# FabCOR® F6



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WELDING POSITIONS

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### FEATURES:

### BENEFITS:

- · Formulated specifically for automated and mechanized welding of galvanized steels
- Good arc characteristics
- · Higher deposition rates than solid wire
- Excellent gap-bridging capabilities
- Formulated and intended for use with DCEN polarity
- Strong and ductile weld deposit

- · Helps to minimize porosity while maintaining very high travel speeds
- Promotes consistent weld quality and appearance
- Increases productivity
- Suitable for automated and mechanized applications
- Minimizes risk of burn-through, improves deposition rate
- Suitable for the single-pass welding of a wide range of thin-gauge carbon and high-strength low-alloy (HSLA) steels

## **APPLICATIONS:**

- Non-alloyed and fine-grained steels
- Single-pass welding
- Thin-gauge steels (17ga minimum)
- Galvanized and zinc coated steels
- Aluminized coated steels
- HVAC fabrication

- · Automotive and transportation
- Storage vessels
- · Fencing and railing

WIRE TYPE: Gas-shielded, metal-powder, metal-cored wire

SHIELDING GAS: 75-95% Argon (Ar)/Balance Carbon Dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), 35-50 cfh (17-24 l/min)

Type of Current: Direct Current Electrode Negative (DCEN)\*\*

FabCOR F6 is suitable for use with both constant-voltage (CV) and pulsed-waveform (pulse/GMAW-P) modes

STANDARD DIAMETERS: 0.045" (1.2 mm)

**RE-DRYING:** Not recommended

STORAGE: Product should be stored in a dry, enclosed environment and in its original intact packaging

TYPICAL UNDILUTED WELD METAL CHEMISTRY\* (Chem Pad):

Weld Metal Analysis (%)	80% Ar/20% CO <sub>2</sub>	90% Ar/10% CO <sub>2</sub>	AWS Spec
Carbon (C)	0.13	0.13	Not specified
Manganese (Mn)	1.55	1.64	Not specified
Silicon (Si)	0.84	1.10	Not specified
Phosphorus (P)	0.009	0.010	Not specified
Sulphur (S)	0.016	0.012	Not specified

Note: AWS specification single values are maximums.

# TYPICAL MECHANICAL PROPERTIES\* (As Welded):

Mechanical Tests	80% Ar/20% CO <sub>2</sub>	90% Ar/10% CO <sub>2</sub>	AWS Spec
Transverse Tensile Strength	76,000 psi (524 MPa) (Base Metal Failure)	76,500 psi (527 MPa) (Base Metal Failure)	70,000 psi (480 MPa) Minimum
Longitudinal Bend Test Result	Conforms; no discontinuities	Conforms; no discontinuities	180° Bend w/ 0.75" (19mm) radius. Surface discontinuities must be <1/8" (3.2mm)

<sup>\*\*</sup> Direct Current Electrode Positive (DCEP) polarity used for classification purposes only.

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# TYPICAL OPERATING PARAMETERS (using Miller<sup>®</sup> Continuum ™ with galvanized Accupulse™ pulse program)

Diameter	Weld Position	Amps	Volts	Wire Feed Speed		Deposition Rate		CTWD	
Inches (mm)				in/min	(m/min)	lbs/hr	(kg/hr)	Inches	(mm)
0.045" (1.2 mm)	Flat, Horizontal & Vertical Down	225	19.5	300	(7.6)	7.5	(3.4)	5/8	(16)
0.045" (1.2 mm)	Flat, Horizontal & Vertical Down	250	20.5	400	(10.2)	10.2	(4.6)	5/8	(16)
0.045" (1.2 mm)	Flat, Horizontal & Vertical Down	275	21.5	500	(12.7)	12.8	(5.8)	5/8	(16)
0.045" (1.2 mm)	Flat, Horizontal & Vertical Down	300	23.0	600	(15.2)	15.2	(6.9)	5/8	(16)

# TYPICAL OPERATING PARAMETERS [using constant-voltage (CV) mode]

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Diameter	Weld Position	Amps	Volts	Wire Feed Speed		Deposition Rate		стир	
Inches (mm)		7 Timpo Tonto		in/min	(m/min)	lbs/hr	(kg/hr)	Inches	(mm)
0.045" (1.2 mm)	Flat, Horizontal & Vertical Down	200	19.0	185	(4.7)	2.8	(1.3)	5/8	(16)
0.045" (1.2 mm)	Flat, Horizontal & Vertical Down	250	20.0	300	(7.6)	7.4	(3.4)	5/8	(16)
0.045" (1.2 mm)	Flat, Horizontal & Vertical Down	300	21.0	460	(11.7)	11.7	(5.3)	3/4	(19)

- Maintaining a proper welding procedure including pre-heat and interpass temperatures may be critical depending on the type and thickness of steel being welded.
- Pulse waveforms are designed with nominal operating points that may result in average voltage and current values that differ from the above table. Generally, pulse processes can be expected to produce lower heat inputs than a standard CV process.
- See Above Tables: This information was determined by welding using direct current electrode negative (DCEN) polarity, 90% Argon (Ar)/10% Carbon Dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) shielding gas with a flow rate between 35-50 cfh (14-24 l/min) and
- 1.8 mm hot-dipped 60G galvanized material. For the higher CO<sub>2</sub> shielding gas mixtures within the recommended range,

increase voltage by 1-2 volts. Variations in welding power supply and pulsed waveforms (if applicable) used during welding may cause discrepancies between actual and listed amperage, voltage or wire feed speeds.

**AVAILABLE DIAMETERS AND PACKAGES:** For a complete list of diameters and packaging, please contact Hobart Brothers at (800) 424-1543 or (937) 332-5188 for International Customer Service.

Diameter Inches (mm)	33-lb. (15 kg) Spool	500 lb. (226.8 kg) X-Pak	1000 lb. (453.6 kg) X-Pak
Net Pallet Weight	2376 lbs. (1078 kg)	2000 lbs. (907 kg)	2000 lbs. (907 kg)
0.045" (1.2 mm)	S278312-029	S278312-050	S278312-058

#### **CONFORMANCES AND APPROVALS:**

- AWS A5.18, E70C-GS
- AWS A5.18M, E48C-GS
- ASME SFA 5.18, E70C-GS
- EN ISO 17632-A: T3T Z Z M M20 3, T3T Z Z M21 3
- EN ISO 17632-B: T43 Z TG 0 M20 A-G, T43 Z TG 0 M21 A-G
- CE Marked per CPR 305/2011

**TECHNICAL QUESTIONS?** For technical support of Hobart Filler Metals products, contact the Applications Engineering department by phone toll-free at 1-800-532-2618 or by e-mail at <a href="mailto:Applications.Engineering@hobartbrothers.com">Applications.Engineering@hobartbrothers.com</a>

#### CAUTION:

Consumers should be thoroughly familiar with the safety precautions on the warning label posted in each shipment and in the American National Standard Z49.1, "Safety in Welding and Cutting," published by the American Welding Society, 8669 NW 36th St., Miami, FL 33166 (can also be downloaded online at www.aws.org); OSHA Safety and Health Standards 29 CFR 1910 is available from the U.S. Department of Labor, Washington, D.C. 20210

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