



TSR 18–T579F

Salt spray testing

for Corrosion Control Ltd, 48 Riverside Drive
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BACKGROUND:

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Test Period	27.8.18 to 4.9.18	
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TEST OBJECTIVES:

The following Q-Lab panels coated with various anti corrosion lubes labelled as below were provided for testing as per ASTM B-117 until failure.

1. Panel 1: Rock'n Roll bicycle chain lube.
2. Panel 2: Finish line bicycle chain lube.
3. Panel 3: Muc-Off wet lube.
4. Panel 4: Squirt Long lasting Dry lube, bicycle chain lube.
5. Panel 6: SpeedX
6. Panel 7: ReelX.
7. Panel 8: Muc Off Hydro Dynamic bicycle chain lube.
8. Panel 11: CorrosionX XD.

TEST METHOD:

1. The initial photos of the samples are taken before commencing the test.
2. The samples are placed in Neutral salt spray cabinet making sure samples are not touching each other.
3. The samples are inspected periodically and photos taken to capture the onset of corrosion.
4. Corrosion >3% of the area is deemed **FAIL** as per AS 2331.3.1—2001 (Reconfirmed) 2017-04-07. (A rating of 8 with corrosion under 3% area is deemed PASS)

Rating of Unscribed Areas

Area Failed (%)	Rating Number
No failure	10
0 - 1	9
2 - 3	8
4 - 6	7
7 - 10	6
11 - 20	5
21 - 30	4
31 - 40	3
41 - 55	2
56 - 75	1
> 75	0

Minimum blister rating of 8 within the test specimen field, in accordance with the above tables.

5. Report.

TESTING:

Photo1: Panels after Corrosion testing rated from best to worst.

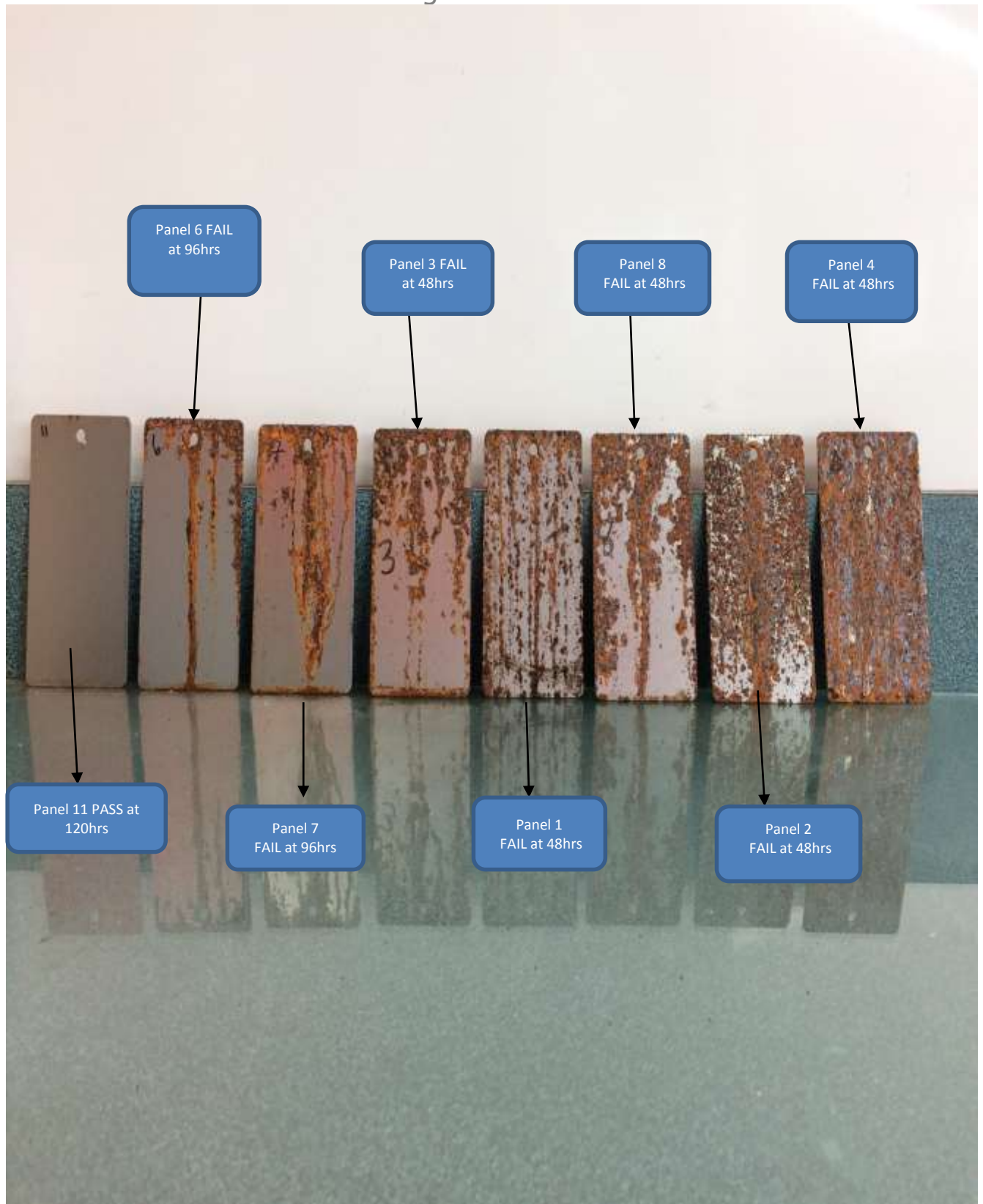


Photo 2: Panels 11,6,7 &3 after completion of test.



Photo 3: Panels 1,8,2 &4 after completion of test.



Findings:

The performance of the various anti corrosion lubes tested can be rated as below:

1. CorrosionX XD (Pass at 120hrs very minor corrosion spot as per Photo2).
2. Speed X (Fail at 96hrs).
3. Reel X (Fail at 96hrs).
4. Muc-Off wet lube (Fail at 48 hrs).
5. Rock'n Roll bicycle chain lube (Fail at 48 hrs).
6. Muc Off Hydro Dynamic bicycle chain lube (Fail at 48 hrs).
7. Finish line bicycle chain lube (Fail at 48 hrs).
8. Squirt Long lasting Dry lube, bicycle chain lube (Fail at 48 hrs).

Conclusions:

CorrosionX XD (panel 11) has performed the best in terms of corrosion with least corrosion.

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DULUX TSR 18-T579F Salt spray testing results:



CorrosionX XD



ReelX



SpeedX



Rock'n Roll



Muc Off Wet Lube



Muc Off Hydro Dynamic



INOX Chukka Chain Lube



Finish Line bike chain lube



Squirt