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Met-L-Chek Company manufactures a complete line of penetrants used in the fluorescent (**Type 1**) and visible (**Type 2**) dye penetrant inspection process. All Met-L-Chek Company penetrants are qualified to **AMS-2644** and are sold under the *Met-L-Chek*® and **Pen-Chek**® trademarks. Met-L-Chek Company products are manufactured under license in The Netherlands by NDT Europa.

FBP-913 is approved to **AMS-2644** as a fluorescent (**Type 1**); Methods "A", and "C"; sensitivity level **3** water washable inspection penetrant. For Method "C" applications it is used with **E-59**, **E-59A**, **R-503**, and **R-504**. **FBP-913** is applied by immersion, spray, or wipe on. It is approved for high sensitivity aerospace applications.

FBP-913 is listed on the Qualified Products List for AMS-2644. It meets the requirements of AMS-2647, ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code Section V, ASTM E-165, and ASTM E-1417, for penetrant inspection materials. It is low in sulfur and halogens and is safe for use on all metal surfaces.

FBP-913 is a special oil and solvent free formulation which utilizes biodegradable components, and is VOC free.

Guide to METHOD "A" processing per ASTM E-1417

1. Part must be clean, dry and at a temperature of $4.4^{\circ}-52^{\circ}C$ (40°- 125°F) before penetrant is applied.

2. Apply **FBP-913** penetrant using spray, immersion, or wipe on.

3. Wait a minimum of 10 minutes; 20 minutes if temperature is 4.4° -10°C (40-50°F).

4. Wash part; water temperature $10^{\circ}-38^{\circ}C$ ($50^{\circ}-100^{\circ}F$). Water pressure < 275kPa (< 40 psi); if a hydro-air nozzle is used, limit pressure to < 172kPa (< 25 psi). Distance > 30cm (> 12 inches). Wash time- only long enough to remove surface fluorescence under UV-A (black light).

5*. Dry part; temperature not to exceed 71 $^{\circ}$ C (160 $^{\circ}$ F), time - only long enough to dry surface.

6. Apply dry powder developer, form "a" (**D-72A**), by dusting, or non aqueous developer, form "d"(**D-70**), by spraying.

6A*. If water based developer form "c"(**D-78B**) is used it is applied by immersion or spray, prior to step 5 drying.

7. Wait a minimum of 10 minutes before inspection. Maximum time is 1 hour for form "d" (non aqueous) and maximum 4 hours for form "a" (dry powder). If times are exceeded, clean part and reprocess.

8. Use UV-A illumination of >1000 μ W/cm² @ 15 inches (38.1 cm) in a darkened area of < 21 lux visible light (< 2 foot candles).

Guide to METHOD "C" (wipe off) processing per ASTM E-1417

1. Part must be clean, dry and at a temperature of $4.4^{\circ}-52^{\circ}C$ (40°- 125°F) before penetrant is applied.

2. Apply **FBP-913** penetrant using spray, immersion, or wipe on.

3. Wait a minimum of 10 minutes; 20 minutes if temperature is 4.4° -10°C (40-50°F).

4. Moisten cloth with E-59, E-59A, R-503 or R-504 and wipe penetrant from surface. Do not spray remover on surface to remove penetrant, as sensitivity will be impaired. Water may be used to wipe FBP-913 from the surface, but the surface must be dried before developer is applied.

5. Apply dry powder developer **D-72A** by dusting, or non aqueous developer **D-70** by spraying.

6. Wait a minimum of 10 minutes before inspection.

7. Inspect under UV-A illumination of >1000 μ W/cm² @ 15 inches (38.1 cm) in a darkened area of < 21 lux visible light (< 2 footcandles).



FBP-913 fluorescent penetrant indications on shrink cracks



Typical Physical Properties

Form: clear yellow green viscous liquid Density: 975 g/L Flash Point: $> 93^{\circ}C (> 200^{\circ}F)$ Viscosity 26.4 mm²/s Water Tolerance:> 20 % Water Content: < 1 % Fluorescent Brightness: (AMS-2644 requirement > 90 %) 127.3% Corrosion of aluminum: none Corrosion of carbon steel: none Corrosion of magnesium: none Corrosion of stainless steel: none Corrosion of titanium: none Chloride content: < 100 ppm (0.01%)Fluoride content: < 50 ppm (0.005%)Sodium content: < 100 ppm (0.01%)Sulfur content: < 100 ppm (0.01%) Mercury: none VOC's: 0 g/L Ozone layer depleting substances: none PCB's: none

The warranty shelf life of the product is 5 years from date of batch approval.

Specifications

AMS -2644 ASME B & PV code Sec. V ASTM E-165 ISO 3452 R-R CSS-232

ASTM E-1417 R-R RPS-702

AMS-2647

GHS Information

Danger

GHS Hazard Statements: H315 Causes skin irritation.

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

H412: Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

GHS Precautionary statements: P102: Keep out of reach of children.

- **P261:** Avoid breathing dust/fumes/gas/mist/vapors/spray.
- **P264:** Wash skin thoroughly after handling.
- **P273:** Avoid release to the environment.
- **P280:** Wear protective glove/clothing/eye protection/face protection.
- **P284:** In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

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Fluorescent Penetrant

Product Availability

1 gallon (3.7L) plastic bottle 5 gallon (18.9L) plastic jug with our spout 55 gallon (208L) plastic drum

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1 gallon	6850-01-263-8430
5 gallon	6850-01-263-2263
55 gallon	6850-01-263-4056



GHS response statements:

- IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing, get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.
- IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water. If skin irritation occurs, get medical advice/attention.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easily to do. Continue rinsing, get medical attention.

- **IF SWALLOWED:** Rinse mouth Do Not induce vomiting.Get medical attention if feeling unwell.
- **IF ON CLOTHING:** Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

Transport: DOT- not regulated < 450 L or 119 Gal containers IATA- not regulated IMDG- not regulated

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