TGA-CuNi

AWS A5.7 ERCuNi

Characteristics and Applications:

TGA-CuNi is used for oxyacetylene, gas-tungsten-arc.and Gas-metal-arc copper-nickel alloys. The copper-nickel weld metal has excellent resistance to corrosion in sea water, and is widely used for marine and desalination applications.

Notes on usage:

- 1. 100% Argon shielding gas with 99.997% high purity is recommended and the flow rate must be properly controlled. The recommended flow rate is 7-12l/min when arc current is 100-200Amp and it goes up to 12-15l/min when arc current rises to 200-300Amp.
- 2. Trailer Shield is required to ensure the weld pool completely shielded by inert gas until solidification is complete and no porosity problem.
- 3. Select right gas cup size and employ proper stick out of tungsten electrode.
- 4. Be sure to clean up the contaminations on the base metal and welding seam so as not to derogate the weld metal quality from particles.

Typical chemical composition of wire (wt%):

Cu	Mn	Fe	Si	Ni	Р	Pb	Ti	S
67.00	0.80	0.60	0.05	30.1	0.006	0.005	0.45	0.006

Typical mechanical properties of all weld metal:

Tensile strength (MPa)	Elongation (%)
345	30

Sizes available:

Diameter (mm)	1.6	2.0	2.4	3.2	4.0			
Length (mm)	915							

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