



G-TECH 347HB

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AUSTENITIC STAINLESS STEELS
347H

DESCRIPTION

Basic coated electrode for joining 321 and 347 base materials

One of the primary uses of this filler metal is for the joining of similar and dissimilar cryogenic steels for applications down to -269°C. This filler metal also exhibits good corrosion resistance in acids and seawater, and is particularly suited for corrosion conditions found in urea synthesis plants. The high Mn-content of the alloy helps to stabilize the austenitic microstructure and aids in hot cracking resistance. Typical applications include components used in chemical and petrochemical process plant and in power generation stations.

SPECIFICATIONS

EN ISO 3581-A	E 19 9 Nb B 42	AWS A5.4	E347-15
Shielding	-	Positions	PA, PB, PC, PD, PE, PF
Current	DC+;	Packaging Type	Carton box

ASME QUALIFICATIONS		FERRITE	PREN	HARDNESS
F-No (QW432)	5	2-9 FN	19.5	84HRB
A-No (QW442)	8			

CHEM. COMP. %	DEFAULT	MECHANICAL PROPERTIES	MIN. PER STANDARD			PRODUCT
C	0.06	Tensile strength R _m MPa		550		580
Mn	1.9	Yield strength R _{p0.2} MPa		350		420
Ni	9.5	Elongation A (L ₀ =5d ₀) %		25		25
Cr	19.5	Impact Charpy ISO-V		-		70J @ 20°C
Nb	0.75	Impact Charpy ISO-V		-		-
P	0.02					
S	0.01					
Si	0.8					
Cu	0.07					
		WELDING PARAMETERS	2.5 mm	3.2 mm	4.0 mm	5.0 mm
		Ampere	50A - 80A	80A - 110A	110A - 150A	160A - 210A
		Voltage	-	-	-	-
		Packaging	56 pcs/kg	28 pcs/kg	19 pcs/kg	12 pcs/kg
		Packaging Type	Carton box	Carton box	Carton box	Carton box

NOTES

Pcs/kg is indicative, actual number may vary ± 5%.



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APPLICATION

Material 347H is designed for welding high-carbon 18/8 type stainless steels, specifically titanium-stabilized and niobium-stabilized steels such as 321H and 347H. Its main applications include ****catalytic crackers (known as cat crackers), cyclones, transfer lines, furnace components, steam piping, headers for superheaters, and various components of gas and steam turbines****. These are commonly used in petrochemical plants, chemical processes, and power generation industries. It is important to note that alloy 16.8.2 has been developed as a more ductile alternative to 347H consumables, to mitigate problems in the Heat Affected Zone (HAZ) in service, particularly in 347H base materials with thicknesses exceeding 12 mm. Therefore, when welding thicker sections of 321H/347H, 16.8.2 consumables are preferred. For welding 321/347 intended for general applications requiring corrosion resistance up to approximately 400 °C, the use of 347 or 308L consumables is recommended. For cryogenic applications requiring a Charpy lateral expansion greater than 0.38 mm at -196 °C, it is recommended to use an unstabilized, low-carbon filler metal with controlled ferrite. No preheating or Post-Weld Heat Treatments (PWHT) are required, while the maximum interpass temperature is set at 250 °C.

ALLOY TYPE

Controlled, high carbon Nb stabilized stainless steel for elevated temperature service.

MICROSTRUCTURE

Austenite with 2-9FN, typically 4FN (solid wire typically 8FN).

MATERIALS

EN W.Nr.: 1.4941 (X6CrNiTiB18-10), 1.4961 (X8CrNiNb16-13), 1.4878 (X8CrNiTi18-10)

ASTM: 321H, 347H

UNS: S32109, S34709

