

adpack®

**Volatile Corrosion Inhibitor  
Treated Paper**

**adpack®**

**Eliminate Rust with adpack!**

**ADCOAT CO., LTD.**

## Corporate philosophy

# Sanpoyoshi

### Good as Seller

We must go on together with employees for many years.

### Good for Buyers

We must supply confident products & serve for our Customers satisfaction.

### Good for Society

We must correspond to environmental issues & chemical regulations to contribute for everybody.

I myself have taken the meaning in good part as our company, though this is the old management philosophy carried by Japanese merchants.

Adcoat Co., Ltd. was started and established in 1968 at Higashi-Osaka, famous city for "Monozukuri" Products Manufacturing.

Volatile corrosion inhibitor treated paper, produced by our company, has been widely applied among the major steel mills, car manufacturers and blade producers etc. since 40 years ago. However, the visibility with the public is very low, because our products have been mainly used as their export packaging.

Hot humid climate in Asia including Japan causes big trouble in the form of rusting. We do hope adpack, volatile corrosion inhibitor treated paper, can be easily helpful to protect from rusting for everybody.

President

*Motoshi Goto*

# adpack®

Switched to the reliable adpack VCI messy oils or toxic chemicals.

### adpack-G

Impregnated type for Iron & Steel



Reliability accumulated over 30 years of experience. Approved by the test specified in JIS Z1535.

VCI\* Paper(Anti-corrosion Paper) impregnated volatile corrosion inhibitor into kraft paper, mainly for iron & steel products, car parts and apparatus parts etc. Accumulated over 30 years of Experiences for various customers.

### adpack White

Coated type for Iron & Steel Term protection



All time best seller Reliability accumulated over 40 years of experience Approved by the test specified in JIS Z1535.

VCI\* Paper(Anti-corrosion Paper) coated volatile corrosion inhibitor on kraft paper in order to protect the target for longer periods, storage, mainly for blades such as cutters and knives, steel, cars, various devices and so many applications. We have over 40 years experience and we can proudly say this type is our enduring bestseller.

\*VCI=Volatile Corrosion Inhibitor

## adpack Production Line

ADCOAT Satisfying customers' requirements quality and great flexibility.



Coation VCI



High speed dryer



# Products portfolio

treated paper, Eliminates the need for

Further improve work efficiency!



## adpack-S

(Impregnated type for Ferrous & Non-Ferrous)

## adpack-ZV

(For packing of Galvanized / Iron & Steel-KD)



This type has passed the test specified by JIS Z0321 Used for metallic Composite and galvanized products.



Proven performance for packaging of Knockdown cases

The great performance of corrosion-proof for Iron & Non-ferrous Materials (Copper, Brass, Phosphorous Bronze and Tin-plated) and Plated materials(Zinc, Chrome & Nickel) as well as for plastics due to less negative effect.

Rapid-acting volatile corrosion inhibitor treated paper, Uses very high volatile inhibitor characteristics. Developed mainly for car press parts & engines, Remarkable performance for knockdown packing applications.

## adpack-C

(Impregnated type for Copper & Copper Alloy)

Moisture-proof packing (Shelf Life of up to 3 years-Unopened condition)

Delivery form (Roll type & Sheet type)



Dedicatad for copper products. This type has passed the test specified by JIS Z0321



Roll Type

This type is made by impregnating corrosion inhibitor into kraft paper, therefore can be used for electronic parts and widely employed for copper wires, copper sheets and copper tubes etc.



Sheet Type

by short lead time, competitive price, high

ISO9001 Approved and Certified factory



Automatic winder



Bobbin slitter



Packaging



Shipping

# Roll form



**Kraft paper base**

(Coated type TK, white side effective)








**Kraft paper base with PE**

laminated (GP/TP/SP/ZVP)



**Moisture-proof paper**

packing (3 years shelf life)

