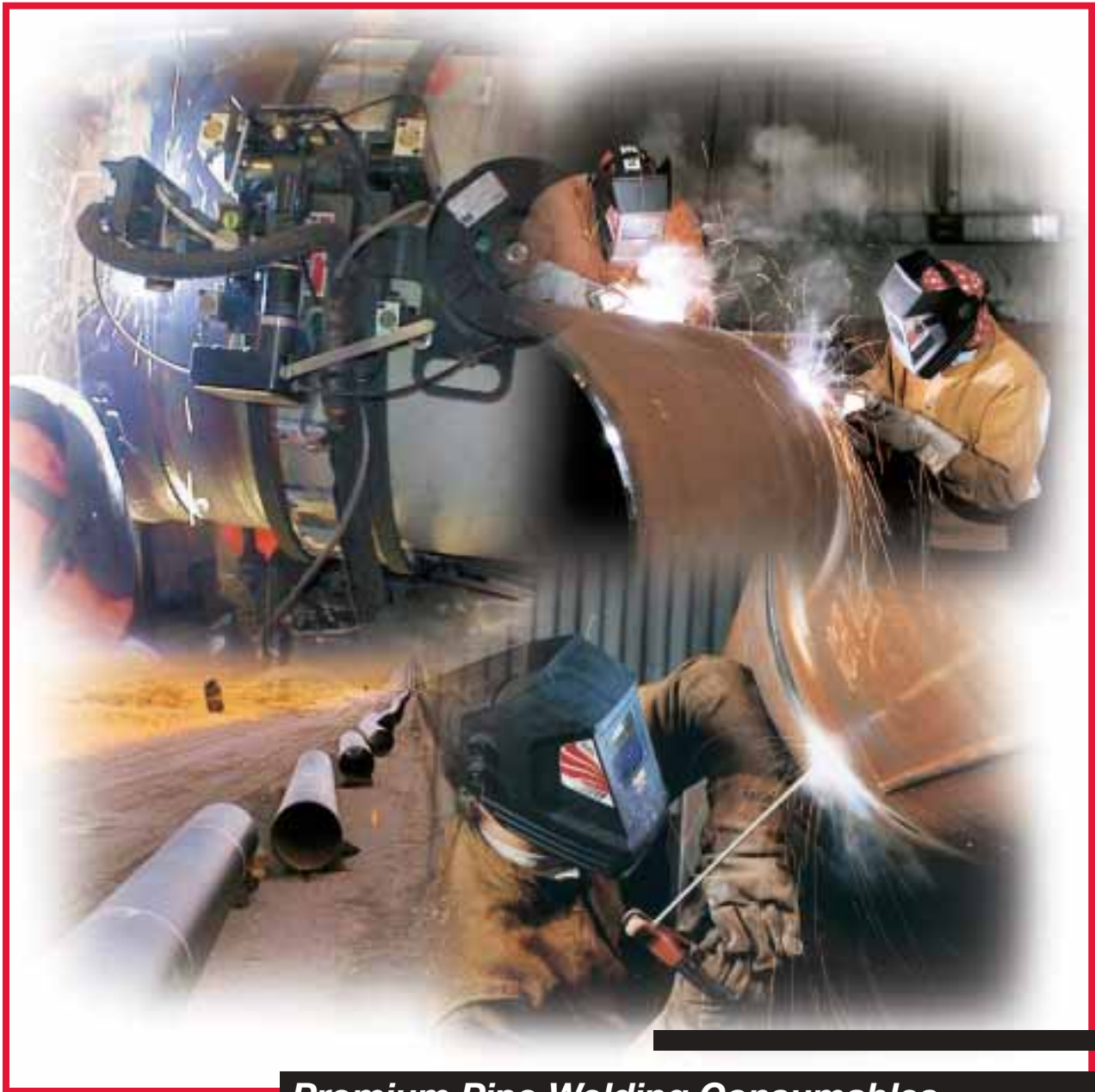


# **PIPELINER**<sup>TM</sup>



***Premium Pipe Welding Consumables***

**LINCOLN**<sup>®</sup>  
**ELECTRIC**

THE WELDING EXPERTS<sup>SM</sup>



## About The Lincoln Electric Company

*Lincoln Electric is the world's premier manufacturer of welding equipment and consumables. No company on earth is more focused on the ever-changing needs of the welding professional. Our business is all about helping companies make their welding operations more effective, more efficient, more profitable.*

*Lincoln is truly your "One Source" when it comes to welding. We're a company that continually rededicates itself to the equally important goals of exceptional quality, and exceptional service. Our field support team — with hundreds of field sales engineers and thousands of knowledgeable and responsive Lincoln distributors in countries all over the world — is the largest in the industry.*

*Innovative thinking. A quality and service-first attitude. Fresh approaches to design, manufacturing, and packaging. Worldwide strength. That's Lincoln Electric.*

## Pipeliner™ – The Clear Choice For Pipe Welding

**Pipeliner is the world's premier group of pipe welding consumables.**

Pipeliner is Lincoln Electric's family of premium Stick (SMAW), MIG (GMAW), Flux-Cored (FCAW) and Submerged Arc (SAW) consumables developed specifically to meet the rigorous demands of the global pipe welding industry. They are the most thoroughly tested pipe welding consumables on the market today.

### **Consistent performance**

Performance consistency tops the list of what contractors want from pipe consumables – and Pipeliner delivers. Lincoln Electric's Pipeliner manufacturing operations throughout the world are tightly controlled, and routinely pass quality-assurance audits by agencies and pipe welding professionals. This extraordinary emphasis on the integrity of Pipeliner's manufacturing processes results in consumables with unmatched performance characteristics and consistency.

