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Consumable Selection Guide

Base Metal Class	Steel Grade ASTM, ENISO	LB (Covered Electrode)	DW (Flux Cored Wire)	
			0°C ~ -20°C	-40°C
Mild Steel TS: 490MPa YS: 355MPa API X52, X56	A516 Gr. 70 A106 Gr. B A572 Gr. 50	LB-52, LB-52U LB-52-18 KOBE-7018-1	DW-71T1 47J minimum at 0°C 27J minimum at -20°C	DW-100KS
TS: 550MPa YS: 460MPa API X60, X65	S450 J0 S460N S420 ML	LB-8018 LB-55U	DW-55SH (~ -60°C) DW-55L (~ -60°C)	

Manufacturing and Marketing bases in ASEAN and South Asia region



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FAMILIARC™

**FLUX CORED WIRE
FOR ALL
POSITIONAL
WELDING**



DW-71T1

Rutile type flux cored wire designed to weld mild steel and 490MPa high tensile steel using 100% CO₂ shielding gas.

- ▶ **VERSATILE**
- ▶ **CONSISTENT**
- ▶ **COMFORTABLE**
- ▶ **SMOOTH**

FAMILIARC™ DW-71T1 FLUX CORED WIRE

Applicable Specification

AWS A5.20 E71T-1C, ASME SFA-5.20 E71T-1C, EN ISO 17632-A: T42 0 P C 1 H10

Outstanding Features

- ▶ **Versatile** flux cored wire designed for all positional welding
- ▶ **Consistent** arc formation in wide current range 120-280A
- ▶ Flat weld bead is produced with easy slag removal and **smooth** wetting onto the plate
- ▶ Fast freezing slag formula ensures **comfortable** welding in fillet, butt & pipe joint
- ▶ Dedicated formula ensures less welding defect and **reliable** mechanical properties with low diffusible hydrogen
- ▶ Advantage of non-baked bright finish wire surface ensures trouble-free wire feeding and extended life of inlet conduit liner
- ▶ Aluminum package keeps wire from picking up moisture during storage

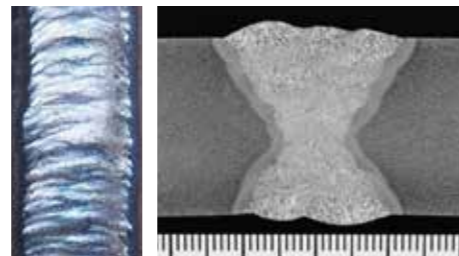
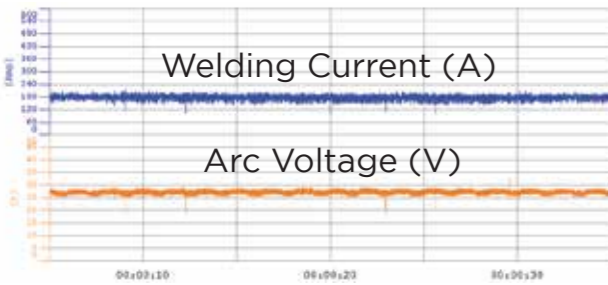
Bright Finishing Wire Surface

Smooth wire feeding is the key for a successful welding. Advanced metal lubrication technology produces "Bright finish" wire surface. The advantage of "Bright finish" wire is less friction along inlet conduit liner tube in wire feeding which leads to wire clogging frequently observed in baked wire. It also contributes to extend life cycle of inlet conduit liner tube.

Layer wound wire with constant cast and minimal helix avoids wavy weld bead. It is best suited for automated welding using carriage or robot as well as semi-auto process.



