

Classifications

EN ISO 2560-A	EN ISO 2560-B	AWS A5.5M	AWS A5.5 / SFA-5.5
E 46 6 1Ni B 4 2 H5	E5518-N2 A U H5	E5518-C3 H4R	E8018-C3 H4R

Characteristics and typical fields of application

Basic coated, Ni- alloyed electrode with excellent mechanical properties, particularly high toughness and crack resistance. For higher strength fine- grained constructional steels.

Suitable for service temperatures at -60°C to +350°C. Very good impact strength in aged condition. Metal recovery about 115%. Easy weldability in all positions except vertical-down.

Very low hydrogen content (acc. AWS condition HD < 4 ml/100 g weld metal) with a moisture resistant coating.

Base materials

Constructional steels, pipe- and vessel steels, cryogenic fine-grained steels and special grades

S275N-S460N, S275NL-S460NL, S275M-S460M, S275ML-S460ML, P355N, P355NH, P460N, P460NH, P275NL1-P460NL1, P275NL2-P460NL2, L360NB, L415NB, L360MB-L450MB, L360QB-L450QB
alform plate 460M; durostat 400, 450, 500, durostat B2

ASTM A 203 Gr. D, E; A 350 Gr. LF1, LF2, LF3; A 420 Gr. WPL3, WPL6; A 516 Gr. 60, 65, 70; A 572 Gr. 42, 50, 55, 60, 65; A 633 Gr. A, D, E; A 662 Gr. A, B, C; A 707 Gr. L1, L2, L3; A 738 Gr. A; A 841 A, B, C; API 5 L X52, X60, X65, X52Q, X60Q, X65Q

Typical analysis

	C	Si	Mn	Ni
wt.-%	0.07	0.4	1.15	0.9

Mechanical properties of all-weld metal - typical values (min. values)

Condition	Yield strength $R_{p0.2}$	Tensile strength R_m	Elongation A ($L_0=5d_0$)	Impact energy ISO-V KV J	
	MPa	MPa	%	20°C	-60°C
u	510 (≥ 460)	600 (550 – 680)	29 (≥ 20)	200	120 (≥ 47)
s	470	580	27	180	

u untreated, as welded

s stress relieved 580°C/2h / furnace down to 300°C / air

Operating data

	Polarity	DC+	Dimension mm	Current A
	Electrode identification	FOX EV 60 8018-C3 E 46 6 1Ni B	2.5 × 350	80 – 100
			3.2 × 350	110 – 140
			4.0 × 350	140 – 180
			4.0 × 450	140 – 180
			5.0 × 450	190 – 230

Approvals

TÜV (01524), DNV, RMR, VG 95132, ABS, CE