

## Rutile electrode

### Classification

AWS A5.1 :E6013  
 ISO 2560-A :E 42 0 RR 12

### General description

Rutile electrode, especially for down hand welding in structural steel  
 Smaller sizes most versatile for thin plate material  
 Very smooth appearance  
 Self releasing slag

### Welding positions

### Current type

AC/DC electr.-



ISO/ASME PA/1G PB/2F PC/2G PE/4G

### Approvals

ABS	BV	DNV	FORCE	GL	LR	TÜV
2	2	2	+	2	2	+

### Chemical composition (w%), typical, all weld metal

C	Mn	Si
0.1	0.6	0.4

### Mechanical properties, all weld metal

	Condition	Yield strength, (N/mm <sup>2</sup> )	Tensile strength (N/mm <sup>2</sup> )	Elongation (%)	Impact (ISO), J 0°C
Required	AWS A5.1	min.331	min.414	min.17	not required
	ISO 2560-A	min.420	500-640	min.20	min.47
Typical values after welding	AW	480	560	26	50

### Packaging, available sizes and identification

		2.0	2.5	3.2	3.2	4.0
	Diameter (mm)					
	Length (mm)	300	350	350	450	450
Unit:	Pieces / unit (nominal)	200	130	140	125	80
Box	Net weight/unit (kg)	2.4	2.8	4.8	5.8	5.9

Identification Imprint: Elex<sup>®</sup> RR 6013 Tip colour: red

Elex<sup>®</sup> RR 6013 :rev. EN 20

## Materials to be welded

Steel	Code	Type
General structural steel	EN 10025	S185, S235, S275, S355
Ship plates	ASTM A131	Grade A, B, D, AH32 to DH36
Cast steel	EN 10213-2	G P 240R
Pipe material	EN 10208-1	L210, L240, L290, L360
	EN 10208-2	L240, L290, L360
	API 5LX	X42, X46, X52, X60
	EN 10216-1/ EN 10217-1	P235, P275 P355
	EN 10028-2	P235, P265, P295, P355
Boiler & pressure vessel steel	EN 10113-2	S275
Fine grained steel	EN 10113-3	S275

## Calculation data

Sizes Diam.x length (mm)	Current range (A)	Curr ent type	Arc time - per electrode at max.current - (s)*	Energy E(kJ)	Dep.rate H(kg/h)	Weight/ 1000 pcs. (kg)	Electrodes/ kg weldmetal B	kg Electrodes/ 1 kg weldmetal (1/N)
2.0x300	40-65	AC	41	58	0.5	11.4	178	2.00
2.5x350	70-100	AC	51	134	0.8	21.1	93	1.96
3.2x350	100-140	AC	57	281	1.3	39.3	47	1.85
3.2x450	100-140	AC	69	341	1.5	49.6	36	1.79
4.0x350	150-200	AC	55	399	2.0	56.3	33	1.85
4.0x450	150-200	AC	69	483	2.1	66.9	25	1.67
5.0x450	180-250	AC	83	882	2.9	112.0	15	1.69

\*stub end = 35 mm

## Welding parameters,optimum fill passes

Welding position	PA/1G	PB/2F	PC/2G	PE/4G
Diameter (mm)	Current (A)			
2.0	50			
2.5	100	95	85	85
3.2	130	120	115	105
4.0	185	185	160	130
5.0	260	260		

## Remarks

Best choice for welding thin plates

## Application advice

High yield strength steels such as S355,L360,P355 and X60 preheat according EN 1011-1