OVERED ELECTRODE

TS-308H

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Characteristics and Applications:

TS-308H is a titania type electrode. The weld metal is austenite limited + -ferrite structure (19%Cr-9%Ni). The product features excellent performances in slag release, weld bead appearance, weldability, corrosion resistibility at high temperature. TS-308H is suitable for the welding of AISI-304 steel, AISI-301 steel and AISI-302 steel in all positions. Proper base metals are including stainless steel plate, steel tube, steel strip, seamless pipe, heat transfer tube, pressure vessel and steel bar.

Notes on usage:

- 1. Clean up the contaminations on the base metal, groove and pass to pass with stainless steel brush.
- 2. Maintain short arc length. Moving range should be controlled within 2.5 times of the wire's dia when you are welding with weave method.
- 3. Dry the electrodes at 250~300 for 60 minutes before using. Take out consumables for half day consumption and keep in the environment at 100~150 during welding process.
- 4. Use lower current to prevent from cracking and minimize base metal dilution.

Typical chemical composition of weld metal (wt%):

С	Mn	Si	Р	S	Cr	Ni
0.041	0.95	0.61	0.027	0.010	19.24	9.7

Typical mechanical properties of weld metal:

Tensile strength	Elongation	
MPa(ksi)	%	
580(84)	40	

Welding position:



Sizes and recommended current range (AC or DC +):

Diameter (mm)		2.6	3.2	4.0	4.8
Length (mm)		300	350	350	350
Amps	F	60-90	80-130	130-170	180-210
	V&OH	50-80	70-110	100-130	-

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