*All Pipeliner products are lot-controlled and lot-tested, with actual certified test results.*

### **Packaging to meet the pipe industry's needs**

The world's best pipe electrodes deserve to be protected accordingly. So, Pipeliner electrodes are packaged in hermetically-sealed, moisture-resistant containers that ensure consistent performance — even when stored in the harshest environments.

### **Global support**

Pipe contractors need to mobilize and deploy resources quickly and efficiently — no matter to what corner of the world the next job calls them. That's why Lincoln Electric's global network of manufacturing and distribution facilities is such an important part of the Pipeliner story. Wherever your project, Lincoln is there with the products and support you need.

**Complete pipe solutions from the name you trust.**

By partnering with a single, comprehensive welding resource, pipe contractors find that they can improve efficiencies and maintain strong accountability.

For many of the world's most successful pipe contractors, Lincoln Electric has become that single-source welding partner. Why? Because Lincoln offers an exceptional array of well-designed and well-built pipe welding products, as well as the deepest pool of welding expertise and experience on earth.

Behind those products and that expertise is Lincoln's unique total process engineering approach to welding. It means that every Pipeliner consumable has been designed to work in harmony with all other Lincoln Electric pipe welding products — every Lincoln Electric wire feeder, power source, gun and cable assembly and accessory has been engineered with an eye on efficient, synergistic, system-wide performance.

That translates to less downtime, improved production rates, and higher profit potential on every pipe project.

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## Pipe Grades

The primary pipe grades are classified in accordance with the API 5L:2000 specification. This specification establishes requirements for two product specification levels – PSL 1 and PSL 2. PSL 1 includes mandatory requirements for

chemistry, ductility, minimum yield strength and minimum tensile strength. PSL 2 adds mandatory requirements for maximum yield strength, maximum tensile strength and Charpy impacts.

### PSL1

Grade	Yield Strength Minimum		Ultimate Tensile Strength Minimum	
	psi	MPa	psi	MPa
A25	25,000	(172)	45,000	(310)
A	30,000	(207)	48,000	(331)
B	35,000	(241)	60,000	(414)
X42	42,000	(290)	60,000	(414)
X46	46,000	(317)	63,000	(434)
X52	52,000	(359)	66,000	(455)
X56	56,000	(386)	71,000	(490)
X60	60,000	(414)	75,000	(517)
X65	65,000	(448)	77,000	(531)
X70	70,000	(483)	82,000	(565)

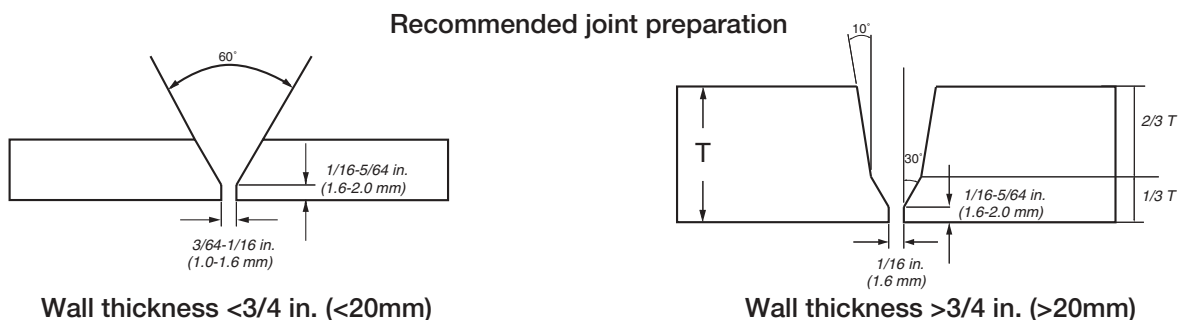
### PSL2

Grade	Yield Strength Minimum		Yield Strength Maximum		Ultimate Tensile Strength Minimum		Ultimate Tensile Strength Maximum	
	psi	MPa	psi	MPa	psi	MPa	psi	MPa
B	35,000	(241)	65,000	(448)	60,000	(414)	110,000	(758)
X42	42,000	(290)	72,000	(496)	60,000	(414)	110,000	(758)
X46	46,000	(317)	76,000	(524)	63,000	(434)	110,000	(758)
X52	52,000	(359)	77,000	(531)	66,000	(455)	110,000	(758)
X56	56,000	(386)	79,000	(544)	71,000	(490)	110,000	(758)
X60	60,000	(414)	82,000	(565)	75,000	(517)	110,000	(758)
X65	65,000	(448)	87,000	(600)	77,000	(531)	110,000	(758)
X70	70,000	(483)	90,000	(621)	82,000	(565)	110,000	(758)
X80	80,000	(552)	100,000	(690)	90,000	(621)	120,000	(827)

## Joint Design

A customary joint preparation is commonly called an "API" fitup. While this is not actually an API 1104 requirement, the figures shown in the specification are drawn to have a 60 degree included angle with a 1/16" (1.6 mm) land and 1/16" (1.6 mm) gap.

As an alternative, for thicker wall pipe (>3/4", >20 mm), a compound bevel can be used. The amount of material required to fill a compound bevel joint is less than a 60 degree included angle preparation, so productivity may be increased.



## Product Selection

The table below can be used as a product selection guide for each pipe grade. This table is for guidance

only and should be referenced against the appropriate construction standard for each contract.

