

# **S-8018.C1**

COVERED ARC WELDING ELECTRODE  
FOR HIGHLY EFFICIENT WELDING  
OF 600MPa CLASS HIGH TENSILE STEEL

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## ❖ Specification

<b>AWS A5.5</b>	E8018-C1
<b>JIS Z 3211</b>	E5518-N5 AP L
<b>EN ISO 2560-A</b>	E46 5 2Ni B 3 2

## ❖ Applications

S-8018.C1 is designed for use in the welding of nickel bearing steels for low temperature applications where toughness of the weld metal is important. Welding of applications include ship-building, storage, piping and tank.

## ❖ Characteristics on Usage

S-8018.C1 is an iron powder low hydrogen all position electrode, and high quality electrode designed for applications of 2.5% nickel deposits. The deposit is extremely dense and the good mechanical properties make this electrode particularly, suitable for weld-ments to with stand impact at sub-normal temperature (lowest -60°C)

## ❖ Note on Usage

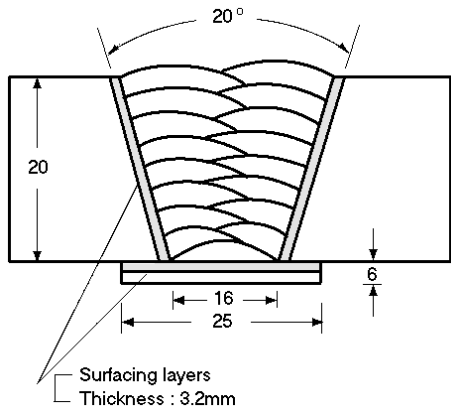
1. Dry the electrodes at 350°C ~ 400°C (662 ~ 752°F) for 60 minutes before use.
2. Keep the arc as short as possible, and avoid large width weaving.
3. Adopt back step method or strike the arc on a small steel plate prepared for this particular purpose to prevent blowholes at the arc starting.
4. As excessive heat input causes deterioration of impact values weld with proper heat-input electrode according to the impact values required.



**Mechanical Properties & Chemical Compositions of all-Weld Metal**

❖ **Welding Conditions**

Method by AWS Rules



Diameter : 4.0 X 400mm(5/32 X 16in)  
 Amp./ Volt. : 170 / 25 ~ 26  
 Interpass Temp. : 131~145℃(268~393°F)  
 Polarity : DC +

[ Joint Preparation & Layer Details ]

❖ **Mechanical Properties of The Weld Metal**

[605℃(1121°F) X 1hr, S.R]

Consumable	Tensile test			CVN Impact Value J (ft·lbs)
	YS MPa (lbs/in <sup>2</sup> )	TS MPa (lbs/in <sup>2</sup> )	EL (%)	-60℃ (-76°F)
S-8018.C1	512(74,300)	607(88,000)	32.8	78(58)
AWS Spec.	≥460(66,700)	≥550(79,800)	≥19	-

❖ **Chemical Analysis of The Weld Metal(wt%)**

Consumable	Chemical Composition (%)					
	C	Si	Mn	P	S	Ni
S-8018.C1	0.06	0.34	1.09	0.011	0.009	2.23
AWS Spec	≤0.12	≤0.80	≤1.25	≤0.03	≤0.03	2.00 ~ 2.75

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**Weldability  
& Diffusible Hydrogen Contents & Proper Welding conditions****❖ Weldability**

Item	Division	Flat position	Vertical up position
	Arc stability		Good
Melting rate		Excellent	Excellent
Deposition rate		Excellent	Excellent
Resistance of spatter occurrence		Good	Good
The others		Good	Good

**❖ Diffusible Hydrogen Contents of Weld Metal**

Consumable	Welding current	Diffusible hydrogen contents (mℓ/gr. Weld metal)					Drying condition of test electrode
		X <sub>1</sub>	X <sub>2</sub>	X <sub>3</sub>	X <sub>4</sub>	Avg.	
S-8018.C1	DC+ 170 Amp.	6.8	6.4	6.6	6.7	6.6	350°C X 1hr (662°F X 1hr)

**❖ Sizes Available and Recommended Currents**

Diameter, mm(in)		3.2 (1/8)	4.0 (5/32)	5.0 (3/16)	6.0 (15/64)
Length, mm(in)		350(14)	400(16)	400(16)	450(18)
Recommended current range ( AC or DC+ Amp.)	Flat (1G-PA)	90 ~130	130 ~190	190 ~250	250 ~310
	3G (PF) & 4G,5G (PE)	80 ~120	110 ~170	150 ~200	-

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