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## PREMIER S-6CF DATA SHEET

### Pinnacle Alloys Premier S-6CF

AWS CLASS ER70S-6

#### CODE AND SPECIFICATION DATA:

AWS A5.18 ASME SFA 5.18; UNS K11140

#### DESCRIPTION:

Pinnacle Alloys Premier S-6CF (copper free) is intended for both single-pass and multipass welding. They are especially suited for sheet metal applications, where smooth weld beads are desired, and structural and plate steels that have moderate amounts of rust or mill scale. These electrodes permit the use of higher current ranges with either CO<sub>2</sub> shielding gas or with mixtures of Ar and O<sub>2</sub> or Ar and CO<sub>2</sub>. However, these electrodes do require a higher level of oxidation than other classifications in A5.18 when using either binary or ternary argon shielding gas mixtures. Typical base metal specifications for these steels are ASTM A 36, A 285-C, A 515-55, and A 516-70, which have UNS Numbers K02600, K02801, K02001, and K02700, respectively.

#### CHARACTERISTICS:

- Excellent feedability and weldability performance.
- Superb feeding over long conduit distances and at high wire feed speeds.
- Welding fume is virtually free of copper or its oxides.
- More tolerant to mill scale and mild contaminants.

**DIAMETERS:** .035", .045", .052"

**WELDING POSITIONS:** All positions

Spray Transfer is recommended for use in flat position and for and horizontal fillet welds.



#### TYPICAL DEPOSIT COMPOSITION:

|                 | AWS Spec  | Weld Metal Analysis (%) |
|-----------------|-----------|-------------------------|
| Carbon (C)      | 0.06-0.15 | 0.07                    |
| Chromium (Cr)   | 0.15      | 0.043                   |
| Copper (Cu)     | 0.50      | 0.07                    |
| Manganese (Mn)  | 0.40-1.85 | 1.47                    |
| Molybdenum (Mo) | 0.15      | 0.007                   |

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|                |           |       |
|----------------|-----------|-------|
| Nickel (Ni)    | 0.15      | 0.027 |
| Phosphorus (P) | 0.025     | 0.015 |
| Silicon (Si)   | 0.80-1.15 | 0.87  |
| Sulfur (S)     | 0.035     | 0.012 |
| Vanadium (V)   | 0.03      | 0.005 |

NOTE: Single values are maximums.

#### TYPICAL MECHANICAL PROPERTIES:

|                           | AWS Spec (min)                    | As Welded                         |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Ultimate Tensile Strength | 70,000 psi (480 MPa)              | 80,500 psi (555 MPa)              |
| Yield Strength            | 58,000 psi (400 MPa)              | 63,960 psi (441 MPa)              |
| Percent Elongation in 2"  | 22%                               | 29%                               |
| CVN @ -20°F (-30°C)       | 20 ft•lb <sub>f</sub> (27 Joules) | 49 ft•lb <sub>f</sub> (69 Joules) |

#### TYPICAL WELDING PARAMETERS:

|                               | Diameter | Amperage | Volts | Shielding Gas                   |
|-------------------------------|----------|----------|-------|---------------------------------|
| <b>GMAW</b><br>Spray Transfer | .035"    | 280-320  | 27-30 | 98% Ar/ 2% O <sub>2</sub>       |
|                               | .045"    | 300-360  | 27-29 |                                 |
| <b>GMAW</b><br>Short-Circuit  | .035"    | 140-200  | 16-20 | 75% Ar/ Balance CO <sub>2</sub> |
|                               | .045"    | 160-280  | 18-30 |                                 |

**NOTE:** For out of position welding, decrease amperage by 15%. Maintaining a proper welding procedure, including pre-heat and interpass temperatures, may be critical depending on the type and thickness of steel being welded.

**NOTICE:** The results reported are based upon testing of the product under controlled laboratory conditions in accordance with American Welding Society Standards. Actual use of the product may produce different results due to varying conditions. An example of such conditions would be electrode size, plate chemistry, environment, weldment design, fabrication methods, welding procedure and service requirements. Thus the results are not guarantees for the use in the field. The manufacturer disclaims any warranty of merchantability of fitness for any particular purpose with respect to its products.

**CAUTION:** Consumers should be thoroughly familiar with the safety precautions on the warning label posted in each shipment and in the American National Standards A49.1, "Safety in Welding and Cutting," published by the American Welding Society, 8669 NW 36 Street, #130, Miami, FL 33126: OSHA Safety and Health Standards 29 CFR 1910 is available from the U.S. Department of Labor, Washington, D.C. 20210.

Pinnacle Alloys SDS sheets may be obtained on the website below.