Type	Form	Specifications	Corrosion-proof effective period
<b>adpack-G</b> Impregnated for Iron & Steel 	GK-7 (M) 1000mm×100m	75g kraft for rust-proof paper Roll dia φ 135mm, Weight 9kg	6~12months
	GP-7 (M) 1000mm×100m	75g kraft for rust-proof paper + PE laminated Roll dia φ 145mm, Weight 11kg	12~36months
<b>adpack White</b> Coated for long term Iron & Steel 	TK-610 (M) 1000mm×100m	60g kraft for rust-proof paper Roll dia φ 125mm, Weight 8kg	10~14months
	TK-810 (M) 1000mm×100m	75g kraft for rust-proof paper Roll dia φ 135mm, Weight 10kg	10~14months
	TP-810 (M) 1000mm×100m	75g kraft for rust-proof paper + PE laminated Roll dia φ 145mm, Weight 12kg	12~60months
<b>adpack-S</b> for Iron & Non-ferrous 	SK-7 (M) 1000mm×100m	75g kraft for rust-proof paper Roll dia φ 135mm, Weight 9kg	6~12months
	SP-7 (M) 1000mm×100m	75g kraft for rust-proof paper + PE laminated Roll dia φ 145mm, Weight 11kg	12~36months
<b>adpack-C</b> Impregnated for Copper & Copper Alloy 	CK-6 (M) 1000mm×100m	60g kraft for rust-proof paper Roll dia φ 115mm, Weight 7kg	6~12months
<b>adpack-ZV</b> for Galvanized sheets · Steel KD 	ZVP-7(M) 1000mm×100m	75g kraft for rust-proof paper Roll dia φ 145mm , Weight 11kg	12~36months

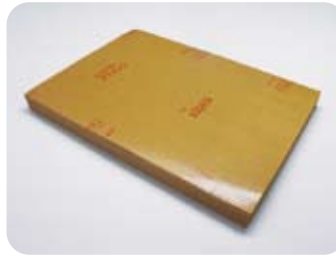
■ NOTE

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# Sheet form







**Kraft paper base**  
(Coated type TK, white side effective)



**Kraft paper base with PE**  
laminated (GP/TP/SP)



**Moisture-proof paper**  
packing (Expiration 3 years)

Type	Form	Specifications	Corrosion-proof effective period
<b>adpack-G</b> Impregnated for Iron & Steel 	GK-7(M) (A)mm × (B)mm	75g kraft for rust-proof paper Weight 90g/m <sup>2</sup>	6~12months
	GP-7(M) (A)mm × (B)mm	75g kraft for rust-proof paper Weight 110g/m <sup>2</sup> + PE laminated	12~36months
<b>adpack White</b> Coated for long term Iron & Steel 	TK-610(M) (A)mm × (B)mm	60g kraft for rust-proof paper Weight 90g/m <sup>2</sup>	10~14months
	TK-810(M) (A)mm × (B)mm	75g kraft for rust-proof paper Weight 100g/m <sup>2</sup>	10~14months
	TP-810(M) (A)mm × (B)mm	75g kraft for rust-proof paper Weight 120g/m <sup>2</sup> + PE laminated	12~60months
<b>adpack-S</b> for Iron & Non-ferrous 	SK-7(M) (A)mm × (B)mm	75g kraft for rust-proof paper Weight 90g/m <sup>2</sup>	6~12months
	SP-7(M) (A)mm × (B)mm	75g kraft for rust-proof paper + PE laminated Weight 110g/m <sup>2</sup>	12~36months
<b>adpack-C</b> Impregnated for Copper & Copper Alloy 	CK-6(M) (A)mm × (B)mm	60g kraft for rust-proof paper Weight 70g/m <sup>2</sup>	6~12months

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On the VCI paper, the side impregnated with active VCI is without the adpack logo.

