

# **GEN 309LSi Welding Wire and Rod**

GEN 309LSi has the same chemical composition as GEN 309L with higher silicon content to provide better arc stability and improve bead appearance. GEN 309LSi is suitable for joining stainless steel type 304, 321 and 347. It is also widely used for cladding over carbon or low alloy steels.

## **CONFORMANCES**

AWS A5.9/A5.9M : ER309LSi ASME SFA-A5.9 : ER309LSi UNS : S30988

### **AWS CHEMICAL COMPOSITION (TYPICAL)**

%C	%Cr	%Ni	%Mo	%Mn
0.03 max.	23.0 - 25.0	12.0 - 14.0	0.75 max.	1.0 – 2.5
0.015	23.3	13.8	0.08	1.9

%Si	%P	%S	%Cu	
0.65 - 1.00	0.03 max.	0.03 max.	0.75 max.	
0.83	0.02	0.01	0.06	

#### TYPICAL WELD METAL MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

Tensile Strength : 87,000 psi 600 MPa Yield Strength : 60,000 psi 413 MPa

Elongation : 35 %

## **TYPICAL WELDING PARAMETERS**

Process	Diameter		Voltage	Amperage	Gas/Flux
TIG (GTAW)	1/16"	1.6 mm	14 – 17	90 – 130	100% Ar
	3/32"	2.4 mm	15 – 20	120 – 175	100% Ar
	1/8"	3.2 mm	16 – 20	200 – 330	100% Ar
MIG (GMAW)	.035"	0.9 mm	26 – 31	150 – 230	98%Ar – 2%O <sub>2</sub>
	.045"	1.1 mm	28 – 32	180 – 280	98%Ar – 2%O <sub>2</sub>
Sub Arc (SAW)	.093"	2.4 mm	28 – 32	300 – 400	
	.125"	3.2 mm	29 – 32	400 – 550	

<sup>\*</sup>All parameters are suggested as basic guidelines only and will vary depending on joint design, number of passes and other factors.

IMPORTANT: SPECIAL VENTILATION AND/OR EXHAUST REQUIRED

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