

## STOODY® M7-G

### **Gas Metal Arc Welding Wire**

Stoody M7-G deposit is a molybdenum high speed tool steel similar to AISI M7 grade. This material is characterized by a high hardness (58 to 66 HRC) and excellent wear resistance. It can be used at elevated temperatures up to 1000°F (538°C), under conditions of moderate thermal shock.

#### **PREHEAT**

Preheat is dependant on base metal requirements. Preheat high speed steels from 750°F (399°C) to 1200°F (649°C). On base metal other than high speed tool steel, preheat and post heat accordingly. Maintain temperature during welding.

# OPERATIONAL CHARACTERISTICS/WELDING PARAMETERS (DCEP)

0.045" (1.2 mm)	
Current DCEP, amp	125 – 180
Voltage (volts)	18 – 20
Wire Extension, in (mm)	1/2 (12)
Shielding Gas	75% Ar / 25% CO <sub>2</sub>

1/16" (1.6 mm)	
Current DCEP, amp	200 – 300
Voltage (volts)	24 – 28
Wire Extension, in (mm)	1/2 - 3/4 (12 - 19)
Shielding Gas	75% Ar / 25% CO <sub>2</sub>

5/64" (2.0 mm)	
Current DCEP, amp	250 – 350
Voltage (volts)	25 – 29
Wire Extension, in (mm)	1/2 - 3/4 (12 - 19)
Shielding Gas	75% Ar / 25% CO <sub>2</sub>

#### TYPICAL DEPOSIT CHARACTERISTICS

Abrasion Resistance	Good
Impact Resistance	Good
Deposit Layers	2 – 3
Hardness, HRC	58 – 66

#### **ALLOY TYPE**

High Speed M7 Tool Steel

#### STANDARD SIZES & PACKAGING

Diameter	Packaging	Part #
0.045" (1.2 mm)	33 lb (15 kg) Wire Basket	11810800
0.045" (1.2 mm)	50 lb (22.6 kg) Poly Pak	11849400
1/16" (1.6 mm)	33 lb (15 kg) Wire Basket	11868500
1/16" (1.6 mm)	50 lb (22.6 kg) Poly Pak	11834200
1/16" (1.6 mm)	200 lb (90.7 kg) Half Pak	11917900
1/16" (1.6 mm)	400 lb (181.4 kg) NTP Drum	11925500
5/64" (2.0 mm)	33 lb (15 kg) Wire Basket	11916500

#### TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

- Hot and cold dies
- Blanking dies
- Piercing dies
- Tire shredders
- Cutting and shaving knives
- Shear blades
- Excellent for cladding high wear areas on equipment and also for building composite dies and tools.

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