

# SUPERGLIDE® S3

Mild Steel, Non-Copper Coated Wire ■ AWS ER70S-3

## KEY FEATURES

- Moderate levels of manganese and silicon for deoxidization of clean to light mill scale surfaces
- MicroGuard® Ultra provides superior feeding and arc stability
- Supports short-circuiting, globular, axial spray and pulsed spray transfer
- Non-copper coated

## WELDING POSITIONS

All

## SHIELDING GAS

100% CO<sub>2</sub>  
 75-95% Argon / Balance CO<sub>2</sub>  
 95-98% Argon / Balance O<sub>2</sub>  
 Flow Rate: 30-50 CFH

## CONFORMANCES

<b>AWS A5.18/A5.18M:</b>	ER70S-3
<b>ASME SFA-A5.18:</b>	ER70S-3
<b>CWB/CSA W48-06:</b>	ER49S-3
<b>EN ISO 14341-B:</b>	G 49A 2 C S3

## TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

- Clean to light mill scale base material
- Sheet metal to 380-485 MPa (55-70 ksi) yield strength material
- Pipeline
- Pressure vessels
- Structural steel

## DIAMETERS / PACKAGING

Diameter in (mm)	44 lb (20 kg) Fiber Spool	500 lb (227 kg) Accu-Trak® Drum
0.035 (0.9)	ED028621	ED030772
0.045 (1.1)	ED028622	ED030773

## MECHANICAL PROPERTIES<sup>(1)</sup> – As Required per AWS A5.18/A5.18M

	Yield Strength <sup>(2)</sup> MPa (ksi)	Tensile Strength MPa (ksi)	Elongation %	Charpy V-Notch J (ft•lbf)	
				@ -18°C (0°F)	@ -29°C (-20°F)
<b>Requirements</b> - AWS ER70S-3 As-Welded with 100% CO <sub>2</sub>	400 (58) min	485 (70) min	22 min	27 (20) min	Not Specified
<b>Typical Results</b> <sup>(3)</sup> - As-Welded with 100% CO <sub>2</sub>	405 (59)	510 (74)	26	100 (74)	87 (64)

<sup>(1)</sup>Typical all weld metal. <sup>(2)</sup>Measured with 0.2% offset. <sup>(3)</sup>See test results disclaimer

**WIRE COMPOSITION – As Required per AWS A5.18/A5.18M**

	%C	%Mn	%Si	%S	%P
<b>Requirements - AWS ER70S-3</b>	0.006-0.15	0.90-1.40	0.45-0.75	0.035 max	0.025 max
<b>Typical Results<sup>(3)</sup></b>	0.07-0.10	1.15-1.27	0.52-0.59	0.002-0.008	0.005-0.013
	%Cr	%Mo	%Ni	%V	%Cu
<b>Requirements - AWS ER70S-3</b>	0.15 max	0.15 max	0.15 max	0.03 max	0.50 max
<b>Typical Results<sup>(3)</sup></b>	≤ 0.03	≤ 0.01	≤ 0.04	< 0.01	0.02-0.04

**TYPICAL OPERATING PROCEDURES**

Diameter, Polarity Shielding Gas	CTWD <sup>(4)</sup> mm (in)	Wire Feed Speed m/min (in/min)	Voltage (volts)	Approx. Current (amps)	Melt-Off Rate kg/hr (lb/hr)
<b>0.035 in (0.9 mm), DC+</b>					
Short Circuit Transfer 100% CO <sub>2</sub> <sup>(5)</sup>	9-12 (3/8-1/2)	2.5 (100)	18	80	0.7 (1.6)
		3.8 (150)	19	120	1.1 (2.4)
		6.4 (250)	22	175	1.8 (4.0)
Spray Transfer 90% Ar/10% CO <sub>2</sub>	12-19 (1/2-3/4)	9.5 (375)	23	195	2.7 (6.0)
		12.7 (500)	29	230	3.6 (8.0)
		15.2 (600)	30	275	4.4 (9.6)
<b>0.045 in (1.1 mm), DC+</b>					
Short Circuit Transfer 100% CO <sub>2</sub> <sup>(5)</sup>	12-19 (1/2-3/4)	3.2 (125)	19	145	1.5 (3.4)
		3.8 (150)	20	165	1.8 (4.0)
		5.1 (200)	21	200	2.4 (5.4)
Spray Transfer 90% Ar/10% CO <sub>2</sub>	12-19 (1/2-3/4)	8.9 (350)	27	285	4.2 (9.2)
		12.1 (475)	30	335	5.7 (12.5)
		12.7 (500)	30	340	6.0 (13.2)

<sup>(1)</sup>Typical all weld metal. <sup>(2)</sup>Measured with 0.2% offset. <sup>(3)</sup>See test results disclaimer <sup>(4)</sup>CTWD (Contact Tip to Work Distance). Subtract 1/4 in (6.4 mm) to calculate Electrical Stickout.

<sup>(5)</sup>Procedures in these areas are procedures for short circuiting mode using 100% CO<sub>2</sub>. When using 75% Argon, 25% CO<sub>2</sub> for short circuit transfer, reduce voltage by 1 to 2 volts.

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**TEST RESULTS**

Test results for mechanical properties, deposit or electrode composition and diffusible hydrogen levels were obtained from a weld produced and tested according to prescribed standards, and should not be assumed to be the expected results in a particular application or weldment. Actual results will vary depending on many factors, including, but not limited to, weld procedure, plate chemistry and temperature, weldment design and fabrication methods. Users are cautioned to confirm by qualification testing, or other appropriate means, the suitability of any welding consumable and procedure before use in the intended application.

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