# Special order items & others




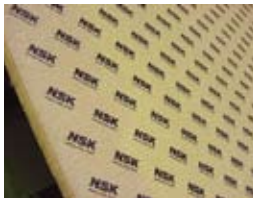
## Order form Cloth processed goods

(Example)

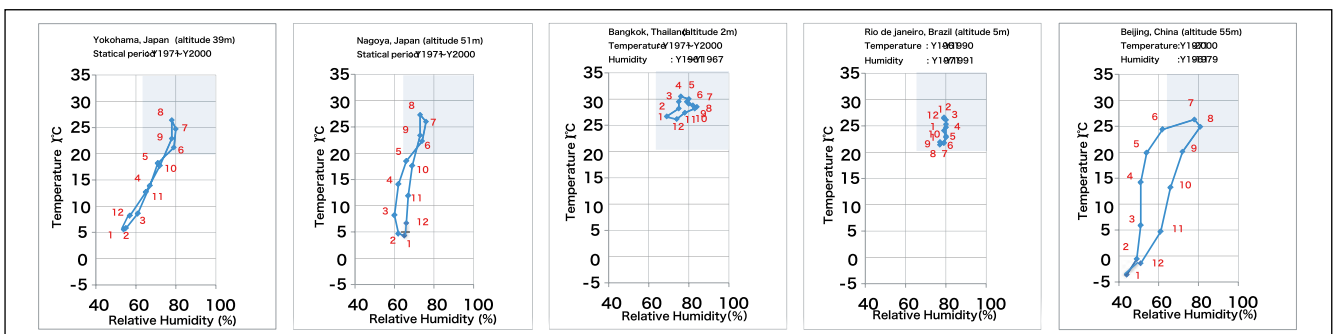
<u>G</u> Application	<u>K</u> Kraft paper	<u>X</u> Cloth	<u>6</u> Size	<u>P</u> Poly	-	<u>8**</u> Weight/m <sup>2</sup>	<u>(N)</u> Mark	<u>Size</u>
<p>G: Impregnated type for Iron &amp; Steel                      T: Coated for long term Iron &amp; Steel                      S: Impregnated type for Ferrous &amp; Non-Ferrous                      C: Impregnated type for Copper &amp; Copper Alloy                      ZV: Packing of Galvanized / Iron &amp; SteelKD                      SN: Impregnated type for Tin-plated product                      ZP: Impregnated type for Galvanized sheets</p>	<p>4: 4 strings x 3 strings / square inch                      6: 6 strings x 6 strings / square inch                      8: 8 strings x 8 strings / square inch</p>			<p>P: With                      Without</p>		<p>6: 60g                      7: 75g                      8: 75g                      610: 60g for T-type                      810: 75g for T-type</p>	<p>(N) : Nil                      (M) : Adcoat or Customer's logo</p>	<p>Roll: W(mm) x L(mm)                      Slit product: A(mm) x B(mm)</p>
	<p>※ Hard-to-tear by cloth-processed, best choice for heavy loads etc.</p>  <p>Cloth pasted for heavy products</p>	 <p>Roll shaped (slitted)</p>	 <p>Bag shaped</p>	 <p>Big flat sheet</p>				

## Order form Cloth processed goods

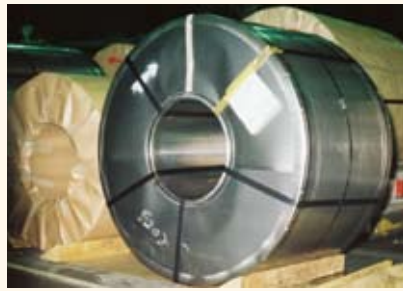
(Example)

<u>G</u> Application	<u>I</u> Paper with yarn	<u>C</u> Crepe	<u>P</u> Poly	-	<u>2</u> 2 sheets pasted	<u>*</u> Weight/m <sup>2</sup>	<u>(N)</u> Mark	<u>Size</u>
<p>G: Impregnated type for Iron &amp; Steel                      T: Coated for long term Iron &amp; Steel                      S: Impregnated type for Ferrous &amp; Non-Ferrous                      C: Impregnated type for Copper &amp; Copper Alloy</p>	<p>I: With                      Without</p>		<p>P: With                      Without</p>			<p>5: 50g+50g                      6: 60g+60g</p>	<p>(N) : Nil                      (M) : Adcoat or Customer's logo</p>	<p>Roll: W(mm) x L(mm)                      Slit product: A(mm) x B(mm)</p>
	 <p>Bobbin slitter</p>		 <p>Rolled product (Slitted)</p>		 <p>Small rolls for packing by hands</p>	 <p>Customer's logo printed</p>		

### <Clime graph>



This data from National Astronomical Observatory "Science chronology Y2009" and Maruzen (Y2008).