API 5L Pipe Grades													
Products	AWS Class	A	B	X42	X46	X52	X56	X60	X65	X70	X80	X90	X100
<i>Cellulosic All Position Stick (SMAW) Electrodes</i>													
Pipeliners 6P+	E6010			■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Pipeliners 8P+	E8010-P1							■	■	■	■	■	■
<i>Low Hydrogen Stick (SMAW) Electrodes</i>													
Pipeliners 16P	E7016 H4			■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Pipeliners 18P	E8018-G H4							■	■	■	■	■	■
Pipeliners Lincoln LH-D 80	E8018-G							■	■	■	■	■	■
Pipeliners Lincoln LH-D 90	E9018-G							■	■	■	■	■	■
<i>MIG (GMAW) Electrodes</i>													
Pipeliners 70S-G	ER70S-G			■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
<i>Innershield® Self-Shielded Flux-Cored (FCAW-S) Electrodes</i>													
Pipeliners NR-207+	E71T8-K6			■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Pipeliners NR-207XP	E71T8-K6			■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
<i>Outershield® Gas-Shielded Flux-Cored (FCAW-G) Electrodes</i>													
Pipeliners G70M	E71T-1MJH8			■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	E71T-9MJH8			■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Pipeliners Autoweld G70M	E71T-1MJH8			■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	E71T-9MJH8			■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
<i>Submerged Arc Electrode and Flux (SAW)</i>													
Pipeliners L-61/860	F7A4-EM12K-H8			■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■

- Product Selection
- Root Pass Welding Only

## CONSUMABLE SELECTION GUIDE

Electrode Name	AWS Class	Recommended Polarity	General Description	Page No.
<b>Cellulosic All Position Stick (SMAW) Electrodes</b>				
Pipeliner 6P+	E6010	DC+	<b>Pipeliner 6P+ is an all-position cellulosic pipe electrode designed especially for vertical down root pass welding.</b> This electrode is based on a long-time favorite among cross-country pipeline welders.	8
Pipeliner 8P+	E8010-P1	DC+	<b>Here's an electrode that makes short work of even the most challenging high silicon pipe applications!</b> Pipeliner 8P+ is an outstanding choice for API 5L-X56 through X70 grade pipe. This electrode features high stacking efficiency – formulated to carry and deposit weld metal in difficult vertical down out-of-position applications.	9
<b>Low Hydrogen Stick (SMAW) Electrodes</b>				
Pipeliner 16P	E7016 H4	DC+ AC	<b>We designed this quality electrode for optimum performance for vertical up welding of pipe up to API 5L-X65 – especially where a low hydrogen deposit is desired.</b> Obtain Charpy V-Notch impact values down to temperatures of -20°F (-29°C).	10
Pipeliner 18P	E8018-G H4	DC+ AC	<b>A real workhorse for vertical up welding jobs up to X80 pipe!</b> Lincoln 18P offers low temperature impact properties down to -50°F (-46°C).	11
Pipeliner Lincoln LH-D80	E8018-G	DC+	<b>Choose Pipeliner Lincoln LH-D80 electrode when you need a dependable stick (SMAW) electrode for vertical down low hydrogen welding on pipe up to X70.</b> Operators appreciate the unique slag system that facilitates easy puddle control with virtually no slag interference.	12
Pipeliner Lincoln LH-D90	E9018-G	DC+	<b>The product of choice for vertical down, low hydrogen pipe welding for fill and cap passes of high strength pipe up to X80.</b> Operators will appreciate this electrode's unique "hot start" tip with outstanding puddle control.	13

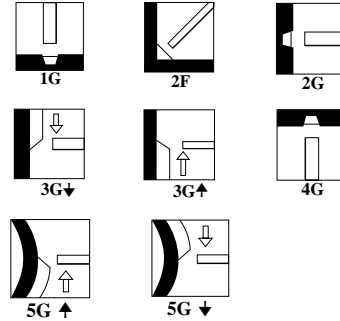
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Electrode Name	AWS Class	Recommended Polarity/ Shielding Gas	General Description	Page No.
<b>MIG (GMAW) Electrodes</b>				
Pipeliners 70S-G	ER70S-G		<b>Pipeliners 70S-G MIG (GMAW) wire electrode is especially intended and packaged for the needs of semiautomatic and automatic root pass pipe welding.</b> Delivering low hydrogen deposits, 70S-G exhibits an extremely fluid puddle for outstanding wash-in at the weld toes and uniform bead shape. Well-suited for use on API 5L-X56 through X70 pipe.	14
<b>Innershield® Self-Shielded Flux-Cored (FCAW-S) Electrodes</b>				
Pipeliners NR-207+	E71T8-K6	DC-	<b>Optimum performance on vertical down hot, fill and cap passes on standard cross-country pipelines and arctic grade pipe.</b> Excellent crack resistance, CTOD, and Charpy V-Notch properties. Recommended for API Pipe Grades X42 through X70.	15
Pipeliners NR-207XP	E71T8-K6	DC-	<b>For consistently high impact values, choose 207XP.</b> Optimum performance on vertical down, hot, fill and cap passes on standard cross-country pipelines and arctic grade pipe. Recommended for API Pipe Grades X42 through X70.	16
<b>Outershield® Gas-Shielded Flux-Cored (FCAW-G) Electrodes</b>				
Pipeliners G70M	E71T-1MJH8 & E71T-9MJH8	DC+ 75-80% Ar /balance CO <sub>2</sub>	<b>Pipeliners G70M is designed to deliver outstanding weld properties for semi-automatic applications.</b> Robust impacts mean consistently high CVN values.	17
Pipeliners Autoweld G70M	E71-T-1MJH8 & E71T-9MJH8	DC+ 75-80% Ar /balance CO <sub>2</sub>	<b>Pipeliners Autoweld G70M is specifically designed for use with the Autoweld pipe welding system to deliver outstanding weld properties.</b>	18
<b>Submerged Arc (SAW) Electrode and Flux</b>				
Pipeliners L-61 / 860	F7A4-EM12K-H8		<b>Pipeliners L-61/860 is well-suited for internal and external submerged arc pipe double ending welds on API 5L pipe grades X42 through X60.</b> The use of Pipeliners L-61/860 submerged arc wire/flux in double ending operations reduces the number of field joints per unit length and cuts time from your pipe laying project.	19

Pipeliners 6P+ is an all-position cellulosic pipe electrode designed especially for vertical down root pass welding. This electrode is based on a long-time favorite among cross-country pipeline welders.

