





PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

VpCI-345 is a premium water-based metalworking lubricant concentrate for difficult-to-produce metal stampings, tubular products and machined parts. VpCI-345 is superior to petroleum-based coolant rust preventives. When used as directed, VpCI-345 prevents corrosion during in-plant processing, storage and export shipment up to 24 months. VpCI-345 is ideally suited for light-duty machined and polished parts requiring long-term corrosion and surface protection.

VpCI-345 can be effectively used as a coolant in machining applications where maximum cooling is employed. High-performance characteristics of VpCI-345 make it ideally suited for light-duty cutting, milling, turning, drilling, boring, broaching, gear cutting and other machining operations. VpCI-345 can replace neat oils and semi-synthetics when there is a requirement for maximum coating and superior rust inhibiting stability. VpCI-345 is resistant to rancid attack by bacteria. Product life is the same or longer than similar machining fluids.

TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

- In-plant machining
- Protection of hot-rolled, cold-rolled, galvanized and aluminized steel
- 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
- Stainless steel
- Aluminum
- Galvanized steel
- Zinc
- Cast iron

FEATURES

- Unique vapor phase corrosion inhibitor action protects uncoated and difficult-to-reach areas in castings and stampings
- Excellent wetting
- Economical VpCI-345 can be diluted with up to 40 parts water
- Protects ferrous and non-ferrous metals
- Easy to remove from metal surfaces with alkaline cleaners (VpCI-410 series)
- Does not contain flammable solvents, reducing fire hazards
- Contains no chlorinated compounds, chromates, or nitrites
- Eliminates cleaning and housekeeping problems associated with rust inhibiting oils
- Gives protection to parts after completion of metalworking operations, thus eliminating the need for further applications of rust preventives
- Rancid stability and resistance to bacterial attack
- Passes ASTM D 4627-86 (Test Method for Iron Chip Corrosion for Water-soluble Metalworking Fluids) at 2.5% by weight
- Weldable

TYPICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance Clear yellow to amber liquid

Film Type Dry

Non-volatile Content 32-38%

pH 8.5-9.2 (Neat)

Density 8.8-9.0 lb/gal (1.05-1.08 kg/l)

Removal Methods Alkaline cleaners (VpCI-410 series)

PACKAGING AND STORAGE

VpCI-345 is available in 5 gallon (19 liter) plastic pails, 5 gallon (208 liter) metal drums, liquid totes and bulk. The product should be sealed and stored in a heated warehouse to avoid freezing. VpCI-345 has a shelf life of 24 months.

