



ESAB FERROWELD W2

ESAB FERROWELD W2 is a Cr-Ni-Cu alloyed basic coated hydrogen controlled electrode, suitable for welding of weathering steels, steels having greater resistance to atmospheric corrosion as compared to normal steels and high tensile strength steels. The electrode is designed to provide excellent striking and restriking properties, stable arc, easily detachable slag and smooth weld bead. It is specially recommended for weathering steels like COR-TEN A/B and their equivalents.

| Specifications | | |
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| Classifications | SFA/AWS A5.5 : E8018-W2 | |
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| Welding Current | DC+ | |
| Diffusible Hydrogen | < 5 ml/100g | |
| Alloy Type | Cr-Ni-Cu alloyed | |
| Coating Type | Basic | |

| Typical Tensile Properties | | | | |
|--|---------|------------|------|--|
| Condition Yield Strength Tensile Strength Elongation | | Elongation | | |
| AWS | | | | |
| As Welded | 560 MPa | 650 MPa | 27 % | |

| Typical Charpy V-Notch Properties | | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|--------------|--|
| Condition | Testing Temperature | Impact Value | |
| AWS | | | |
| As Welded | -20 °C | L 08 | |

| Typical Weld Metal Analysis % | | | | | |
|-------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| С | Mn | Si | Ni | Cr | Cu |
| 0.06 | 0.90 | 0.50 | 0.60 | 0.60 | 0.40 |

| Deposition Data | | |
|-----------------|-----------|--|
| Diameter | Current | |
| 2.5 x 350.0 mm | 50-90 A | |
| 3.15 x 450.0 mm | 75-140 A | |
| 4.0 x 450.0 mm | 140-190 A | |
| 5.0 x 450.0 mm | 190-240 A | |