- Manufactured under a quality system certified to ISO 9001 requirements.
- Manufactured to actual lot control. Actual certificates of conformance are available upon request.

**WELDING POSITIONS**



**ADVANTAGE LINCOLN**

- All-position; particularly good for vertical and overhead.
- Light slag with little slag interference for easy arc control. Easy slag removal, smooth bead.
- Deep penetration with maximum dilution.
- Capable of x-ray quality welds, even out-of-position.

**TYPICAL APPLICATIONS**

- Designed especially for all-position vertical down root pass welding.

**CONFORMANCE**

AWS A5.1: E6010  
 ASME SFA-5.1: E6010  
 CSA W48.01: E41010  
 EN499: E 42 3 C 25

**MECHANICAL PROPERTIES** - As Required per AWS A5.1-91

	Yield Strength psi (MPa)	Tensile Strength psi (MPa)	Elongation (%)	Charpy V-Notch ft•lbf (Joules) @ -20°F (-29°C)
<b>Required</b> AWS E6010 (as-welded)	48,000 (330) min.	60,000 (410) min.	22 min.	20 (27) min.
<b>Typical Results</b> As-welded	57,000 - 76,000 (393 - 524)	72,900 - 86,200 (503 - 594)	24 - 33	38 - 63 (51 - 85)
Stress-relieved <sup>(1)</sup> 1 hr @ 1150°F (612°C)	51,000 - 64,000 (352 - 579)	67,000 - 78,000 (462 - 538)	30 - 34	45 - 53 (61 - 72)

NOTE: Pipeliners electrodes are manufactured under lot control. A Certificate of Test showing actual deposit chemistry and mechanical properties per AWS A5.1 (DC+ only) is available on request from the factory for every lot of electrode. (Fax 216-383-8386).

<sup>(1)</sup> Data provided for information only – not part of AWS classification.

**DIAMETERS / PACKAGING**

Diameter mm (in.)	10 Lb. (4.5 kg) Easy Open Cans [ 60 lb. (27.2 kg) Master ]	50 Lb. (22.7 kg) Easy Open Cans
2.5 (3/32)	ED031649	
3.2 (1/8)	ED030845	ED030848
4.0 (5/32)	ED030846	ED030849
5.0 (3/16)	ED031652	ED031653

Manufactured in metric diameters, U.S. Customary sizes are approximate.

**TYPICAL OPERATING PROCEDURES**

Polarity	Current (Amps)			
	2.5mm (3/32")	3.2mm (1/8")	4.0mm (5/32")	5.0mm (3/16")
DC+	40 - 70	65 - 130	90 - 175	140 - 225
DC-	40 - 70	65 - 130	90 - 175	140 - 225

NOTE: This AWS electrode classification is not required to deposit weld metal that is low in diffusible hydrogen. Therefore, these electrodes should not be used in applications where the hydrogen content of the weld metal is required to be controlled.

**DEPOSIT COMPOSITION** - As Required per AWS A5.1-91

	%C	%Mn	%Si	%S	%P
<b>Requirements</b> AWS E6010				Not Specified	
<b>Typical Results</b>	.10-.20	.40-.65	.11-.30	.009-.020	.005-.025

Here's an electrode that makes short work of even the most challenging high silicon pipe applications! Pipeliner 8P+ is an outstanding choice for API 5L-X56 through X70 grade pipe. This electrode features high stacking efficiency – formulated to carry and deposit weld metal in difficult vertical down out-of-position applications.

**ADVANTAGE LINCOLN**

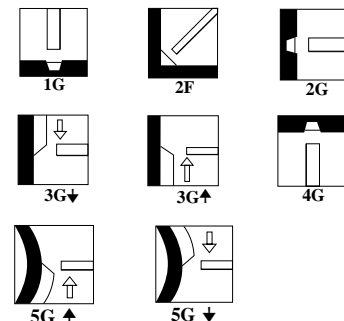
- Manufactured to metric electrode diameters – use anywhere in the world.
- Fill and Cap Consistency – Approved manufacturing sites deliver industry-leading consistency in composition and arc action.

- Excellent Resistance to Porosity – Repeated x-ray testing shows outstanding results.
- High Stacking Efficiency – Formulated to carry and deposit weld metal in difficult vertical down out-of-position applications. Fill joints in fewer passes.
- Exceptional mechanical properties – Consistent best-in-class performance.
- Manufactured to actual lot control. Actual certificates of conformance are available upon request.

**TYPICAL APPLICATIONS**

- Typical applications include high-yield pipe steels.

**WELDING POSITIONS**



**CONFORMANCE**

AWS A5.5: E8010-P1  
 ASME SFA-5.5: E8010-P1  
 ABS: E8010-P1  
 CSA W48-01: E55010-P1  
 EN499: E 46 4 1Ni C 25

**MECHANICAL PROPERTIES** - As Required per AWS A5.5-96

	Yield Strength psi (MPa)	Tensile Strength psi (MPa)	Elongation (%)	Charpy V-Notch ft.-lbs. (Joules) @ -20°F (-29°C) @ -50°F (-46°C)	
<b>Required</b> AWS E8010-P1	67,000 (460) min.	80,000 (550) min.	19 min.	20 (27) min.	Not Required
<b>Typical Results</b> As-welded	67,000-81,000 (460-559)	80,000-98,000 (550-676)	19-27	46-73 (62-99)	34-62 (46-84)

NOTE: Pipeliner electrodes are manufactured under lot control. A Certificate of Test showing actual deposit chemistry and mechanical properties per AWS A5.5 (DC+ only) is available on request from the factory for every lot of electrode. (Fax 216-383-8386).

