

# **Technical Data**

### WIRESHIELD<sup>™</sup>

### High performance wire rope lubricant

#### Description

ROCOL<sup>®</sup> WIRESHIELD is a high performance wire rope lubricant featuring advanced pseudoplastic rheology and outstanding corrosion protection.

**ROCOL WIRESHIELD** initially appears to be a translucent amber gel, however, it is designed to immediately transform into a fluid consistency under shear to aid complete penetration into the core of the rope.

When the shearing stops the ROCOL WIRESHIELD stiffens back to a grease consistency on standing. This transformation ensures that the lubricant resists dripping or throw off.

#### **Applications**

- Submerged Ropes
- Static Ropes
- Ship Lifts
- Winches
- Hoists
- Drag lines
- Pulleys
- Springs

#### **Features & Benefits**

- Excellent wide temperature range of -30°C to +100°C
- Industry leading corrosion protection
- Excellend lubricating properties, reducing wear on wires and strands
- Maximises service life
- Highly resistant to water wash off including salt water
- Pseudoplastic rheology increases penetration of the • lubricant. This is enhanced by the use of a fluid applicator.
- Does not drip of fling
- Clean and pleasant to use

#### **Directions For Use**

ROCOL WIRESHIELD should be stored in its unopened original container

For best practice, storage temperature should ideally be controlled to between +1°C and +40°C.

4 years from date of manufacture shelf life.

Minimum application temperature is 0°C.

Application of ROCOL WIRESHIELD can be made by using a brush, swab or automatic lubricator.

For best results apply to clean, dry ropes.

Approximate rope coverage; based on 25mm diameter rope, is 50 metres per kg.

#### **Further Information**

For pack sizes, part codes and safety data sheets please visit www.rocol.com or get in touch with our customer service team who will be happy to help: customer.service@rocol.com

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Property	Test Method	Result
Appearance	Visual	Soft amber grease
Base Fluid Type	N/A	Highly refined mineral oil
Thickener	N/A	Proprietary
Base Fluid Viscosity at 40°C	IP71	105cSt
Brookfield Viscosity at 25°C, 0.5 rpm	N/A	500,000cPs
Salt Spray Corrosion Protection	ASTM B-117	>4000 hours
4-Ball Weld Load	IP239	280kg

Values quoted above are typical and do not constitute a specification.

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