MIDALLOY ER70S-3 WELDING WIRE

CLASSIFICATION

- AWS 5.18 Class ER70S-3 / ASME SFA 5.18 Class ER70S-3
- ASME Section IX F#6 / A#1

DESCRIPTION

MIDALLOY ER70S-3 welding wire is a mild-steel bare wire used for MIG and TIG welding.

APPLICATION

- MIDALLOY ER70S-3 welding wire is designed for GMAW and GTAW welding of most carbon steel materials.
- Normal applications include structural steel, carbon steel plate, pipe, fittings, castings, and forgings.
- The as-welded filler metal deposit exhibits adequate strength and hardness and may not require PWHT.
- MIDALLOY ER70S-3 provides the industry with a quality filler metal that is capable of making x-ray clear welds.

TYPICAL CHEMISTRY

| С | Mn | Si | Cr | Ni | Мо | ٧ | Р | S | Cu |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|------|
| 0.08 | 1.05 | 0.48 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.01 | 0.012 | 0.006 | .015 |

TYPICAL MECHANICAL PROPERTIES*

| PROCESS / SHIELDING GAS | GMAW 98% Ar / 2% O ₂ | GMAW 100% CO ₂ | GTAW 100% Ar |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|
| TENSILE STRENGTH | 75,000 PSI | 70,000 PSI | 75,000 PSI |
| YIELD STRENGTH | 65,500 PSI | 60,000 PSI | 63,000 PSI |
| ELONGATION | 25% | 27% | 28% |
| IMPACTS | 20 FT-LBS @ 0 °F | 20 FT-LBS @ 0 °F | 30 FT-LBS @ -20 ℉ |

^{*}As-welded

RECOMMENDED WELDING PARAMETERS

| PROCESS | DIA. OF WIRE | AMPERAGE | VOLTAGE | GAS/FLUX |
|------------|--------------|-----------|---------|--|
| GMAW (MIG) | .035" | 90 - 160 | 14 - 20 | 100% CO ₂ or 75% Ar / 25% CO ₂ |
| SHORT ARC | .045" | 120 - 200 | 16 - 20 | 100% CO ₂ or 75% Ar / 25% CO ₂ |
| GMAW (MIG) | .035" | 180 - 230 | 25 - 28 | 98% Ar / 2% O ₂ |
| SPRAY | .045" | 250 - 350 | 25 - 30 | 75% Ar / 25% CO ₂ |
| TRANSFER | 1/16" | 280 - 400 | 26 - 36 | 75% Ar / 25% CO ₂ |
| GTAW (TIG) | 1/16" | 50 - 120 | 7 - 13 | 100% Ar |
| | 3/32" | 120 - 200 | 10 - 16 | 100% Ar |
| | 1/8" | 150 - 220 | 12 - 18 | 100% Ar |

STANDARD PACKAGING

• MIG 33 lb. Spool

TIG 10 lb. Tube / 60 lb. Carton

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