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VITALIFE<sup>®</sup> # 500

Product Code: 50014

# **Product Description**

Vitalife<sup>®</sup> # 500 was developed specifically for the lubrication and protection of ski-lift ropes, or for other installations where natural or synthetic rubbers are used in bull-rings or sheave liners. Vitalife<sup>®</sup> # 500 has built-in corrosion preventive properties, which offer longer rope-life. Vitalife<sup>®</sup> # 500 core and thereby penetrates to the rope's coats and protects every strand, thereby maximizing lubrication and minimizing abrasive wear. Vitalife<sup>®</sup> # 500 is used by wire rope manufacturers, ski-lift builders, splicers and ski area operators

### **Product Benefits and Features**

Light-bodied oil  $\cdot$  provides the ability to penetrate to the core of wire rope  $\cdot$  wire ropes are cleaner and easy to inspect  $\cdot$  penetrates the interstices between wires and strands  $\cdot$  high film strength  $\cdot$  prevents wear  $\cdot$  resists oxidation and corrosion  $\cdot$  self-healing film former  $\cdot$  excellent in acid or alkali and pollutants' environment  $\cdot$  high polarity promotes creeping and re-lubrication of areas forced dry of oil.

#### **Major Applications**

Field lubrication for ski lift wire ropes in service, or for other installations where natural or synthetic rubbers are used in bull-rings or sheave liners.

#### **Methods of Application**

Vitalife<sup>®</sup> #500 has been tested and proven directly compatible with Crosby Vitalife<sup>®</sup> Spray Applicators (see Crosby Catalog). The use of Vitalife<sup>®</sup> #500 in Crosby Vitalife<sup>®</sup> Spray Applicators is recommended. Other methods of application include manual by brush, swab, drip, pour, automatic drip or spray systems and automatic pressure wire rope lubricators.

## **Typical Properties**

Appearance	Clear, Amber to Dark Yellow
Viscosity, SUS @100°F	1445
Flash Point, COC °F (°C)	490 (254)
Pour Point, °F (°C)	0 (-18)
Corrosion Protection	No corrosion after 168 Hrs.
(Accelerated humidity testing 100% R.H. @120°F)	
Weight Per Gallon, Pound	8.033

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