At many steel mills



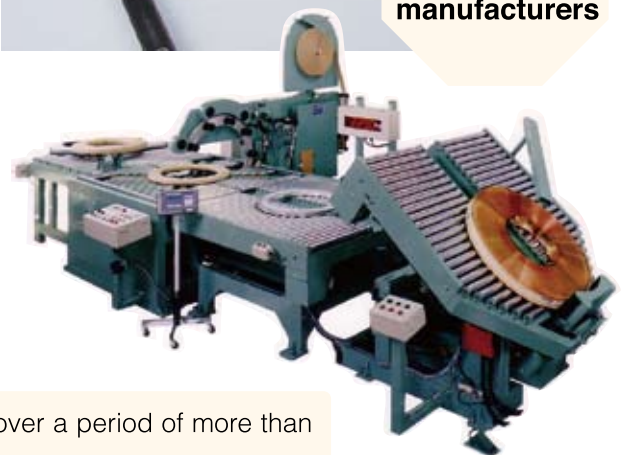
adpack® are greatly appreciated by so many customers with actual application reference indicated here.



At car manufacturers



At machine parts manufacturers



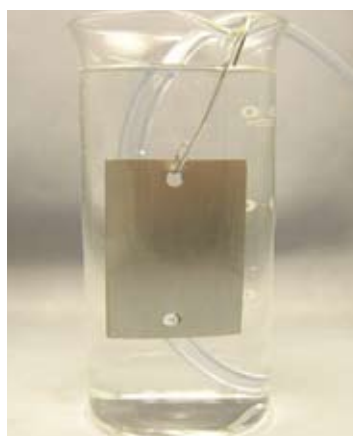
Supplying VCI paper to more than 2500 satisfied customers over a period of more than 40 years in various industries.

# Technical Information

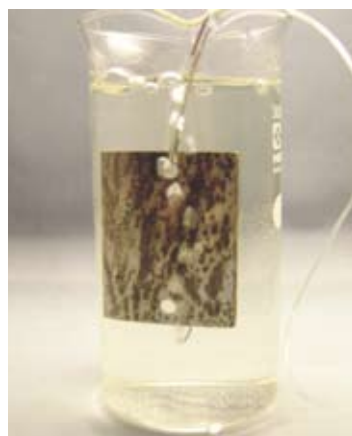
## Why does iron rust?

Iron ore, which is the raw material of iron, is a stable oxide mainly composed of iron and oxygen in its natural state. Iron, reduced from iron ore by removing oxygen, is chemically unstable. Therefore the iron attempts to go back, under the influence of temperature and humidity, to the original stable oxide. This oxide is usually called as the rust. In other words, both oxygen and water are indispensable for iron rusting. The lack of water is the reason why iron do not rust. (keeping them in dried air).

The lack of oxygen is also the reason why iron do not rust even in oxygen depleted water.

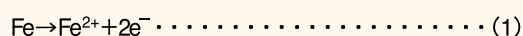


The glass does not disappear even if the iron piece was placed in the pure water not contained the

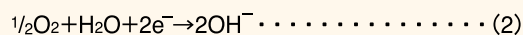


When the air (Oxygen) is browed into the pure water, the iron piece gets rust and the gloss on the surface will

The chemical formulas to show the rusting phenomena are as follow:



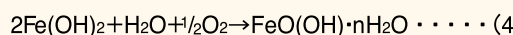
(The iron solves into water by ionizing)



(The oxygen, contained in the water, catches a electron and changes to hydroxide ion (OH<sup>-</sup>)).



(The iron ion and the hydroxide iron react each other, then make the white turbidity of iron(II) hydroxide).



(By oxidization further, the iron is settled out with reddish brown precipitation of iron(III) hydroxide(red rust)).

