

CERTIFICATE OF TESTING

This Certificate of Testing signifies that

PetroGuard® Tape LT

Manufactured by

Advanced Corrosion Solutions Inc.

Has been tested by Cambridge Materials Testing Limited in accordance with the American Water Works Association (AWWA) specification for Petrolatum And Petroleum Wax Tape Coatings for the Exterior of Connections and Fittings for Steel Water Pipelines using the following test methods:

Flash Point by Cleveland Open Cup Tester using ASTM D92-12a

Drop Melting Point using ASTM D127-08

Petroleum Wax Content in accordance with AWWA C217-09, Section 5.2.2.4

Cone Penetration using ASTM D937-07

Dielectric Breakdown Voltage and Dielectric Strength using ASTM D149-09, Method A

Thickness in accordance with AWWA C217-09, Section 5.2.2.2

Breaking Strength and Elongation using ASTM D1000-10

Water Vapour Transmission Rate using ASTM E96-12

Width Deviation in accordance with AWWA C217-09, Section 5.2.2.1

And meets the requirements of AWWA C217-09 Standard

Laboratory #: 636400-13

Sample #: 636400

Test Period: April 2013 – May 2013

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Specimen: #1 - PetroGuard Tape LT

TEST REPORT

RE: TESTING OF WAX TAPE COATING IDENTIFIED AS PETROGUARD TAPE LT TO DETERMINE COMPLIANCE WITH AWWA C217-09 MATERIAL REQUIREMENTS

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FLASH POINT BY CLEVELAND OPEN CUP TESTER

The submitted tape sample was tested for flash point in accordance with ASTM D92-12a using a Koehler open cup tester (Asset #1326). The ambient barometric pressure at the time of testing was recorded to be 99.5 kPa. The flash point was then corrected and reported.

RESULTS

Sample #	Description	Corrected Flash Point (°C)	
636400	PetroGuard Tape LT	>150	

Note: No flash point was observed on either sample.

REQUIREMENT: Minimum >150°C



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DROP MELTING POINT**

The submitted tape sample was tested for drop melting point in accordance with ASTM D127-08. The averages of the two determinations were reported.

RESULTS

Sample #	Description	Drop Melting Point (°C)	
636400	PetroGuard Tape LT	73	

Note: The drop melting point was performed on the saturant of the tape sample.

REQUIREMENT: Minimum 60°C



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PETROLEUM WAX CONTENT**

The submitted tape sample was tested for Petroleum Wax Content in accordance with AWWA C217-09, Section 5.2.2.4. The average of the three determinations were reported.

RESULTS

Sample #	Description	Solvent Extractable Material (% by wt)	
636400	PetroGuard Tape LT	52.5	

REQUIREMENT: Minimum 50% by wt.



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CONE PENETRATION**

The submitted tape sample was tested for cone penetration in accordance with ASTM D937-07 using a penetrometer and standard cone applied to the sample for a period of 5-seconds under a load of 100-grams. The average of the three determinations were reported.

RESULTS

Sample #	Description	Cone Penetration at 25°C (% by wt)	
636400	PetroGuard Tape LT	7.5	

REQUIREMENT: 6.1 - 12.7

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DIELECTRIC BREAKDOWN VOLTAGE AND DIELECTRIC STRENGTH**

The submitted tape sample was tested for dielectric breakdown voltage and dielectric strength in accordance with ASTM D149-09, Method A. The parameters of testing are outlined below:

> 500 Volts/sec Rate of Rise:

AC

Voltage Type:
Sample Preparation:
Sample Conditioning:
Electrode Size: Cut to size to fit test fixture 40+ Hours at 23°C ± 2°C / 50% ± 10% RH 1.0" diameter

Surrounding Medium:

Test Conditions: 23°C ± 2°C / 50% ± 10% RH

RESULTS

Sample #	Description	Test #	Failure Location on Electrode	Thickness (inches)	Breakdown Voltage (kV)	Dielectric Strength (V/mil)
			Edge	0.0568	10.2	179
	PetroGuard Tape LT	2	Edge	0.0544	9.8	180
636400		3	Edge	0.0563	10.3	182
		4	Edge	0.0496	9.3	187
			Edge	0.0542	9.8	180
	Average			0.0543	9.8	181
Standard Deviation			0.0028	0.3	3.2	

REQUIREMENT: Minimum 170 V/mil



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THICKNESS

The thickness of the tape was measured in accordance with AWWA C217-09, Section 5.2.2.2 using a calibrated micrometer (Asset #1508 & 1517). The average of ten detrminations was reported for each of three separate rolls.

RESULTS

Sample #	Description	Test #	Thickness (µm)
		1	1,441
636400 PetroGuard Tape LT	2	1,376	
	LT LT	3	1,397

REQUIREMENT: Minimum 1,016-μm



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BREAKING STRENGTH AND ELONGATION

The submitted tape sample was tested for breaking strength and elongation in accordance with ASTM D1000-10 using an Instron tensile tester (Asset #1468) with 5kN load cell (Asset #1470) and self-tightening grips. The measurements of specimen width were performed using a calibrated ruler (Asset #1518). The specimens were conditioned and tested at standard laboratory conditions of 23° C \pm 2°C and 50% \pm 10% RH prior to testing.

RESULTS

Sample #	Description	Test #	Breaking Strength (N/m)	Elongation at Break (%)
		1	3976	45
636400 P	PetroGuard Tape LT	2	6437	55
		3	6052	49
Minimum			3976	45
Average			5488	50
Maximum			6437	55

REQUIREMENT: Minimum 3,940 N/m &

Minimum 6%

CONCLUSION: Breaking Strength – Pass

Elongation at Break - Pass



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WATER VAPOUR TRANSMISSION RATE

The submitted tape sample was tested for water vapour transmission rate in accordance with ASTM E96-12, Procedure "A" using jars that were kept at constant temperature and humidity. The weight change was monitored on a daily basis for a period of 8 days until the weights stabilized. The parameters of testing are outlined below:

Specimen Thickness: 1.27mm Specimen Area: 1134mm² Vernier: Asset #1251

Test Temperature: 23°C Relative Humidity: 50% Exposure Period: 8 Days

Balance: (Asset #1253)

RESULTS

Sample #	Description	Water Vapour Transmission Rate (g/hˈm²)	Permeance (ng/Pa·s·m²)
636400	PetroGuard Tape LT	0.19	0.66
REQUIREMENT: Maximum		0.25	1.44



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WIDTH DEVIATION

The width deviation of the submitted tape sample was measured in accordance with AWWA C217-09, Section 5.2.2.1 using a calibrated ruler (Asset #1320). The average of three determinations was reported for each of three separate rolls.

RESULTS

Sample #	Description	Test #	Width Deviation (mm)
		1	<1
636400	PetroGuard Tape LT	2	<1
		3	<1

REQUIREMENT: Maximum ± 5% Width or 6.4 mm