## **AUTOCRAFT 309LSi**

- ▲ For the GMAW Welding of 23%Cr / 12%Ni Type Stainless Steels.
- ▲ Extra Low Carbon ( < 0.03% ) Weld Deposits for Resistance to Intergranular Corrosion.
- ▲ High Silicon level for Improved Arc Stability and Increased Weld Pool Fluidity and Edge Wetting.
- NEW Ultrafeed Matt Finish.

# Classifications:

AS 2717.3: ES309LSi.

AWS/ASMF-SFA A5 9: FR309LSi

# **Description and Applications:**

Autocraft 309LSi is a premium quality, low carbon 24% Cr / 13% Ni stainless steel wire for the Gas Metal Arc Welding (GMAW) of matching 309L type stainless steel.

Autocraft 309LSi is also suitable for a wide range of other welding applications including;

- The dissimilar joining of "300 series" and selected "400 series" stainless steel grades to mild or low alloy steels,
- An intermediate or buttering layer in the butt welding of clad steels,
- A stainless steel overlay on mild or low alloy steel.
- ♦ A 'buttering' layer prior to hardfacing.

The low carbon content ensures immunity from carbide precipitation and intergranular corrosion when welding low carbon stainless steel grades and the higher Silicon level offers improved arc stability, bead shape and edue wetting.



TYPICAL WIRE ANALYSIS:						
C: 0.02%	Mn: 2.10%	Si: 0.75%				
Cr: 23.75%	Ni: 13.75%	P: 0.020%				
S: 0.005%	Fe: Balance					

### FERRITE NUMBER:

10 – 15 FN

# TYPICAL ALL WELD METAL MECHANICAL PROPERTIES:

Argon + 1-3% O2:

0.2% Proof Stress 450 MPa
Tensile Strength 610 MPa
Elongation 36%

CVN Impact Values 90 J av @ -110°C

### COMPARABLE CIGWELD PRODUCTS:

Satincrome 309Mo-17 electrode AWS A5.4: E309Mo-17 Comweld 309L TIG rod AWS A5.9: ER309L Shieldcrome 309LT FCAW wires AWS A5.27: F309LT1-1/4

#### RECOMMENDED SHIFLDING GAS:

Ar + 1-3% O<sub>2</sub> or equivalent ISO14175: M13

• Ar + 2-5% CO<sub>2</sub> or equivalent ISO14175: M12

• Ar + 1-4% CO<sub>2</sub> + 1-5% H<sub>2</sub> or equivalent ISO14175: M11 (1)

• Ar + 1-4% CO2 + 35% He



All positional welding applications

### **Packaging and Operating Data:**

These machine settings are a guide only. Actual voltage and welding current used will depend on machine characteristics, plate thickness, run size, shielding gas and operator technique etc.

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Wire Diameter mm	Voltage Range (volts)	Wire Feed Speed (metres/min)	Current Range (amps)	Pack Type*	Pack Weight	Part No		
0.9	16-24	4.5-15.0	70-200	Spool	15kg	721276		
1.2	20-28	3.0-10.0	150-280	Spool	15kg	721277		

<sup>\*</sup> Spool (ø300mm).