WELDWIRE COMPANY, INC.   Technical Information

Nickel Alloy Wire

Alloy: WWNA60   Conforms to Certification: AWS A5.14
Class: ERNiCu-7   ASME SFA A5.14

Alloy: ERNiCu-7 (Alloy 60)
Weld Process: GMAW, GTAW and ASAW Welding Processes

AWS Chemical Composition Requirements

C = 0.15 max   Cu = Remainder
Mn = 4.0 max   Ni = 62.0 – 69.0
Fe = 2.5 max   Al = 1.25 max
P = 0.02 max   Ti = 1.5 – 3.0
S = 0.015 max   Other = 0.50 max
Si = 1.25 max

Deposited Chemical Composition % (Typical)

C = 0.05   P = 0.008   Ni = 65.9
Mn = 3.45   S = 0.002   Ti = 2.25
Fe = 0.40   Si = 0.77   Al = 0.10
Cu = Balance

Deposited All Weld Metal Properties % (AW)

Tensile Strength   76,000psi
Yield Strength   51,000psi
Elongation   34.5%

Deposited Charpy-V-Notch Impact Properties %

Not applicable

Application

ERNiCu-7 (NA60) is a copper-nickel alloy base wire for GMAW and GTAW welding of Monel alloys 400 and 404. Also used for overlaying steel after first applying Layer of 610 nickel.

Recommended Welding Parameters for TIG,MIG, and SAW Welding of Nickel Alloys

Process	Diameter of Wire	Voltage (V)	Amperage (A)	Gas
Tig	.035 inches x 36	12 -15	60 -90	100% Argon
	.045 inches x 36	13 -16	80 - 110	100% Argon
	1/16 inches x 36	14 - 18	90 - 130	100% Argon
	3/32 inches x 36	15 – 20	120 -175	100% Argon
	1/8 inches x 36	15 – 20	150 - 220	100% Argon
MIG	.035 inches	26 – 29	150 – 190	75% Argon + 25% Helium
	.045 inches	28 – 32	180 – 220	75% Argon + 25% Helium
	1/16 inches	29 – 33	200 - 250	75% Argon + 25% Helium
SAW	3/32 inches	28 – 30	275 – 350	Suitable Flux may be used
	1/8 inches	29 – 32	350 – 450	Suitable Flux may be used
	5/32 inches	30 – 33	400 – 550	Suitable Flux may be used

Note: Other shielding Gases may be used for Mig and Tig welding. Shielding gases are chosen taking Quality, cost, and Operability into consideration.

Note: Both agglomerated and fused fluxes can be used for submerged arc welding.

Note: The chemical composition of the flux mainly affects the chemistry of the weld metal and consequently its corrosion resistance and mechanical properties.

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