2F, 180A - 27.5V



Welding Condition:
Vertical up, 3G
180A ~ 26V

Typical Properties of Weld Metal

*Chemical composition of all weld metal (mass %)

	C	Si	Mn	P	S
DW-71T1	0.05	0.50	1.47	0.009	0.012
Specification	≤ 0.12	≤ 0.90	≤ 1.75	≤ 0.030	≤ 0.030

*Mechanical properties of all weld metal

	0.2% YS (MPa)	TS (MPa)	EI (%)	CVN (J) -20°C
DW-71T1	511	573	29	Avg. 108 (115, 106, 102)
Specification	≥ 400	483-655	≥ 22	≥ 27 at -20°C

*Diffusible hydrogen Contents (ml/100g)

	Ampere	Avg.
	230A	3.8
	270A	4.9

Test method: Gas Chromatography method (AWS A4.3)
Wire stick out: 25mm, Welding speed: 350mm/min.
Shielding gas: 100% CO₂ (25l/min.)

Application



▶ **Structural Steel** ▶ **Tank and Vessel** ▶ **Ship Building** ▶ **Pipe Works**

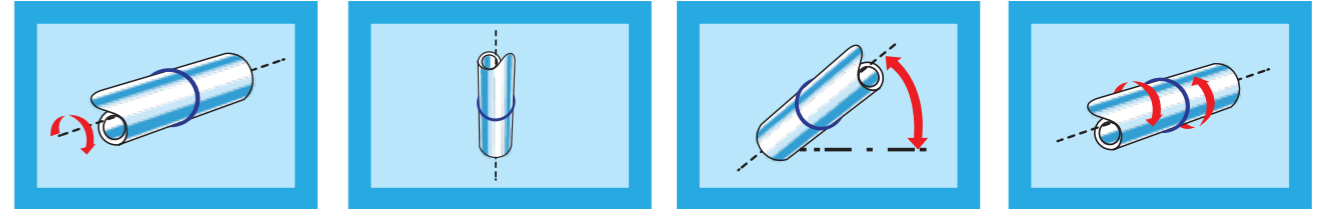
Applicable Power Source

Conventional Thyristor or Inverter type MIG/MAG power source is suitable with CV (Constant Voltage) mode.

Applicable Welding Position



*Pipe Welding Position



Wire Size and Applicable Welding Parameter

Wire diameter (mm)	Flat	Horizontal	Vertical Up Over Head
1.2	140 ~ 280A	140 ~ 280A	120 ~ 220A

In FCAW with CV power source, welding current fluctuates by CTWD (Contact Tip to Work Distance) at same wire feeding rate. The longer CTWD, the lower current is generated. CTWD should be kept constant during welding in order to attain a consistent result, especially shorter CTWD at 15-20mm is recommended for lower current range below 200A to achieve stable arc.

Certified Test Report

Trade Designation		Specification	Lot No.	Applicable Specification and Classification					
DW-71T1		1.2	0902T114794	AWS A5.20 E71T-1C					
Chemical Composition (mass %) ACCORDING TO EN10204 TYPE 3.1									
Elements	C	Si	Mn	P	S	Cr	Ni	Mo	V
Actual Result	0.07	0.55	1.48	0.013	0.013	0.01	0.01	0.02	0.01
Mechanical Property ACCORDING TO EN10204 TYPE 3.1									
Test Item	Tensile Test of Deposited Metal			Impact Test of Deposited Metal					
Test Content	Yield Strength	Tensile Strength	Elongation	Test Temp.	Impact Value				
Actual Result	502	572	38	-20	67 67 66 Avg. 67				
Welding Conditions									
Type of Current	Amps	Arc Voltage	Shielding Gas	Remarks					
DC-CP	280	34	CO ₂						

Chemical composition, tensile test result and impact test result of deposited metal are reported in Inspection Certificate (IC) for every lot complying to EN10204 TYPE 3.1.

Storage Guidance

Keep the wire in original packaging in the atmosphere free from water, dew or moisture. Once wire is partially used, spool should be dismantled from wire feeder and stored in dried condition to prevent moisture pick-up. Wire surface should be well covered & protected from contamination such as dirt or dust.