

Aluminum Coated Electrodes

Oxford Alloy_® A105

SPECIFICATIONSAWS 5.3 **CLASSIFICATIONS**AWS E4043

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DESCRIPTION / APPLICATION

Oxford Alloy A105 aluminum electrode with 5% Si is for welding and repairing aluminum or aluminum alloys (AISi, AISiMg, AIZnMg, AICuSiMn, etc). For joining between aluminum and aluminum alloys , as well as aluminum castings. It can be used on engine blocks, cylinder heads, tanks, containers, frames, lorry tipper... Work pieces must be clean before welding; Preheat material more than 6mm in thickness to 150-250°C in order to prevent porosity, weld with short arc and guide the electrode at 90° to the work piece to be welded. Fast travel speed is preferred. Note: Alloy A105 electrodes are very sensitive to humidity pick-up; keep the opened container in dry place. In case of humidity pick-up, dry the electrodes 3H/100°C.

Typical Welding Parameters					
Process	Diameter	Volt	Amperage		
SMAW	3/32 (2.4mm)	21-25	50-70		
SMAW	1/8 (3.2mm)	21-25	80-100		
SMAW	5/32 (4.0mm)	21-26	110-130		

AWS Chemical Composition						
Si	Mn	Fe	Al			
5.0	0.50 max	0.5 max	Rem.			

TYPICAL MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

<u>Tensile strength:</u> 11,600 psi 8 0 MPa Yield strength: 18,850 psi 130 MPa

Elongation: >15%



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