**DIAMETERS / PACKAGING**

Diameter mm (in.)	4.5 kg (10 Lb.) Easy Open Cans [ 27.2 kg (60 lb.) Master ]	22.7 kg (50 Lb.) Easy Open Cans
3.2 (1/8)	ED030829	ED030826
4.0 (5/32)	ED030830	ED030827
5.0 (3/16)	ED030831	ED030828

Manufactured in metric diameters, U.S. Customary sizes are approximate.

**TYPICAL OPERATING PROCEDURES**

Polarity	Current (Amps)		
	3.2mm (1/8")	4.0mm (5/32")	5.0mm (3/16")
DC+	75 - 130	100 - 185	140 - 225

**DEPOSIT COMPOSITION** - As Required per AWS A5.5-96

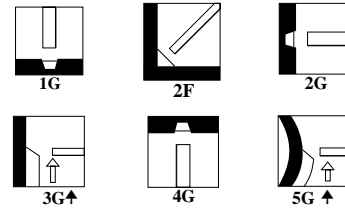
	%C	%Mn	%Si	%Ni	%Cr	%Mo	%V	%S	%P
<b>Requirements</b> AWS E8010-P1	.20 max.	1.20 max.	.60 max.	1.00 max.	0.30 max.	.50 max.	0.10 max.	0.03 max.	0.03 max.
<b>Typical Results</b>	.15 - .19	.60 - .85	.15 - .32	.67 - .85	.01 - .04	.15 - .30	< .01	.005 - .010	.008 - .015

NOTE: This AWS electrode classification is not required to deposit weld metal that is low in diffusible hydrogen. Therefore, these electrodes should not be used in applications where the hydrogen content of the weld metal is required to be controlled.

We designed this quality electrode for optimum performance for vertical up welding of pipe up to API 5L-X65 – especially where a low hydrogen deposit is desired. Obtain Charpy V-Notch impact values down to temperatures of -20°F (-29°C).

- Manufactured under a quality system certified to ISO 9001 requirements.
- Manufactured to actual lot control. Actual certificates of conformance are available upon request.

**WELDING POSITIONS**



**ADVANTAGE LINCOLN**

- Excellent low temperature impact properties.
- Square burnoff makes welding easier, especially in critical pipe welding applications.

**TYPICAL APPLICATIONS**

- Primarily designed for vertical up root and fill pass welding of high strength pipe up to and including API 5L-X65.
- Open gap root pass welding with 2.5mm (3/32") and 3.2mm (1/8") diameters using DC± polarity.

**CONFORMANCE**

AWS A5.1: E7016 H4  
ASME SFA-5.1: E7016 H4

**MECHANICAL PROPERTIES** - As Required per AWS A5.1-91

	Yield Strength psi (MPa)	Tensile Strength psi (MPa)	Elongation (%)	Charpy V-Notch ft•lbf (Joules) @ -20°F (-29°C)
<b>Required</b> AWS E7016 H4	58,000 (400) min.	70,000 (480) min.	22 min.	20 (27) min.
<b>Typical Results</b> As-welded	65,000 - 82,000 (448 - 566)	80,000 - 93,000 (550 - 641)	25 - 32	40 - 90 (54 - 122)

NOTE: Pipeliner electrodes are manufactured under lot control. A Certificate of Test showing actual deposit chemistry and mechanical properties per AWS A5.1 (DC+ only) is available on request from the factory for every lot of electrode. (Fax 216-383-8386).

**DIAMETERS / PACKAGING**

Diameter mm (in.)	22.7 kg (50 lb.) Easy Open Cans
2.5 (3/32)	ED030916
3.2 (1/8)	ED030917
4.0 (5/32)	ED030918

Manufactured in metric diameters, U.S. Customary sizes are approximate.

**TYPICAL OPERATING PROCEDURES**

Polarity	Current (Amps)		
	2.5mm (3/32")	3.2mm (1/8")	4.0mm (5/32")
DC+	55 - 80	75 - 120	120 - 160
AC	60 - 80	80 - 120	120 - 160

**DIFFUSIBLE HYDROGEN**

As Required per AWS A5.1-91

	(mL/100g weld deposit)
<b>Requirements</b> AWS E7016 H4	≤ 4
<b>Typical Results</b>	2 - 4

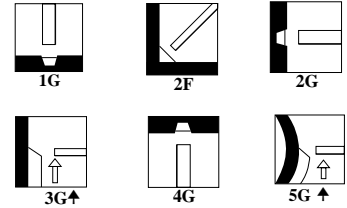
**DEPOSIT COMPOSITION** - As Required per AWS A5.1-91

	%C	%Mn	%Si	%S	%P	%Cr	%Mo	%Ni	%V
<b>Requirements</b> AWS E7016 H4	Not Specified	1.60 max.	.75 max.	Not Specified	Not Specified	.20 max.	.30 max.	.30 max.	.08 max.
<b>Typical Results</b>	.05-.08	1.0-1.5	.40-.60	.010-.020	.008-.015	.02-.05	.01-.03	.01-.05	.01-.03

**A real workhorse for vertical up welding jobs up to X80 pipe!**  
Lincoln 18P offers low temperature impact properties down to -50°F (-46°C).

- Manufactured to actual lot control. Actual certificates of conformance are available upon request.

**WELDING POSITIONS**



**ADVANTAGE LINCOLN**

- Low temperature impact properties down to -50°F (-46°C).
- Square burnoff makes welding easier, especially in critical pipe welding applications.
- Manufactured under a quality system certified to ISO 9001 requirements.

**TYPICAL APPLICATIONS**

- Primarily designed for vertical up fill and cap pass welding of high strength pipe up to and including API 5L-X80.