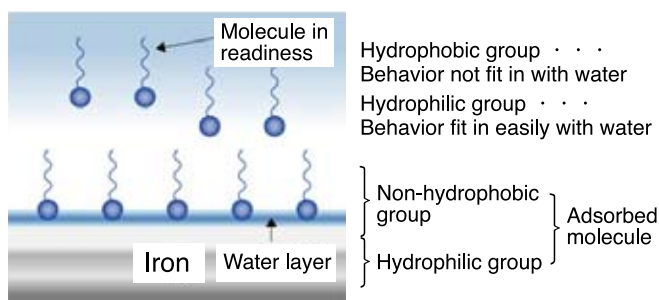
Iron (Fe) will be solved into the water, as the above formula (1) indicates, by being ionized (Fe<sup>2+</sup>) when contacts with the water, and discharging the electron (e<sup>-</sup>). The electrons discharged from the iron contribute to create hydroxide ion (OH<sup>-</sup>) being consumed by dissolved oxygen in the water, as shown the formula (2).

This hydroxide becomes white turbidity of iron(II) hydroxide(Fe(OH)<sub>2</sub>) by reacting with iron ion as shown the above formula (3), and then further being oxidized, as shown the formula (4), to be settled out with reddish brown precipitation of iron(III) hydroxide(FeO(OH)·nH<sub>2</sub>O). The deposition is so called red rust, which is occurred on the iron surface in the very porous form and therefore protective action is poor for the basic iron, will be successively advancing as far as the oxygen and water are available.

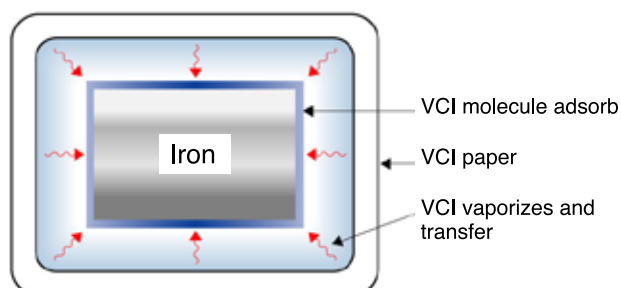
## The mechanism of the VCI paper (volatile corrosion inhibitor treated paper) work effectively.

The VCI(volatile corrosion inhibitor), impregnated in the VCI paper, will be vaporized and directly absorbed onto the metal surface or absorbed by the water layer on the metal surface. Depending on the terms and storage conditions, the anti-corrosion effects can be expected for several years. The action is advanced on the molecular level, and in the nanoscopic invisible world.

