

For welding of aluminum-killed steel for low-temperature service

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### **Applications**

Welding of aluminum-killed steel for low temperature used for LPG tankers and LPG storage tanks.

#### Characteristics

LPA-100 is an all-position extra low hydrogen type electrode for aluminum-killed steel to be used at low temperature.

The weld metal contains about 1.6%Ni.

Notch toughness of weld metal at low temperature (-40  $\sim$  -50°C) is stable and good.

#### Notes on usage

- (1) Pay attention not to exceed proper heat-input because excessive causes deterioration of impact values of weld metal.
- (2) Dry the electrode at 350~400°C for about one hour before use.
- (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) Keep the arc as short as possible.

# Typical chemical composition of weld metal (%)

С	Mn	Si	Р	S	Ni
0.06	1.10	0.54	0.010	0.010	1.65

# Typical mechanical properties of weld metal

YP	TS	EL %	IVJ (kgf-m)		DMUT
N/mm <sup>2</sup> (kgf/mm <sup>2</sup> )	N/mm <sup>2</sup> (kgf/mm <sup>2</sup> )		-30℃	-46℃	PWHT
530(54)	620(63)	30	140(14)	110(11)	-
500(51)	600(61)	31	150(15)	120(12)	620℃×1hr SR

## Size & recommended current range (AC or DC +)

Dia. (mm)		2.6	3.2	4.0	5.0
L (mm)		350	350	400	400
Amp.	F	55-85	90-130	130-180	180-245
	V&OH	50-80	80-115	100-170	150-200

· Tip Color: Yellow