

Low Alloy / Gas Shielded / Flux Cored

PRODUCT DATA SHEET

FEATURES

- Superb weldability with a smooth arc transfer and a thin setting slag which removes easily.
- Intended for use with both 100% CO2 or 75-80% Ar/balance CO2 shielding gas.
- Weld metal matches corrosion resistance and coloring of ASTM weathering-type structural steels (i.e. ASTM A242 and A588 types) with ~0.5 wt% copper (Cu) addition.

CONFORMANCES

AWS A5.29

E81T1-W2C-H8 E81T1-W2M-H8

DIAMETERS (in [mm])

0.045 (1.2), 0.052 (1.3), 1/16 (1.6)

POSITIONS



SHIELDING GAS

75-80% Ar / Balance CO2, 100% CO2

Flow Rate: 40 - 50 CFM

POLARITY

Direct Current Electrode Positive (DCEP)

TYPICAL WELD DEPOSIT CHEMISTRY (WT%)

| Shielding Gas | С | Cr | Cu | Mn | Мо | Ni | P | S | Si | V |
|----------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|------|------|
| 100%CO2 | 0.06 | 0.52 | 0.39 | 1.02 | 0.00 | 0.63 | 0.007 | 0.010 | 0.51 | 0.02 |
| 75%Ar / 25%CO2 | 0.06 | 0.51 | 0.40 | 1.11 | 0.00 | 0.65 | 0.006 | 0.010 | 0.54 | 0.02 |

TYPICAL MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

| Shielding Gas | Tensile Strength ksi (MPa) | Yield Strength ksi (MPa) | Elongation (%) | Weld Condition | PWHT Temp | CVN @ -20°F (-30°C) ft-lb (J) |
|----------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------------|-------------------------------------|
| 100%CO2 | 87 (600) | 71 (490) | 25 | As-Welded | - | 31 (42) |
| 75%Ar / 25%CO2 | 91 (628) | 79 (545) | 24 | As-Welded | - | 28 (38) |



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RECOMMENDED WELDING PARAMETERS

| Diameter in (mm) | Shielding Gas | Position | WFS* in/min (m/min) | Amps | Volts | CTWD* in (mm) |
|------------------|---------------|-------------------|------------------------|------|-------|---------------------|
| 0.045 (1.2 mm) | | All Positions | 200 (5.1) | 145 | 24 | 1/2 - 5/8 (13 - 16) |
| | 100% CO2 | All Positions | 235 (6.0) | 160 | 25 | 1/2 - 5/8 (13 - 16) |
| | | All Positions | 300 (7.6) | 185 | 27 | 1/2 - 5/8 (13 - 16) |
| | | Flat & Horizontal | 375 (9.5) | 215 | 28 | 5/8 - 3/4 (16 - 19) |
| | | Flat & Horizontal | 440 (11.2) | 235 | 29 | 5/8 - 3/4 (16 - 19) |
| 0.052 (1.3 mm) | 100% CO2 | All Positions | 170 (4.3) | 155 | 24 | 5/8 - 3/4 (16 - 19) |
| | | All Positions | 200 (5.1) | 175 | 25 | 5/8 - 3/4 (16 - 19) |
| | | All Positions | 250 (6.4) | 225 | 27 | 5/8 - 3/4 (16 - 19) |
| | | Flat & Horizontal | 310 (7.9) | 250 | 28 | 3/4 - 1 (19 - 25) |
| | | Flat & Horizontal | 395 (10.0) | 280 | 29 | 3/4 - 1 (19 - 25) |
| 1/16 (1.6 mm) | | All Positions | 125 (3.2) | 165 | 24 | 5/8 - 3/4 (16 - 19) |
| | | All Positions | 150 (3.8) | 195 | 25 | 5/8 - 3/4 (16 - 19) |
| | 100% CO2 | All Positions | 185 (4.7) | 225 | 27 | 5/8 - 3/4 (16 - 19) |
| | | Flat & Horizontal | 265 (6.7) | 280 | 28 | 3/4 - 1 (19 - 25) |
| | | Flat & Horizontal | 325 (8.3) | 320 | 29 | 3/4 - 1 (19 - 25) |

^{*} WFS = Wire Feed Speed, CTWD = Contact Tip To Work Distance

For Welding in 75-80% Ar / Balance CO2, decrease by 1 - 1.5 volts.

APPROVALS

| Agency | Approval | Shielding Gas | Diameter(s) in (mm) |
|----------------|------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| CWB CSA W48-23 | E551T1-C1A3-W2-H8 (E551T1-W2C-H8) | C1 (100%CO2) | 0.045 (1.2) - 1/16 (1.6) |
| | E551T1-M21A3-W2-H8 (E551T1-W2M-H8) | M21 (75%Ar / 25%CO2) | 0.045 (1.2) - 1/16 (1.6) |

PACKAGING (lbs (kgs))

33 (15) Spools, 60 (27.2) Coils, 500 (226.8) Round Drum, 800 (362.9) Hex Drum, 900 (408.2) Hex Drum

STORAGE AND HANDLING

All products should be stored in original packaging, in dry conditions and handled with care. For more information refer to our website.



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^{*}Some packaging options may not be available depending on diameter and product. Special package options may be available upon request.