### The adsorption mechanism of volatile corrosion inhibitor to the iron surface



### Formation of the anti-corrosion layer on the iron surface



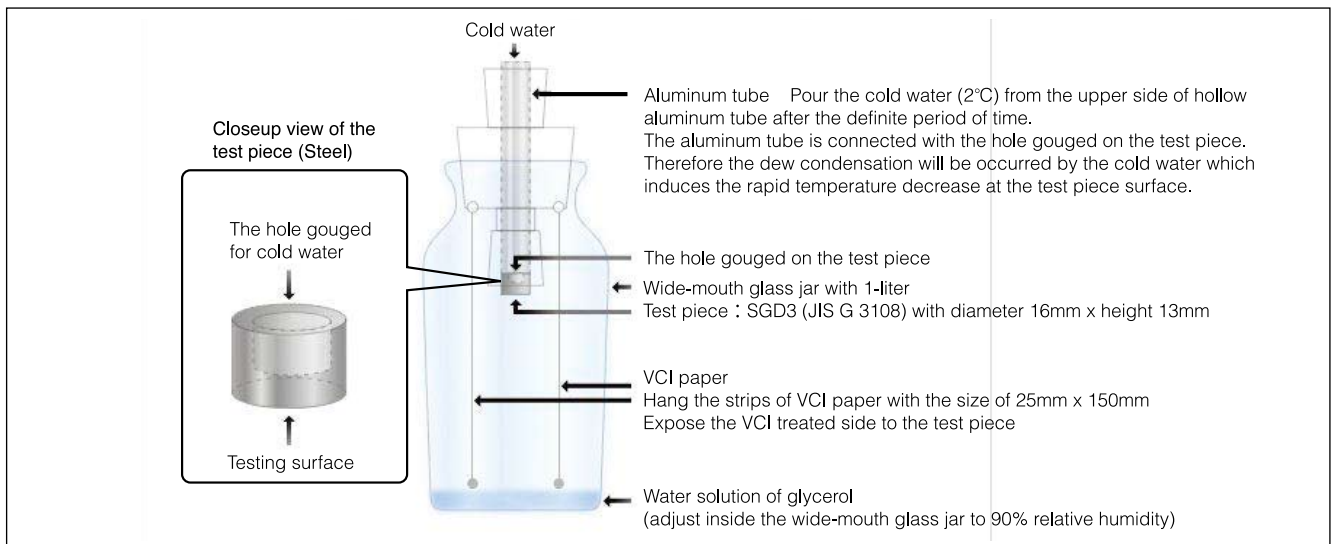


# Summary of "JIS Z 1535" (Volatile corrosion inhibitor treated paper)

## VIA test

This testing method is to evaluate the capability of the VCI paper on steel. Keeping the steel test piece without contact to "VCI paper", the steel is forced to get rust by dew condensation. In other words, it is the test to make sure whether the VCI contained in the VCI paper has the capability to protect the steel from rusting.

In this testing method, the extraordinary heavy dew condensation will occur due to steel being rapidly cooled under high humidity condition. In this way, the test is carried out in the toughest condition. This is to reaffirm the capability of the VCI paper under extreme condensation condition. Using the water solution of glycerol as shown in Figure(1), the steel test piece with and without VCI paper are separately tested in a wide-mouth glass jar that is subjected with a humidity of 90% and a temperature of 20 degrees C. After a definite period of time, cold water (2 degrees C) is poured from the upper side of the aluminium tube to the hole previously gouged on the test piece to induce condensation. After 3 hours, the capability of the VCI paper will be evaluated by checking the test piece for rust effect.



**Figure (1) Figuration of VIA Test**

- H-type · · No rust is discerned on the steel test piece even after 1 hour by making the piece have the dew condensation.
  - L - type · · No rust is discerned on the steel test piece even after 20 hours by making the piece have the dew condensation.
- So, H-type VCI paper has rapid-acting property.

### The test pieces (Steel) after the VIA test



# Technical Information

## Recommendable Types for Various Metal Products

adpack(VCI paper)		Iron Steel	Various plated materials				Copper, Copper Alloys		
			Zinc*	Tin	Chrome	Nickel	Copper	Brass	Phosphor Bronze
Impregnated type for Iron & Steel	adpack-G	◎	—	○	○	○	×	×	×
Coated for long term Iron & Steel	adpack White	◎ Long term	×	○	○	×	×	×	×
Impregnated type for Ferrous & Non-Ferrous	adopack-S	○	○	○	○	○	◎	○	○
Impregnated type for Copper & Copper Alloy	adopack-C	—	—	○	○	○	◎	◎	◎
Packing of Galvanized/ Iron & Steel-KD	adopack-ZV	◎	◎ Vapor	—	○	○	—	—	—

Note: It is necessary to pay your special attention for the galvanized products, because the effect may be different depending on their surface treatment variations.  
 ◎ : Very superior effect ○ : Effective — : No effect × : No good (Non usable)

