ASTM E96 TESTING
(WATER METHOD)
ON SUPERTHERM
FOR
SUPERIOR PRODUCTS
VTEC 100-716-3
TESTED: JULY 14, 1997



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### I. Introduction:

- Client: Superior Products 6459 Universal Ave. Kansas City, MO 64120
- 2) Attention: Mr. J.E. Pritchet
- 3) Scope: This report contains the reference to the test method. preparation and conditioning of sample, observation of material. Test and post test observation data test results.
- 4) Test Method: This test was conducted in accordance with ASTM E96 specification.
- 4.1 This test method covers the detrmination of water vapor transmission (WVT) of materials through which passage of water vapor may be of importance. In Water Method the test specimen was scaled to the top of the cup containing distilled water, and then placed in a test chamber at 90°F with a relative humidity of 50% for 24 hours. The cups were weighed at the beginning and at the end of the 24 hour cycle to determine how much water evaporated.

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## III Material Tested:

- 1) Manufacturer: Superior Products
- 2) Product Description: Supertherm
- 3) Color: White
- 4) Number of Specimens: 3
- 5) Surface: Smooth
- 6) Material description: by Manufacturer and VTEC
- 7) Date of selection: April 3, 1997
- 8) Purpose of test: Water Vapor Transmission of Materials
- 9) Method of sample mounting: Water Method

## III Test Results

Sample	1	Weight Before Test = 508,800 mg Weight After Test = 508,500 mg Thickness of Coating = 48 mils P = 840.17 perm-mils
Sample	2	Weight Before Test = 504,100 mg Weight After Test = 503,700 mg Thickness of Coating = 61 mils P = 1,422.91 perm-mils
Sample	3	Weight Before Test = 509,200 mg Weight After Test = 508,700 mg Thickness of Coating = 52 mils P = 1,514.15 perm-mils

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