

BÖHLER EAS 4 M-FD

(FOXcore 316L-T0)

Flux-cored wire, high-alloyed, austenitic stainless

Classifications				
EN ISO 17633-A	EN ISO 17633-B	AWS A5.22 / SFA-5.22		
T 19 12 3 L R M21 (C1) 3	TS 316L-F M21 (C1) 0	E316LT0-4(1)		

Characteristics and typical fields of application

Rutile flux-cored wire of T 19 12 3 L R / E316LT0 type for welding of stainless steels such as 1.4435 / 316L. Easy handling and high deposition rate result in high productivity with excellent welding performance and very low spatter formation. Increased travel speeds as well as self-releasing slag with little demand for cleaning and pickling provide considerable savings in time and money. The wire shows good wetting behavior and results in a finely rippled surface pattern. The wide arc ensures even penetration and side-wall fusion to prevent lack of fusion. Suitable for service temperatures from –120°C to 400°C. The scaling temperature is approx. 850°C in air. For higher temperatures a niobium-stabilized consumable such as BÖHLER SAS 4-FD (FOXcore 318-T0) is required. For welding in vertical-up and overhead positions, BÖHLER EAS 4 M PW-FD (FOXcore 316L-T1) should be preferred.

Base materials

1.4401 X5CrNiMo17-12-2, 1.4404 X2CrNiMo17-12-2, 1.4409 GX2CrNiMo19-11-2, 1.4432 X2CrNiMo17-12-3, 1.4429 X2CrNiMoN17-12-3, 1.4435 X2CrNiMo18-14-3, 1.4436 X3CrNiMo17-12-3, 1.4571 X6CrNiMoTi17-12-2, 1.4580 X6CrNiMoNb17-12-2, 1.4583 X10CrNiMoNb18-12 UNS S31600, S31603, S31635, S31640, S31653

UNS S31600, S31603, S31635, S31640, S3165

AISI 316L, 316Ti, 316Cb

Typical analysis of all-weld metal						Ferrite WRC-92	
	С	Si	Mn	Cr	Ni	Мо	FN
wt%	0.03	0.7	1.5	19.0	12.0	2.7	3 – 10

Mechanical properties of all-weld metal – typical values (minimum values)						
Condition	Yield strength R _{p0.2}	Tensile strength R _m	Elongation A (L ₀ =5d ₀)	Impact work ISO-V KV J		
	MPa	MPa	%	20°C	-120°C	
u	410 (≥ 320)	560 (≥ 510)	34 (≥ 30)	55	35 (≥ 32)	

u untreated, as-welded – Ar + 18 % CO₂

Operating data							
		Ø mm	Wire feed m/min	Arc length mm	Current A	Voltage V	
	$\downarrow\downarrow\downarrow$	1.2	5.0 – 15.0	~ 3	130 – 280	22 – 30	
	,	1.6	4.5 - 9.5	~ 3	200 - 350	25 - 30	

Welding with standard GMAW power source with DC+ polarity. No pulsing needed. Backhand (drag) technique preferred with a work angle of approximately 80° . Ar + 15 - 25% CO₂ as shielding gas offers the best weldability. 100% CO₂ can be also used, but the voltage should be increased by 2 V. Suitable gas flow rate for welding outdoors is 18 - 25 l/min. The heat input should not exceed 2.0 kJ/mm, the interpass temperature be limited to max. 150° C and the wire stick-out 15 - 20 mm. Post-weld heat treatment generally not needed. In special cases, solution annealing can be performed at 1050° C followed by water quenching.

Approvals

TÜV (05349), DB (43.014.15), DNV GL, LR (M21), CE