## Characters Comparison : "adpack"(VCI paper) vs. VCI Film vs. Rust Preventive Oil

	adpack(VCI paper)		VCI Film		Rust Preventive Oil	
	Strengths	Limitations	Strengths	Limitations	Strengths	Limitations
Working Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Easy-to-use</li> <li>Helpful for areas clean</li> <li>Usable soon after unpacking</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Less distributor</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Easy-to-use</li> <li>Helpful for areas clean</li> <li>Usable soon after unpacking</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Less distributor</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Versatility</li> <li>Easily obtainable</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Troublesome in application / removal</li> <li>Backset for areas clean</li> </ul>
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No heat-sealable</li> <li>Paper powder by chance</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Heat-sealable</li> <li>No chance of paper powder</li> </ul>			
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pack with moisture-proof material as needed basis</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No need to pack with moisture-proof material</li> </ul>			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pack with grease-proof barrier material</li> </ul>
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Effect in every hole and corner even for complicated shape metal products can be expected</li> </ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Difficult to apply or remove in complicated shape metal products cases</li> </ul>
Anti-Corrosion Property	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rapid acting</li> <li>Effect: High</li> <li>Effective even "adpack" and metal products are put together into plastic bag etc.</li> <li>Effective even used as liner in tote box</li> <li>"adpack" can absorb dew of condensation water</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Depending mainly on Moisture-proof of the film</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Slow acting</li> <li>In active dew condensation case, the water cannot be absorbed, but may cause rusting</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fast acting</li> <li>Effect: High</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In active dew condensation case, the water cannot be absorbed, but may cause rusting</li> </ul>
Target Metals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Various metal products</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use proper grade by target metal products</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Various metal products</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use proper grade by target metal products</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Various metal products</li> </ul>	
Safety & Environment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Few chemicals is used</li> <li>Disposable easily as paper dust</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Necessary to separate when using together with moisture-proof material (plastic bags etc)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Few chemicals is used</li> <li>Disposable as single material</li> </ul>			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Environment deterioration at the working areas</li> <li>When removing, solvent must be used (VOC rules)</li> </ul>
Packing methods under JIS Z 0303	RP1-K1 • RP1-K2 • RP2-K • RP3-K		RP1-F		RP1-P1 • RP1-P2 • RP2-P • RP3-P	

VCI = Volatile Corrosion Inhibitor

# Application consideration of VCI treated papers

## < When using for wrapping >

- Remove fingerprint and dirt on the metallic products prior to wrapping. Wrap the products after cleaning as soon as possible.
- Wrap the products with VCI treated side of the paper. (Without the ADPACK logo)
- Do not put anything between VCI paper and the product. If there is anything between them, VCI cannot be performed.
- The effect of VCI can be increased if product is tightly sealed.
- Refer to JIS Z 0303 (General rule for rust preventive packaging method) for details.



## < When using in the enclosed vessel >

### (the method to put both VCI paper and the metallic products put in the enclosed vessel together)

- In order to remove fingerprint and dirt etc, make the metallic products clean prior to wrapping. Wrap the products after cleaning as soon as possible.
- Put in both VCI paper and the metallic products together in plastic bag or in the tightly sealed and or non-perforated container. And, try to keep the metallic surface to be protected and VCI paper as close as possible, keep within 30cm as a guide. As a guide, use VCI paper with 30cm x 30cm or more for the enclosed vessel size with 30cm x 30cm x 30cm.
- In this application, it is necessary that the wrapping should be tightly sealed.
- In case of the metallic products being in contact with each other. The VCI protection cannot be expected on the contacting surface.
- When the metallic products are closely-attached to poly-bag, the capability of VCI paper cannot be expected to the contacted surface.
- Refer to JIS Z 0303 (General rule for rust preventive packaging method) for the details.

## <Change in color over time>

VCI papers are characteristically liable to variation in color over time.

This phenomenon is happened because the corrosion inhibitor contained in the VCI paper is becoming oxidized as well as paper itself discolored over time.

The color will be gradually changed 3 ~ 6 months after the produced date.

High temperature will also increase the rate of discolouration. However, please be assured that this will not have any effect on the performance of the VCI paper.



## <Storage>

Although adpack VCI paper are packed in moisture proof paper, avoid contacting VCI paper with water. Always stored in cool and dry places away from direct sunlight.

The estimated shelf life of the product is about 3 years after production date, depending on the storage condition.



## <Application considerations>

- 1) Avoid using in enclosed places. Ensure proper ventilation.
- 2) In High temperature circumstances, rapid vaporization may occur.
- 3) Special care to be taken for people with sensitive or allergy.
- 4) Contact health-care professional if experience discomfort after usage.
- 5) Wash affected area with clean water immediately when itch or rash occurs after usage. Contact health-care professional if necessary.

(Conformed to Japan Association of Corrosion Control (JACC))



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