Stick Electrode for Low Temperature Resistant Steel

| | Classification | | |
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| KN 040C4 | AWS | A 5.5 | E8018-C1 |
| KN-818C1 | | Z3211 | E5518-N5 |
| | ΕN | 2560-A | E 46 6 2Ni B |
| Type of coating: Iron powder low hydrogen type | GB | T 5118 | E5518-C1 |

Applications and Features

- (1) It is suitable for welding 540N/mm² grade steel for low temperature resistance.
- (2) It provides high deposition rate, smooth welding beads and X-ray quality welds.
- (3) Weld metal contains 2.5% Ni and good impact properties at -60°C.
- (4) It is ideal for welding in LNG storage tanks or 2.5% Ni steel for low temperature resistance.

Welding Position

All Positions

Welding Instruction

- (1) Clean up the contaminations on the steel.
- (2) Dry the electrodes at 350~400°C for 60 minutes before welding.
- (3) Keep arc as short as possible. Take the back step method to prevent porosity at arc start and re-start. (Please refer to Appendix A)
- (4) High heat input will lower the impact value. Please carefully select the welding current.
- (5) The preheat temperature for thick plate is 90~110°C.

Typical Chemical Composition of Weld Metal (wt %)

| С | Si | Mn | Р | S | Ni |
|-------|------|------|-------|-------|------|
| 0.080 | 0.64 | 0.98 | 0.014 | 0.008 | 2.55 |

Typical Mechanical Properties of Weld Metal (PWHT:620°Cx1Hr)

| Tensile Strength N/mm ² (kgf/mm ²) | Yield Strength | Elongation | Charpy V-Notch | |
|--|--|------------|----------------|------------|
| | N/mm ² (kgf/mm ²) | % | °C | J (kgf -m) |
| E79/E0 0\ | 480(49.0) | 32 | 0 | _ |
| 578(59.0) | 400(49.0) | 32 | -60 | 84(8.6) |

Size and Suggested Operating Range (AC or DC+)

| Diamete | er (mm) x h(mm) | 2.6x300 | 3.2x350 | 4.0x400 | 5.0x400 |
|----------|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| | Н | 70~100 | 100~140 | 140~180 | 180~230 |
| `````Amp | V-up/OH | 60~90 | 90~130 | 120~160 | _ |