# SelectAlloy 308L-AP\_LNG

Stainless Steel / Gas Shielded / Flux Cored

#### **FEATURES**

#### CONFORMANCES

#### AWS A5.22

E308LT1-4 E308LT1-4J

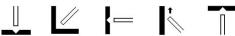
PRODUCT DATA SHEET

- Specially formulated to produce good weld metal toughness via strict weld metal chemical composition control.
- Resulting deposited ferrite is consistently between 3-7 FN when measured either by predictive methods or using magnetic induction methods.
- Low C, < 0.04 wt%, minimizes carbide precipitation (sensitization) which makes the weld metal more resistant to intergranular corrosion.
- Designed for welding in all positions where well washed beads can be achieved with minimal weaving in 75-80% Ar/balance CO2 shielding gas.
- Smooth arc transfer produces minimal spatter.
- Applications for this alloy type include fabrication or repair of cryogenic components of similar composition that require weld metal toughness to maintained at temperatures of -320°F (-196°C).

## **DIAMETERS (in (mm))**

0.045 (1.2), 1/16 (1.6)

#### POSITIONS



## SHIELDING GAS

75-80% Ar + balance CO2 Flow Rate: 40 - 50 CFH

## POLARITY

Direct Current Electrode Positive (DCEP)

# **TYPICAL WELD DEPOSIT CHEMISTRY (WT%)**

| Shielding Gas  | с    | Cr   | Cu   | Mn   | Мо   | Ni   | Ρ    | S    | Si   | WRC-<br>1992<br>Ferrite |
|----------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------------------------|
| 75%Ar / 25%CO2 | 0.03 | 18.7 | 0.16 | 1.31 | 0.12 | 10.2 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.80 | 4                       |

Bismuth is not intentionally added and levels are not known to be greater than 0.002 (WT%)

# **TYPICAL MECHANICAL PROPERTIES**

| Shielding Gas  | Tensile<br>Strength<br>ksi (MPa) | Yield<br>Strength<br>ksi (MPa) | Elongation<br>(%) | Weld<br>Condition | PWHT<br>Temp | CVN @<br>-320°F (-196°C)<br>ft-lb (J) | Lateral<br>Expansion |
|----------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------|
| 75%Ar / 25%CO2 | 84 (583)                         | 54 (372)                       | 42                | As-Welded         | -            | 32 (43)                               | 25 (mils)            |



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## **RECOMMENDED WELDING PARAMETERS \*\***

| Diameter<br>in (mm) | Shielding Gas  | Position          | WFS*<br>in/min (m/min) | Amps | Volts | CTWD*<br>in (mm)    |
|---------------------|----------------|-------------------|------------------------|------|-------|---------------------|
| 0.045 (1.2 mm)      |                | All-Position      | 215 (5.5)              | 130  | 23    | 1/2 - 5/8 (13 - 16) |
|                     | 75% Ar/25% CO2 | All-Position      | 260 (6.6)              | 145  | 24.5  | 1/2 - 5/8 (13 - 16) |
|                     |                | All-Position      | 310 (7.9)              | 160  | 26    | 1/2 - 5/8 (13 - 16) |
|                     |                | Flat & Horizontal | 420 (10.7)             | 180  | 27.5  | 5/8 - 3/4 (16 - 19) |
|                     |                | Flat & Horizontal | 450 (11.4)             | 200  | 29    | 5/8 - 3/4 (16 - 19) |
| 1/16 (1.6 mm)       |                | All-Position      | 135 (3.4)              | 160  | 23    | 5/8 - 3/4 (16 - 19) |
|                     |                | All-Position      | 190 (4.8)              | 195  | 24.5  | 5/8 - 3/4 (16 - 19) |
|                     | 75% Ar/25% CO2 | All-Position      | 225 (5.7)              | 210  | 26    | 5/8 - 3/4 (16 - 19) |
|                     |                | Flat & Horizontal | 255 (6.5)              | 225  | 27.5  | 3/4 - 1 (19 - 25)   |
|                     |                | Flat & Horizontal | 290 (7.4)              | 245  | 29    | 3/4 - 1 (19 - 25)   |

\* WFS = Wire Feed Speed, CTWD = Contact Tip To Work Distance

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\*\*The parameters listed are recommended starting points of operation and the ranges for amperage, wfs, and voltage could be extended based on fitness for application. For products with "allposition" capability, as determined and listed in classification, the position recommendation can be determined based on operator skill and material thickness and isn't limited to the listing.

#### **APPROVALS**

| Agency | Approval   | Shielding Gas        | Diameter(s)<br>in (mm) |  |
|--------|------------|----------------------|------------------------|--|
| ABS    | E308LT1-4J | M21 (75%Ar / 25%CO2) | 0.045 (1.2)            |  |

# 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

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

#### **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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