BLUE MAX® MIG 309LSI

Stainless ▪ AWS ER309Si, ER309LSi

KEY FEATURES

- High silicon level for increased puddle fluidity and toe wetting
- Proprietary surface lubricant for steady feeding and arc stability
- Q2 Lot® - Certificate showing actual wire composition and calculated ferrite number (FN) available online
- Controlled ferrite content for maximum corrosion resistance
- The same composition as Blue Max® MIG 309L with higher silicon content to improve the bead appearance and increase welding ease
- Excellent contour of the weld minimizes the need for grinding

CONFORMANCES

AWS A5.9/A5.9M: 2012	ER309Si, ER309LSi
ASME SFA-A5.9:	ER309Si, ER309LSi
ABS:	ER309Si, ER309LSi
CWB/CSA W48-06:	ER309LSi
EN ISO 14343-B:	SS309LSi
ISO 14343:2009:	(23 12 L Si)

TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

- Designed for joining stainless steel to mild or low alloy steel

WELDING POSITIONS

All

SHIELDING GAS

Short Circuiting Transfer:
90% Helium / 7-1/2% Argon / 2-1/2% CO_2
Axial Spray Transfer:
98% Argon/ 2% Oxygen

DIAMETERS / PACKAGING

Diameter in (mm)	25 lb (11.3 kg) Plastic Spool	500 lb (227 kg) Accu-Trak® Drum
0.030 (0.8)	ED023962	
0.035 (0.9)	ED019295	ED029770
0.045 (1.1)	ED019296	ED029771
1/16 (1.6)	ED019297	

MECHANICAL PROPERTIES[1] – *As Required per AWS A5.9/A5.9M: 2012*

	Yield Strength[2] MPa (ksi)	Tensile Strength MPa (ksi)	Elongation %	Ferrite Number
Requirements - AWS ER309Si, ER309LSi	Not Specified			
Test Results[3] - As-Welded	450 (65)	595 (86)	42	14

WIRE COMPOSITION[1] – *As Required per AWS A5.9/A5.9M: 2012*

	%C[3]	%Cr	%Ni	%Mo	%Mn
Requirements - AWS ER309LSi	0.03 max	23.0-25.0	12.0-14.0	0.75 max	1.0-2.5
Test Results[3]	0.03	23.5	13.7	0.28	2.0
	%Si	**%P**	**%S**	**%N[4]**	**%Cu**
Requirements - AWS ER309LSi	0.65-1.00	0.03 max	0.03 max	Not Specified	0.75 max
Test Results[3]	0.89	0.02	0.01	0.06	0.22

[1]Typical all weld metal. [2]See test results disclaimer [3]AWS Requirement for ER309Si is 0.12% max. carbon.

TYPICAL OPERATING PROCEDURES

Diameter, Polarity Shielding Gas	CTWD[5] mm (in)	Wire Feed Speed m/min (in/min)	Voltage (Volts)	Approx. Current (Amps)	Deposition Rate kg/hr (lb/hr)
Short Circuit Transfer					
0.035 in (0.9 mm), DC+ 90% He / 7-1/2% Ar / 2-1/2% CO_2	13 (1/2)	3.0 (120)	19-20	55	0.9 (2.0)
	13 (1/2)	4.6 (180)	19-20	85	1.4 (3.0)
	13 (1/2)	5.8 (230)	20-21	105	1.8 (3.9)
	13 (1/2)	7.6 (300)	20-21	125	2.3 (5.0)
	13 (1/2)	8.9 (350)	21-22	140	2.7 (5.9)
	13 (1/2)	10.2 (400)	22-23	160	3.1 (6.7)
0.045 in (1.1 mm), DC+ 90% He / 7-1/2% Ar / 2-1/2% CO_2	13 (1/2)	2.5 (100)	19-20	100	1.1 (2.8)
	13 (1/2)	3.2 (125)	19-20	120	1.5 (3.5)
	13 (1/2)	3.8 (150)	21	135	1.7 (4.2)
	13 (1/2)	4.4 (175)	21	140	2.0 (4.8)
	13 (1/2)	5.6 (220)	22	170	2.6 (6.1)
	13 (1/2)	6.4 (250)	22-23	175	2.9 (6.9)
	13 (1/2)	7.0 (275)	22-23	185	3.2 (7.6)
Axial Spray Transfer					
0.035 in (0.9 mm), DC+ 98% Ar/2% O_2	13 (1/2)	10.2 (400)	22	180	3.1 (6.7)
	13 (1/2)	10.8 (425)	23	190	3.3 (7.1)
	13 (1/2)	11.4 (450)	23	200	3.5 (7.5)
	13 (1/2)	12.1 (475)	23	210	3.7 (8.0)
0.045 in (1.1 mm), DC+ 98% Ar/2% O_2	13 (1/2)	6.1 (240)	23	195	2.8 (6.6)
	13 (1/2)	6.6 (260)	24	230	3.0 (7.2)
	13 (1/2)	7.6 (300)	24	240	3.5 (8.3)
	13 (1/2)	8.3 (325)	25	250	3.8 (9.0)
	13 (1/2)	9.1 (360)	25	260	4.2 (10.0)
1/16 in (1.6 mm), DC+ 98% Ar/2% O_2	19 (3/4)	4.4 (175)	25	260	4.3 (9.2)
	19 (3/4)	5.1 (200)	26	310	4.9 (10.5)
	19 (3/4)	6.4 (250)	26	330	6.2 (13.1)
	19 (3/4)	7.0 (275)	27	360	6.8 (14.4)
	19 (3/4)	7.6 (300)	28	390	7.4 (15.8)

[1]Typical all weld metal. [2]See test results disclaimer [3]AWS Requirement for ER309Si is 0.12% max. carbon. [4]Included in 0.50% max. for other elements not specified.
[5]To estimate ESO, subtract 1/8 in (3 mm) from CTWD.

IMPORTANT: SPECIAL VENTILATION AND/OR EXHAUST REQUIRED

Fumes from the normal use of some welding products can contain significant quantities of components - such as chromium and manganese - which can lower the 5.0 mg/m^3 maximum exposure guideline for general welding fume.

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TEST RESULTS

Test results for mechanical properties, deposit or electrode composition and diffusible hydrogen levels were obtained from a weld produced and tested according to prescribed standards, and should not be assumed to be the expected results in a particular application or weldment. Actual results will vary depending on many factors, including, but not limited to, weld procedure, plate chemistry and temperature, weldment design and fabrication methods. Users are cautioned to confirm by qualification testing, or other appropriate means, the suitability of any welding consumable and procedure before use in the intended application.

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