

OP CROMO F537 is a special agglomerated fluoride-basic type. Specially designed for the welding of creep resistant steels 2,25Cr-1Mo-0,25V and 2,25Cr-1Mo with main focus on maximum toughness values at low temperatures and high purity of the weld metal. Weld metal deposited with OE-CROMO S225 shows no reduction in toughness after “Step Cool” heat treatment and therefore the weld metal is not sensitive to “Temper Embrittlement”. The X-factor and J factor are very low. Exceptionally low silicon pick-up and neutral behaviour in terms of manganese are typical of the metallurgical properties of this flux. It can be welded on DC+ and AC at up to 800 A. As the bulk density of this flux is low, so is the rate of consumption. The flux can be welded with the twin-wire process and can also be used for tandem welding with two or more wire electrodes. Controlled X and J factor to satisfy step cooling requirement.

All weld metal creep test results have been performed, which allows the calculation of the wall thickness of the component, based on the properties of the base metal for operating temperatures up to 550°C.

To reach optimal toughness values welding should be performed on AC-polarity. OP CROMO F537 can be used in tandem, twin-arc and multi-wire applications.

Damp flux should be re-dried at 300-350°C. Grain size according to EN-ISO 14174: 2-20.

| Classification |        |                         |
|----------------|--------|-------------------------|
|                | EN ISO | 14174: SA FB 1 55 AC H5 |
| OE-S1 CrMo5    | AWS    | A5.23: F8P0-EB6-B6      |
| OE-CROMO S225  | AWS    | A5.23: F9P2-EB3R-B3R    |
| OE-CROMO S225V | AWS    | A5.23: F9P2-EGR-GR      |

| Flux Main Components |      |
|----------------------|------|
| CaO + MgO            | 40 % |
| CaF2                 | 25 % |
| Al2O3 + MnO          | 20 % |
| SiO2 + TiO2          | 15 % |

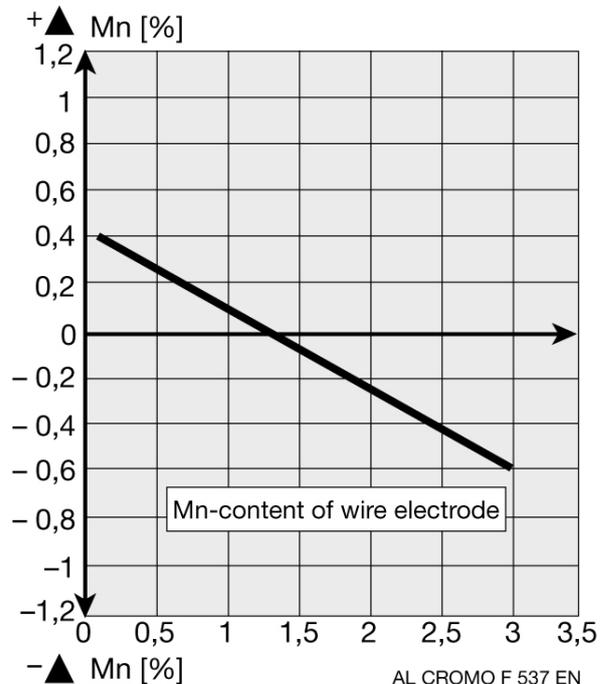
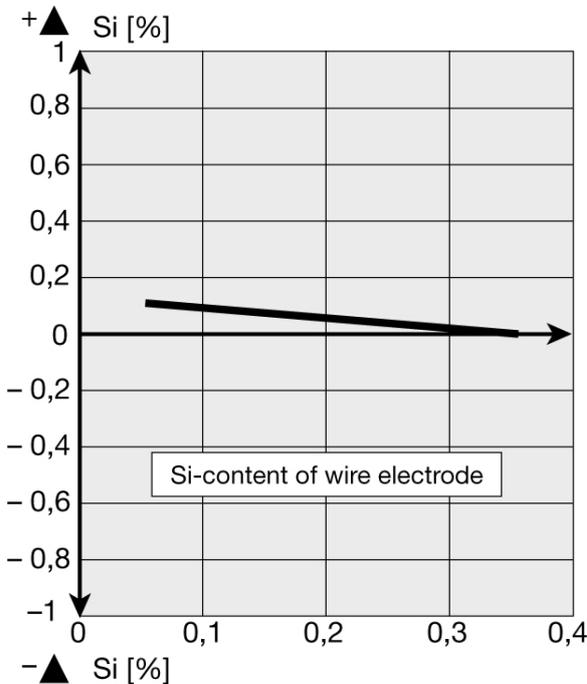
| Approvals     | Grade |
|---------------|-------|
| OE-S1 CrMo5   | TÜV ● |
| OE-S2 CrMo1   | TÜV ● |
| OE-CROMO S225 | TÜV ● |

