

GEN 385 Welding Wire and Rod

GEN 385 is mainly used for welding of ASTM B625, B673, and B677 (UNS N08904) materials for handling of sulfuric acid and many chloride containing media. It can also be used for joining UNS N08904 base metals to other grade of stainless steels.

CONFORMANCES

AWS A5.9/A5.9M : ER385 ASME SFA-A5.9 : ER385 ISO 14343B : SS385

AWS CHEMICAL COMPOSITION (TYPICAL)

%C	%Cr	%Ni	%Mo	%Mn
0.025 max	19.5 – 21.5	24.0 – 26.0	4.2 – 5.2	1.0 – 2.5

%Si	%P	%S	%Cu	Total Others
0.50 max	0.02 max	0.03 max	1.2 – 2.0	0.50 max

TYPICAL WELD METAL MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

Yield Strength: 55,000 psiTensile Strength: 83,000 psiElongation: 35 %

TYPICAL WELDING PARAMETERS

Process	Diameter		Voltage	Amperage	Gas/Flux
TIG (GTAW)	1/16"	1.6 mm	14 – 17	80 – 125	100% Ar
	3/32"	2.4 mm	15 – 20	125 – 200	100% Ar
	1/8"	3.2 mm	16 - 20	150 – 225	
MIG (GMAW)	.035"	0.9 mm	26 – 31	150 – 230	98%Ar – 2%O ₂
	.045"	1.1 mm	28 - 33	180 – 280	98%Ar – 2%O ₂
Sub Arc (SAW)	.093"	2.4 mm	28 – 31	270 – 350	
	.125"	3.2 mm	29 – 33	325 – 475	

^{*}All parameters are suggested as basic guidelines only and will vary depending on joint design, number of passes and other factors.

IMPORTANT: SPECIAL VENTILATION AND/OR EXHAUST REQUIRED

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