



# WELDING PROCEDURE SPECIFICATION

<b>WPS:</b> 2010-xxxx-8-F00	<b>REV. NO.:</b> 0	<b>DATE:</b> 1/28/2015	<b>**APPLICABILITY**</b>
<b>WELDING PROCESS:</b> GTAW-	<b>CODE:</b> ASME IX	<b>OTHER:</b>	
<b>SUPPORTING PQR:</b> FCS-4-AR ASME-01			

**JOINT:** This WPS shall be used in conjunction with the General Welding Standards (GWS) and Welding Fabrication Procedure (WFP) sections and criteria for joint details, repairs, NDE, inspection, etc.

<b>Weld Joint Type:</b> Square Butt and Fillet	<b>Class:</b> Full & Partial Penetration & Fillets
<b>See GWS 1-06 and WFP's for joint details.</b>	<b>Preparation:</b> Machined
<b>Root Opening:</b> N/A	<b>Backing:</b> Gas
<b>Background Root:</b> N/A	<b>Backing Mat.:</b> N/A
<b>Bkgrd Method:</b> N/A	<b>GTAW Flux:</b> N/A <span style="float: right;"><b>Backing Retainer:</b> N/A</span>

<b>FILLER METALS:</b>	<b>Class:</b> N/A
<b>A No:</b> N/A	<b>F No:</b> N/A and N/A
<b>Insert:</b> N/A	<b>Size:</b> N/A N/A N/A N/A
<b>Flux:</b> Type: N/A	<b>Weld Metal Thickness Ranges:</b>
<b>Filler Material Note:</b> No Filler Metal Used	<b>AWS Root Pass:</b> 0 thru 0
	<b>AWS Balance:</b> 0 thru 0
	<b>ASME Root Pass:</b> 0.00 thru 0.22
	<b>ASME Balance:</b> 0.02 thru 0.22

<b>BASE MATERIAL:</b>	<b>P No:</b> 8	<b>Gr No.:</b> ALL	<b>to P No.:</b> 8	<b>Gr No.:</b> ALL
<b>Spec.:</b> SS- Pipe, plate, sheet & shapes	<b>Grade:</b>	<b>to Spec.:</b> SS- Pipe, plate, sheet & shapes		<b>Grade:</b>
<b>Qualified Pipe Dia. Range:</b> >=	<b>AWS:</b> 0	<b>ASME:</b> 0.125		
<b>Qualified Thickness Range:</b>	<b>AWS:</b> 0 thru 0	<b>ASME:</b> 0.02 thru 0.22		

<b>QUALIFIED POSITIONS:</b>	<b>AWS:</b> N/A	<b>ASME:</b> All	<b>Vert. Prog.:</b> Down/Up
<b>Preheat Min. Temp.:</b> 60	<b>GAS: Shielding:</b> Argon	<b>or</b>	N/A
<b>Interpass Max. Temp.:</b> 350 °F	<b>Gas Composition:</b> 100 / / %		N/A / / %
<b>Preheat Maintenance:</b> N/A °F	<b>Gas Flow Rate cfm:</b> 10 to 25		0 to 0
<b>PWHT: Time @ °F Temp.:</b> N/A	<b>Backing Gas/Comp:</b> Argon		100 %
<b>Temperature Range:</b> N/A °F to N/A °F	<b>Backing Gas Flow cfm:</b> 5 to 10		
	<b>Trailing Gas/Comp:</b> N/A		

<b>WELDING CHARACTERISTICS:</b>	<b>Tungsten Type:</b> EWTh-2	<b>Transfer Mode:</b> N/A
<b>Current:</b> DC and DCEN	<b>Tungsten Dia.:</b> .045 to 3/32	<b>Pulsing Cycle:</b> 0 to 120
<b>Ranges:</b> Amps: 21		<b>Background Current:</b> N/A
Volts: 7		<b>Braze Temp °F:</b> N/A to N/A
<b>Fuel Gas:</b> N/A	<b>Flame:</b> N/A	

<b>WELDING TECHNIQUE:</b>	For fabrication specific requirements such as fitup, cleaning, grinding, PWHT and inspection criteria, refer to Volume 2, Welding Fabrication Procedures.		
<b>Technique:</b> Manual	<b>Cleaning Method:</b> SS WOOL / ABRASIVE CLOTH		
<b>Single or Multi Pass:</b> Single	<b>Stringer or Weave Bead (S/W):</b> S	<b>Oscillation:</b> N/A	
<b>GMAW Gun Angle:</b> 0° to 0°	<b>Forehand or Backhand for GMAW:</b> N/A		
<b>No Pass &gt; 1/2":</b> N/A	<b>GMAW/FCAW Tube to Work Distance (in):</b> N/A		
<b>Maximum K/J Heat Input:</b> N/A KJ/in	<b>Travel Speed:</b>	<b>Gas Cup Size:</b> N/A	

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**PROCEDURE QUALIFIED FOR:**

Charpy "V" Notch: N/A

Nil-Ductile Transition Temperature: N/A

Dynamic Tear: N/A

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**Comments:** The use of this WPS requires authorization from LANL WPA or Designee and a job specific Welding Technique Sheet. This WPS is autogenous (no filler materials) manual welding of P8 materials.

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Weld Layer	Manual Process	Filler Metals	Size	Amp Range	Volt Range	Travel/ipm	Nozzle Angle	Other
1	GTAW-	N/A	N/A	21 to 50	7 to 16	0 to 12	0 to 0	
2			N/A	45 to 150	7 to 16	0 to 12		
3			N/A					
4			N/A					

**REM. \* Weld layers are representative only - actual number pf passes and layer sequence may vary.**

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