**CONFORMANCE**

AWS A5.5: E8018-G H4  
ASME SFA-5.5: E8018-G H4

**MECHANICAL PROPERTIES** - As Required per AWS A5.5-96

	Yield Strength psi (MPa)	Tensile Strength psi (MPa)	Elongation (%)	Charpy V-Notch ft•lbf (Joules) @ -20°F (-29°C) @ -50°F (-46°C)	
<b>Required</b> AWS E8018-G H4R	67,000 (460) min.	80,000 (550) min.	19 min.	Not Required	Not Required
<b>Typical Results</b> As-welded	88,000 - 94,000 (607 - 648)	99,000 - 105,000 (683 - 724)	28	74 - 83 (100 - 112)	57 - 59 (77 - 80)

NOTE: Pipeliner electrodes are manufactured under lot control. A Certificate of Test showing actual deposit chemistry and mechanical properties per AWS A5.5 (DC+ only) is available on request from the factory for every lot of electrode. (Fax 216-383-8386).

**DIAMETERS / PACKAGING**

Diameter mm (in.)	22.7 kg (50 lb.) Easy Open Cans
3.2 (1/8)	ED030919
4.0 (5/32)	ED030920

Manufactured in metric diameters, U.S. Customary sizes are approximate.

**TYPICAL OPERATING PROCEDURES**

Polarity	Current (Amps)	
	3.2mm (1/8")	4.0mm (5/32")
DC+	90 - 140	130 - 170
AC	100 - 140	140 - 180

NOTE: Preferred polarity is listed first.

**DIFFUSIBLE HYDROGEN**  
- As Required per AWS A5.5-96

	(mL/100g weld deposit)
<b>Requirements</b> AWS E7016 H4	≤ 4
<b>Test Results</b>	1 - 3

**DEPOSIT COMPOSITION** - As Required per AWS A5.5-96

	%C	%Mn <sup>(1)</sup>	%Si <sup>(1)</sup>	%S	%P	%Cr <sup>(1)</sup>	%Mo <sup>(1)</sup>	%Ni <sup>(1)</sup>	%V <sup>(1)</sup>	%Cu <sup>(1)</sup>
<b>Requirements</b> AWS E8018-G H4	Not Specified	1.00 min.	.80 min.	Not Specified	Not Specified	.30 min.	.20 min.	.50 min.	.10 min.	.20 min.
<b>Typical Results</b>	.04-.08	1.30-1.60	.30-.60	.005-.020	.005-.020	.03-.07	.30-.45	.70-.95	.005-.015	.03-.08

<sup>(1)</sup> Weld deposit must meet the minimum requirement of at least one of the elements listed.

# PIPELINER LINCOLN LH-D80 AWS: E8018-G Low Hydrogen Stick (SMAW) Electrode

Choose Pipeliner Lincoln LH-D80 electrode when you need a dependable stick (SMAW) electrode for vertical down low hydrogen welding on pipe up to X70.

Operators appreciate the unique slag system that facilitates easy puddle control with virtually no slag interference.

## ADVANTAGE LINCOLN

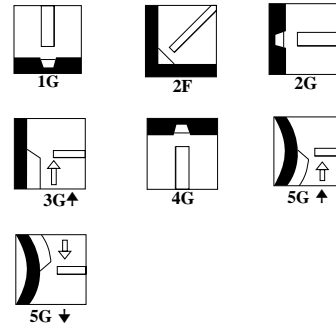
- Low temperature impact properties down to -50°F (-46°C).
- Unique hot start helps initiate the arc and quickly establish puddle control.
- Slag design allows for easy control of weld puddle.

- Manufactured under a quality system certified to ISO 9001 requirements.
- Manufactured to actual lot control. Actual certificates of conformance are available upon request.

## TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

- Primarily designed for vertical down fill pass welding of high strength pipe up to and including API 5L-X70.

## WELDING POSITIONS



## CONFORMANCE

AWS A5.5: E8018-G  
ASME SFA-5.5: E8018-G  
CSA W48.01: E55018-G

## MECHANICAL PROPERTIES - As Required per AWS A5.5-96

	Yield Strength psi (MPa)	Tensile Strength psi (MPa)	Elongation (%)	Charpy V-Notch ft•lbf (Joules) @ -50°F (-46°C)
<b>Required</b> AWS E8018-G	67,000 (460) min.	80,000 (550) min.	19 min.	Not Required
<b>Typical Results</b> As-welded	75,800 - 78,700 (523 - 543)	86,900 - 89,600 (599 - 618)	25 - 30	40 - 55 (54 - 75)

NOTE: Pipeliner electrodes are manufactured under lot control. A Certificate of Test showing actual deposit chemistry and mechanical properties per AWS A5.5 (DC+ only) is available on request from the factory for every lot of electrode. (Fax 216-383-8386).

## DIAMETERS / PACKAGING

Diameter mm (in.)	4.5 kg (10 Lb.) Easy Open Cans [ 27.2 kg (60 lb.) Master ]
2.5 (3/32)	ED030343
3.2 (1/8)	ED030344
4.0 (5/32)	ED030345
4.5 (3/16)	ED030346

Manufactured in metric diameters,  
U.S. Customary sizes are approximate.

## TYPICAL OPERATING PROCEDURES

Polarity	Current (Amps)			
	2.5mm (3/32")	3.2mm (1/8")	4.0mm (5/32")	4.5mm (3/16")
DC+	80 - 110	125 - 155	170 - 215	200 - 260
DC-	80 - 110	125 - 155	170 - 215	200 - 260
AC	90 - 120	135 - 165	180 - 225	210 - 220

NOTE: Preferred polarity is listed first.

## DEPOSIT COMPOSITION - As Required per AWS A5.5-96

	%C	%Mn <sup>(1)</sup>	%Si <sup>(1)</sup>	%S	%P	%Cr <sup>(1)</sup>	%Mo <sup>(1)</sup>	%Ni <sup>(1)</sup>	%V <sup>(1)</sup>	%Cu <sup>(1)</sup>
<b>Requirements</b> AWS E8018-G	Not Specified	1.00 min.	.80 min.	Not Specified	Not Specified	.30 min.	.20 min.	.50 min.	Not Specified	.20 min.
<b>Typical Results</b>	.05-.09	1.10-1.50	.30-.60	.005-.015	.01-.02	.01-.05	.01-.05	.01-.05	.01-.03	.03-.08

<sup>(1)</sup> Weld deposit must meet the minimum requirement of at least one of the elements listed.

