Solid Wire Electrode for MIG/MAG Welding



Classification: EN ISO 14343-A: G 20 25 5 Cu L

SFA-5.9: **ER385**

Main Application:

BA-MIG 385 is a solid wire electrode for GMAW, suitable for welding steels of similar chemical composition 20Cr/25Ni/4.5Mo/1.5Cu type (AISI 904L type). BA-MIG 385 has high resistance to corrosion in severe, non-oxidising environments, sulphuric, phosphoric and other inorganic and organic acids, also good resistance to corrosion in concentrated nitric acid. Due to the low carbon, high alloy content, allows excellent resistance to intergranular corrosion and stress corrosion cracking, high resistance to crevice and pitting corrosion when compared to standard grades AISI 304L and AISI 316L. Suitable for some offshore applications, including overlays on mild and low alloy steels.

Typical analysis and chemical composition acc. to EN ISO 14343-A and AWS A5.9:

(Weight Percent)

Wire electrode	С	Si	Mn	Mo	Ni	Cr	Р	S	Cu total
Typical analysis BA-MIG 385	0.015	0.4	1.9	4.5	25.0	20.0	0.015	0.015	1.50
G 20 25 5 Cu L acc. to ISO 14343-A	0.03	1.0	1.0-4.0	4.0-6.0	24.0- 27.0	19.0- 22.0	0.03	0.02	1.0-2.0
ER385 acc. to AWS A5.9	0.025	0.50	1.0-2.5	4.2-5.2	24.0- 26.0	19.5- 21.5	0.02	0.03	1.2-2.0

All - Weld Metal Mechanical Properties / Welding Data:

Heat Treatment As Welded
Yield Strength Re, N/mm² (ksi) 400 (58)
Tensile Strength Rm, N/mm² (ksi) 560 (81)
Elongation A5 [%] >35

Impact Energy ISO-V, J (ft lbs) +20°C: 100 (74)

Current/polarity DC +

Shielding Gas ISO 14175: M13

Base Materials:

Similar Cr/Ni steels with high Mo content

1.4539 /X1NiCrMoCu25-20-5, 1.4439/ X2CrNiMoN17-13-5, 1.4537/ X1CrNiMoCuN25-25-5, UNS N08904

Package Forms:

Spools BS300/15 kg, D200/5 kg, and drums as standard package forms for GMAW wire electrodes.

Diameter:

0,8 – 1,6 mm. Sizes and tolerances acc. to ISO 544 and AWS A5.9.

Wire Electrode Surface:

Smooth finish free from surface defects and foreign matter.