## SANDVIK SHARK (G.E.T.) PRODUCT WELDING DOCUMENTATION

## WELD PROCEDURE SPECIFICATION WPS: SS-001 REV: 1 DATE: 06/01/14



Fig. 1. Double-bevel butt weld preparation

Material Thickness 32 and 50m; Root Gap b = 5mm +2/-2mm; Root Land c = 3mm +/- 1mm;  $\alpha$  = 35<sup>0</sup>

Note 1: Welding Procedure Qualification for 50mm Lip Plate qualifies welding of 32mm Lip Plate

Note 2: If 3-4mm root gap is selected, a special torch gas nozzle is required because of retricted access to root of welds.

Note 3: If 6-7mm root gap is necessary for dimensional control, consideration should be given to acquiring ceramic backing to support the initial root run on Side 1.

Preliminary: Ensure edge preparation on Cast Corner is as shown in Fig. 1. Grind as required. Cut edge of lip plate must be square and free of slag and rust. Grind as required.

Step 1: Preheat Lip Plate to 125<sup>o</sup> C for HARDOX 400, 150<sup>o</sup> C for Hardox 450 and 175<sup>o</sup> C for HARDOX 500 in regions where "strong-back" bars are to be welded using gas heating torch.

- Step 2: Stich fillet weld two (2) "strong-back" bars to Side 2 Lip Plate with half the bar lengths protruding for welding to Side 2 of Cast Corner.
- Step 3 Preheat edge of Cast Corner (in regions where "strong-back" bars are to be welded ) to 125<sup>o</sup> C for HARDOX 400, 150<sup>o</sup> C for HARDOX 500 while setting root gap at 3-7mm according to overall length dimension control.
- Step 4 Stich fillet weld strong-back bars to Lip Plate.

Step 5: Tack weld run-on and run-off tabs.

Note 4: Run-on and run-off tabs must replicate the geometry of the weld joint so as to allow the entire joint length to be uniformly filled.



Fig.2: Welding Side 1 / Backgouge and Grind Side 2 / Welding Side 2

Step 6: Progressively weld Side 1 until filled.

Step 7: Install 45<sup>°</sup> brace on Side 1.

Step 8: Turn assembly over and grind welds on strong-back bars to remove them from Side 2.

Step 9: Maintaining preheat at 125°C, back gouge Side 2 and grind to expose clean parent and weld metal.

Step 10: Allow to cool for MPI testing to ensure root of preparation is sound.

Step 11: Maintaining preheat at >125°C, progressively weld Side 2 until fully welded.

Step 12: T urn assembly over and remove angle brace.

Step 12: Maintaining preheat at >125°C, plasma- or oxy-cut off run-on tab and run-off tab, and grind to clean surface.

Step 13: Dress cut surfaces to remove all notches and clean up weld surfaces.

Step 14:Visual inspection prior to slow cooling to ambient.

Step 14: After cooling to ambient temperature, Visual and MPI testing of both sides and ends of joint to ensure no cracking.

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CLEANING: Wire brush or grind to achieve clean metal surface

INTERPASS TEMPERATURE: Not <125°C for HARDOX 400, 150°C for Hardox 450 and 175°C for HARDOX 500, and not > 220°C (If joint is incomplete and after completion - SLOW COOL to ambient)

TORCH SETUP: Face of contact tip must not be recessed within gas nozzle more than 5mm.

APPROACH ANGLE: Use PUSH TECHNIQUE with Torch Lead Angle of 10-15°.

ELECTRICAL STICKOUT (ESO): Maintain ESO at 18mm +2/-0

ARC STARTING: TOUCH START, run at constant speed and HOLD Welding Position for 2-4 secs after releasing trigger .

Process		Wire		Gas	Gas Flow Bate	Electrode			Material	Thickne	ss
CMAN			Shield						Quaimed		0
GMAW		1.2m	Ar+18 to 20%		16 L/min	AWS A5.18			HARDOX	32 & 5	U
				$CO_2$					400/450/500		-
									Cast Corner	32 & 5	0
									Spec –SS2000		
WELDING DETAILS											
Pass	We	ld	Side	Int	ter	Amps	Volts		Polarity	Travel	Heat
No.	Po	s		Pa	ISS				·	Speed	Input
				ter	np					mm/min	kJ/mm
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1-M	<b>1</b> G	ŕ	2	220° C	C max	240-260	26-28		DC+	320 -400	0.94-1.36
						TESTING					
SECTION 2.0 WELDING SUPERVISION DATA											
CONSUMABLE TREATMENT: Packaged spools in dry storage .							Welder MUST visually examine weld to				
Spools on wire feeders to be dry								ensure weld joiny is crack-free, absence of			
-				and	free of dirt/du	st.		exposed porosity, absence of undercut, and			
				Rus	ted wire to be	liscarded.		to ensure that smooth transitions from weld			
face to material surfaces have been achieved											n achieved.
POST-WELD TREATMENT: Remove weld spatter, silicate patches and wire											
brush surface											
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APPROVALS								
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CLIENT: SANDVIK SHARK (G.E.T.)	NAME: MARTEN KARLSSON, ENG. MANAGER	DATE:						
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