- Forms a transparent film
- NATO #6850-66-132-6101
  - #6850-66-132-6102
- NSN 6850-01-470-2740

## **TYPICAL APPLICATION**

- Lubricant for heavy-duty rolling, drawing, extruding, stamping and cutting
- In-plant machining
- Protection of hot-rolled, cold-rolled, galvanized, and aluminized steel
- Corrosion protection for bearings, piping and tubular parts, housings, stampings, bar and roll stock, and structural steel during in-plant storage or domestic and export shipments
- Coolant for machining of castings, highly polished pieces and other parts; providing superior protection between machining operations and further processing or assembly

## **METALS PROTECTED**

- Carbon steel
- Aluminum
- Cast iron
- Stainless steel
- Copper

## **TYPICAL PROPERTIES**

Brown to tan viscous liquid
Non-drying
10-11 (1% water)
21°F (-6°C)
Alkaline cleaners (VpCI-410 series)
7,000-13,000 cps
8.2-8.7 lb/gal (0.98-1.04 kg/l)

# APPLICATION

#### **Product Preparation:**

Add VpCl<sup>®</sup>-347 to water using a high dispersion mixing blade. Mix for at least 5-10 minutes. VpCl<sup>®</sup>-347 can be mixed in this manner at higher concentrations (20-50%) and then added into larger volumes of water.

Methods for monitoring solution: Refractometer, pH

Recommended applicators and dilutions:

Grinding disks	1:40
Draw bench	1:30
Straight and cut	1:40
CNCs	1:30 to 1:40

Product cleanup:

Use soap and water to clean equipment.

Add VpCl®-347 to water as follows for:

Short-term protection (1-6 months):	1 part concentrate to 20-40 parts water
Medium-term protec- tion (6-12 months):	1 part concentrate to 15-20 parts water
Protection up to 2 years and/or lubricity:	1 part concentrate to 10-15 parts water

### Shell 4-Ball E.P. Test (ASTM D-2783)

Cortec® VpCI®-347 in Tap Water

	2.5%		2.5% 5%		10%	
	lb	kg	lb	kg	lb	kg
Seizure	139	63	220	110	278	126
Weld	278	126	353	160	353	160

Load Wear index 65 29 97 44 88 40
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#### Shell 4-Ball Wear Test (ASTM D-2266)

Cortec<sup>®</sup> VpCI<sup>®</sup>-347 in Tap Water

	2.5%	5%	10%
Average Coefficient of Friction	0.88	0.108	0.101
Average Scar Diameter (mm)	0.90	0.69	0.81

#### **Tapping Torque Test**

Cortec<sup>®</sup> VpCI<sup>®</sup>-347 in Tap Water

	2.5%	5%	10%	Reference
Torque	77.87	10.35	10.20	12.53
Torque (lb/kg)	42.73-19.4	10.35-4.7	36.83-16.7	42.11-20.5
% Efficient	106	121	122	100

## PACKAGING AND STORAGE

VpCl<sup>®</sup>-347 is available in 5 gallon (19 liter) pails, 55 gallon (208 liter) drums, liquid totes, and bulk. The product should be sealed and stored in a heated warehouse to avoid freezing. VpCl<sup>®</sup>-347 has a shelf life of 24 months.

Minimum storage temperature: 32°F (0°C) Maximum storage temperature: 120°F (49°C)

## STANDARD TEST METHODS

ASTM D-1748	Humidity Test
ASTM D-4627	Cast Iron Chip Test
ASTM D-2783	4-Ball E.P. Test
ASTM D5619	Tapping Torque Test
ASTM G-31	Immersion Corrosion Testing
NACE RP0487-2000	Selection of Rust Preventives

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