The product of choice for vertical down, low hydrogen pipe welding for fill and cap passes of high strength pipe up to X80. Operators will appreciate this electrode's unique "hot start" tip with outstanding puddle control.

**ADVANTAGE LINCOLN**

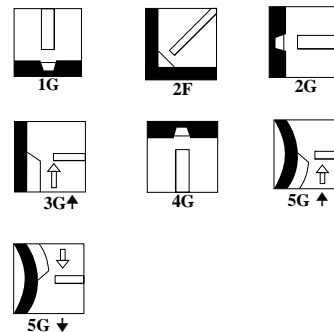
- High deposition rates and excellent low temperature impact properties down to -50°F (-46°C).
- "Hot start" tip helps initiate the arc and quickly establish puddle control, while slag design allows for easy control of weld puddle.
- Manufactured under a quality system certified to ISO 9001 requirements.

- Manufactured to actual lot control. Actual certificates of conformance are available upon request.

**TYPICAL APPLICATIONS**

- Primarily designed for vertical down fill pass welding of high strength pipe up to and including API 5L-X80.
- Any vertical down, single or multiple pass fillet and groove welds on high strength, medium and high carbon steel or low alloy steel.
- Can weld on all types of heavy or restrained mild steel joints.

**WELDING POSITIONS**



**CONFORMANCE**

AWS A5.5: E9018-G  
 ASME SFA-5.5: E9018-G  
 CSA W48.01: E62018-G

**MECHANICAL PROPERTIES** - As Required per AWS A5.5-96

	Yield Strength psi (MPa)	Tensile Strength psi (MPa)	Elongation (%)	Charpy V-Notch ft•lbf (Joules)	
				@ -20°F (-29°C)	@ -50°F (-46°C)
<b>Required</b> AWS E9018-G	77,000 (530) min.	90,000 (620) min.	17 min.	Not Specified	Not Specified
<b>Typical Results</b> As-welded	83,000 - 90,000 (572 - 620)	94,000 - 99,000 (648 - 683)	26 - 29	77 - 88 (104 - 119)	49 - 61 (66 - 83)

NOTE: Pipeliner electrodes are manufactured under lot control. A Certificate of Test showing actual deposit chemistry and mechanical properties per AWS A5.5 (DC+ only) is available on request from the factory for every lot of electrode. (Fax 216-383-8386).

**DIAMETERS / PACKAGING**

Diameter mm (in.)	10 Lb. (4.5 kg) Easy Open Cans [ 27.2 kg (60 lb.) Master ]
2.5 (3/32)	ED030347
3.2 (1/8)	ED030348
4.0 (5/32)	ED030349
4.5 (3/16)	ED030350

Manufactured in metric diameters, U.S. Customary sizes are approximate.

**TYPICAL OPERATING PROCEDURES**

Polarity	Current (Amps)			
	2.5mm (3/32")	3.2mm (1/8")	4.0mm (5/32")	4.5mm (3/16")
DC+	80-110	125-155	170-215	200-260
DC-	80-110	125-155	170-215	200-260
AC	90-120	135-165	180-225	210-220

NOTE: Preferred polarity is listed first.

**DEPOSIT COMPOSITION** - As Required per AWS A5.5-96

	%C	%Mn	%Si <sup>(1)</sup>	%S	%P	%Cr <sup>(1)</sup>	%Mo <sup>(1)</sup>	%Ni <sup>(1)</sup>	%V <sup>(1)</sup>	%Cu <sup>(1)</sup>
<b>Requirements</b> AWS E9018-G	Not Specified	1.00 min.	.80 min.	Not Specified	Not Specified	.30 min.	.20 min.	.50 min.	.10 min.	Not Specified
<b>Typical Results</b>	.05-.07	1.30-1.60	.30-.60	.005-.015	.01-.02	.01-.05	.01-.05	.60-.95	.01-.03	.03-.08

<sup>(1)</sup> Weld deposit must meet the minimum requirement of at least one of the elements listed.

Pipeliners 70S-G MIG wire electrode is especially intended and packaged for the needs of semiautomatic and automatic root pass pipe welding. Delivering low hydrogen deposits, 70S-G exhibits an extremely fluid puddle for outstanding wash-in at the weld toes and uniform bead shape. Well-suited for use on API 5L-X56 through X70 pipe.

**ADVANTAGE LINCOLN**

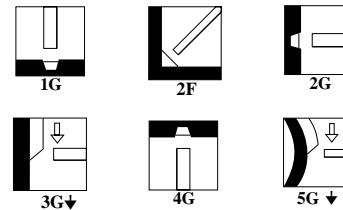
- Clean weld deposit.
- Uniform bead shape.
- Fluid puddle provides good wash-in at the weld toes.
- Manufactured to actual lot control and testing. Actual certificates of conformance are available upon request.

- Foil bag packaging guards against moisture.
- Manufactured under a quality system certified to ISO 9001 requirements.

**TYPICAL APPLICATIONS**

- Primarily intended for all-position root pass welding on pipe steels such as API 5L, 5L-X56 through 5L-X70
- Capable of consistent x-ray quality welds.
- Typical applications include high-yield pipe steels.

