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Data Sheet

# Hardbanding Wire

## POSTALLOY® TubeWeld 110

Patent Pending

### A Premium Build-Up Wire for the Rebuilding of Work String Tubing Upset Connections

#### Description

Designed specifically for the rebuilding of Work String Upset Connections, Postalloy® Tube-Weld 110, provides specific metallurgical properties and weldability under unique conditions. This combination of carefully controlled heat and very tight welding parameters, using a specified patent-pending welding procedure, significantly reduces the possibility of burning through the original metal.

Once the weld has been properly applied, the weld material is milled to the connection's originally specified diameter and the threads are re-cut.



**\*Please note that this procedure could be harmful to the threads of the connection and re-cutting of connection will be required. Prior to build-up, upset connection area must be at least 1 1/8" (32mm) longer than the minimum allowed for recut.**

#### Welding Parameters

**Process:** Gas Shielding GMA

**Shielding Gas:** 75% Argon/25% Co2 Only\*

**(DO NOT USE 98% Argon/2% O2)**

**Flow Rate:** 32-37 CFH (15-17.5 LPM)

**Wire Size:** .045" (1.14mm) Tube-Weld 110

**Preheat:** 80-100°F (27-38°C)

**Polarity:** DC STRAIGHT\* (Electrode Negative)

**Amperage:** 165 (165-190)

**Volts:** 21.5 (21-22)

**Oscillation Width:** 3/8" (9.5mm)

**AUTO STEP-OVER MUST BE USED\***

**Oscillation Speed:** 80-100 per Minute

**Overlap:** Minimum 1/8" (3.2mm)

**Rotation Speed:** 2.906" (74mm) 42 Sec/Revolution

3.438" (87mm) 50 Sec/Revolution

**Torch Angle:** 12° (10°-14°)

**Offset:** 3/4" (19mm) 3/4 to 1 (19-25mm)

**Stickout:** 1/2" (12.5mm)

**Max Interpass Temperature:** 800°F (427°C)

**Post Weld:** Slow Cool to Room Temperature

**\* 75% ARGON/25% Co2 GAS, STRAIGHT POLARITY AND AUTO STEP-OVER MUST BE USED FOR PROPER APPLICATION NO EXCEPTIONS!**

Packaging 25 lb Spool