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**Boniszewski Basicity** ~2.6

## METALLURGICAL BEHAVIOUR

Pick-up and burn-out of the alloying elements Si and Mn = f (alloy content of wire electrode)  
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### Chemical analysis (Typical values in %)

|                |                   | C      | Mn  | Si     | Cr  | Mo  | Nb   | V    |
|----------------|-------------------|--------|-----|--------|-----|-----|------|------|
| All weld metal | OE-S1<br>CrMo5    | ≤ 0.12 | ≤ 1 | ≤ 0.5  | 5   | 0.5 | -    | -    |
| All weld metal | OE-CROMO<br>S225  | ≤ 0.12 | ≤ 1 | ≤ 0.25 | 2.2 | 1   | -    | -    |
| All weld metal | OE-CROMO<br>S225V | ≤ 0.12 | ≤ 1 | ≤ 0.25 | 2.4 | 1   | 0.02 | 0.25 |

### All-weld metal Mechanical Properties

|                | Heat Treatment | Yield Strength (MPa) | Tensile Strength (MPa) | Elongation A5 (%) |
|----------------|----------------|----------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| OE-S1 CrMo5    | 760°Cx2h       | ≥ 470                | 550 - 700              | ≥ 20              |
| OE-CROMO S225  | 690°Cx8h       | ≥ 540                | 620 - 750              | ≥ 18              |
| OE-CROMO S225V | 710°Cx8h       | ≥ 540                | 620 - 750              | ≥ 18              |

### All-weld metal Mechanical Properties - CV

|                | Heat Treatment | Impact Energy (J) |        |        |
|----------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|--------|
|                |                | 0 °C              | -20 °C | -40 °C |
| OE-S1 CrMo5    | 760°Cx2h       |                   | ≥ 54   |        |
| OE-CROMO S225  | 690°Cx8h       | ≥ 100             | ≥ 100  | ≥ 50   |
| OE-CROMO S225V | 710°Cx8h       |                   | ≥ 27   |        |

## Typical applications

|                | Materials  |
|----------------|--|
| OE-S1 CrMo5    | ASME: A182 Gr. F5, A199 Gr. T5, A213 Gr.T5, A335 Gr.P5; A336 Cl. F5, A369 Gr. FP5, A387 Gr.5, Cl 1 and 2<br>EN: 12CrMo19-5, X12CrMo5 |
| OE-CROMO S225  | ASME: A387 Gr.22, Cl 1 and 2, A182 Gr.F 22, A336 Gr.F22<br>EN: 10CrMo9-10, 12CrMo9-10  |
| OE-CROMO S225V | ASME: SA541 Gr.22V, SA336 F22V<br>EN: 12CrMoV9-10  |

| Redrying       |
|----------------|
| 300-350°Cx2-4h |

| Current Conditions |
|--------------------|
| AC; DC+            |

## Packaging data

| Packaging Type | PE |
|----------------|----|
| Weight (kg)    | 25 |
| -              | ●  |