## **Technical Data Sheet**

## **ASCOTRAN® - L**

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Corrosion Inhibitor Indoor storage, flash-corrosion & long-term immersion protection

## **FUNCTION**

Water-based organic concentrate corrosion inhibitor for ferrous and non-ferrous metals. It is designed as a complete replacement for oil-based preventives for indoor protection of metal equipments and components. Added to metal working solutions, it also protects metals during **short or** immersion periods.

#### **FEATURES**

- Fully water-soluble liquid, safe to apply
- Non-flammable
- Protects ferrous and non-ferrous metals
- Prevents flash corrosion on steel
- Forms an hydrophobic film on the metal surface, which can be coated over with conventional paint systems
- Free of bore, phosphate, molybdate, silicate or nitrite
- Stable in hard waters
- Exclusively made of authorized substances for food-contact cleaners\*
- Meets PMUC standard requirements\*\*

### TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

#### Mainly used for:

- Synthetic or semi-synthetic hydrosoluble lubricants and metal working fluids;
- Hydrosoluble hydraulic fluids;
- Coolants or anti-freezes.
- **Temporary protection** of metal equipment or components during transport and dry storage.
- Protection from **flash-corrosion** during **hydroblasting**.
- Protection of metal equipment during hydrostatic test
- Protection of metal equipment in long-term contact with a static aqueous solution: pipes during inactivity periods, tanks, containers...

#### Can also be used in:

- Other solutions for metal machining (degreasing, stripping, polishing, cleansing under pressure, ...);
- Neutral-to-alkaline detergents.

## **HANDLING / SECURITY**

Refer to updated Material and Safety Data Sheet.

## TRANSPORT

No specific condition for transport.

Weight and packaging size\*\*\* (off-pallet):

Pail: 1,5kg - Ø30, H50 Drum: 15kg - Ø60, H90 IBC: 70kg - L120, 100, H120

## PRODUCT APPLICATION

The pH of the end solution needs to be above 7 for an optimal efficiency.

#### Metal working fluids

The Ascotran-L is added into water-soluble lubricants concentrates or ready-to use solutions to get a final dosage of 50 to 5000 ppm, depending on the formulation, its pH, and the metal nature to protect.

**Temporary protection** 

The Ascotran-L can be applied by spraying, dipping after being diluted into water, or inside the last metal working bath (washers, rinsing tanks, ...). Dosage from 2 to 15% depending on the required protéctión duration.

### **Hydrostatic tests**

The Ascotran-L is diluted into the water used for the test, at a dosage between 0,05 and 0,2% depending on the metals to protect and the test duration.

#### Other applications

The Ascotran-L is mixed into water-based solutions at a dosage between **0,7 to 2%** depending on the solution nature and metals to protect.

## **PROPERTIES**

#### Chemical nature :

Aqueous preparation made of organic acid salts and azole derivatives.

Appearance : yellow to amber limpid liquid. Density (20°C) :  $1,13 \pm 0,02$  pH pure (20°C) :  $8,7 \pm 0,3$  Viscosity (20°C) :  $700 \pm 100$  cps Freezing point : < 0°C

Foaming power : very low Miscibility :

Water: miscible Ethanol:

miscible Isopropanol: non miscible Glycols: miscible Acetone: miscible up to 2%

White-Spirit: non miscible

#### PACKAGING

Plastic pail of 30kg net. Metal drum of 200kg net. IBC of 1000 kg net.

#### STORAGE

Ideal temperature conditions: 0 to 30°C.

**Exposure**: avoid direct exposure to sunlight. **Expiration**: 2 years in its original sealed drum, in the storage

conditions described above.

With time, the colour of the product may turn darker, but it does not modify its properties.

\*: according to decree of 08/09/99

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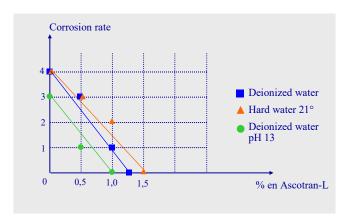
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## **PERFORMANCE**

## **Flash Corrosion Protection**

Method: DIN 51360/part2

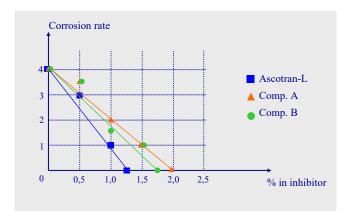
#### Performance in different media



## **Comparative study with competitors:**

Medium: deionized water

Competitors A and B: liquid corrosion inhibitors



## Protection against atmospheric corrosion

Method: climatic chamber, 25°C, 100% of humidity Substrate: mild-steel immersed few minutes in tap-water containing the inhibitor.

## Max exposure time without corrosion of the substrate:

| % in Ascotran-L                               | 0 %  | 2%   | 5%   | 10%   |
|---|------|------|------|-------|
| Test duration without corrosion on mild-steel | <24h | 100h | 150h | >200h |

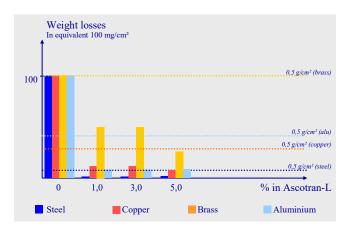
#### **Protection during immersion**

Minimal protection duration of metal specimens immersed into tap-water at room temperature :

| % in Ascotran-L | 0 %    | 0,05%  | 0,1%   | 0,2% | 0,3% |
|-----------------|--------|--------|--------|------|------|
| Mild-steel      | < 1 d  | 1 week | 1 week | 18 m | 36 m |
| Aluminium 99%   | 3 d    | 4 m    | 4 m    | 4 m  | 12 m |
| Copper 99%      | 3 d    | 9 m    | 36 m   | 36 m | 36 m |
| Brass           | < 30 d | 36 m   | 36 m   | 36 m | 36 m |

<u>Method IP329</u>: weight loss measurement of metal specimens immersed into deionized water, at 45°C, during 4 months.

### Specimens independently:



### Specimens together (galvanic protection):



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