**WELDING POSITIONS**



**CONFORMANCE**

AWS A5.18-2001: ER70S-G  
ASME SFA-5.18: ER70S-G

**MECHANICAL PROPERTIES** - As Required per AWS A5.18:2001

	Yield Strength psi (MPa)	Tensile Strength psi (MPa)	Elongation (%)	Charpy V-Notch ft•lbf (Joules) @ 0°F (-18°C)
<b>Required</b> AWS ER70S-G As welded with CO <sub>2</sub>	58,000 (400) min.	70,000 (480) min.	22 min.	Not Required
<b>Typical Results</b> As welded with CO <sub>2</sub>	63,700 (439)	76,200 (525)	30	70 (95)

NOTE: Pipeliners electrodes are manufactured under lot control. A Certificate of Test showing actual deposit chemistry and mechanical properties per AWS A5.18 is available on request from the factory for every lot of electrode. (Fax 216-383-8386).

**DIAMETERS / PACKAGING**

Diameter in. (mm)	10 Lb. (4.5 kg) Plastic Spool in Foil Bag	30 Lb. (13.6 kg) Plastic Spool in Foil Bag
.045 (1.1)	ED030904	ED030905

**ELECTRODE COMPOSITION** -As Required per AWS A5.18:2001

	%C	%Mn	%Si	%S	%P	%Cu
<b>Requirements</b> AWS A5.18	Not Specified					
<b>Typical Results</b> Typical Range	.06-.15	.90-1.40	.45-.75	.035 max.	.025 max.	.50 max.

**TYPICAL OPERATING PROCEDURES**

Parameters	Diameter .045 in. (1.1 mm)
Polarity	DC+
CTWD <sup>(1)</sup> – in (mm)	1/2-3/4 (12-19)
Wire Weight – lbs/in (g/m)	NA
Wire Feed Speed – in/min (m/min)	125-500 (3.2-12.7)
Arc Voltage (volts)	19-30
Approx. Current (amps)	145-340
Melt-off Rate – lbs/hr (kg/hr)	3.4-13.2 (1.5-6.0)
Deposition Rate – lbs/hr (kg/hr)	NA

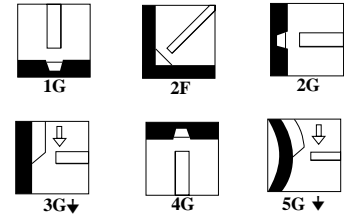
<sup>(1)</sup> CTWD (Contact Tip to Work Distance). Subtract 1/4" to calculate Electrical Stickout.

Optimum performance on vertical down hot, fill and cap passes on standard cross-country pipelines and arctic grade pipe. Excellent crack resistance, CTOD, and Charpy V-Notch properties. Recommended for API Pipe Grades X42 through X70.

characteristics and superior feedability.

- Manufactured to actual lot control. Actual certificates of conformance are available upon request.

**WELDING POSITIONS**



**ADVANTAGE LINCOLN**

- Produces quality welds in moderate wind conditions with no tenting.
- Our quality driven manufacturing system – certified to ISO 9001 – and our exceptionally high grade raw materials mean every coil of Innershield delivers great arc

**TYPICAL APPLICATIONS**

- Standard cross country pipelines.
- Arctic grade pipe.
- Use these wires instead of stick for improved productivity on pipeline projects.

**CONFORMANCE**

AWS A5.29-98: E71T8-K6  
ASME SFA-5.29: E71T8-K6

**MECHANICAL PROPERTIES** - As Required per AWS A5.29-98

	Yield Strength psi (MPa)	Tensile Strength <sup>(1)</sup> psi (MPa)	Elongation <sup>(1)</sup> (%)	Charpy V-Notch ft•lbf (Joules)		Hardness Rockwell B
				@ -20°F (-29°C)	@-40°F (-40°C)	
<b>Requirements</b> AWS E71T-K6	58,000 (400) min.	70,000 - 90,000 (483 - 620)	20 min.	20 (27) min.	Not Required	Not Required
<b>Typical Results</b>	58,000 - 64,000 (400 - 441)	75,000 - 80,000 (517 - 551)	20 - 33	103 - 116 (176 - 230)	109 (147)	84 - 90

NOTE: Pipeliner electrodes are manufactured under lot control. A Certificate of Test showing actual deposit chemistry and mechanical properties per AWS A5.29 is available on request from the factory for every lot of electrode. (Fax 216-383-8386).

<sup>(1)</sup> The strength and elongation properties reported were obtained from a .505" tensile specimen artificially aged at 220°F (104°C) for 48 hours, as permitted by AWS A5.29-98. A naturally aged tensile specimen may take months to achieve the specified properties. The time required for the natural aging of weld deposits is dependent upon ambient conditions, weldment geometry, the metallurgical structure of the weld deposit and other factors.

**DIAMETERS / PACKAGING**

Diameter in. (mm)	14 Lb. (6.3 kg) Coil [ 56 Lb. (25.4 kg) Master Sealed Pail ]
5/64 (2.0)	ED030924

**TYPICAL OPERATING PROCEDURES**

Parameters	Diameter 5/64 in. (2.0 mm)
Polarity	DC-
CTWD <sup>(1)</sup> – in (mm)	3/4 (19)
Wire Weight – lbs/in (g/m)	1.04/1000 (18.57)
Wire Feed Speed – in/min (m/min)	70-130 (1.7-3.3)
Arc Voltage (volts)	18-21
Approx. Current (amps)	210-305
Melt-off Rate – lbs/hr (kg/hr)	4.3-8.1 (2.0-3.7)
Deposition Rate – lbs/hr (kg/hr)	3.6-6.7 (1.6-3.0)

<sup>(1)</sup> CTWD (Contact Tip to Work Distance). Subtract 1/4" to calculate Electrical Stickout.

**DEPOSIT COMPOSITION** - As Required per AWS A5.29-98

	%C	%Mn	%P	%S	%Si	%Al	%Ni	%Cr	%Mo	%V
<b>Requirements</b> AWS E71T8-K6	.15 max.	.50- 1.50	.03 max.	.03 max.	.80 max.	1.80 max.	.40- 1.00	.20 max.	.15 max.	.05 max.
<b>Typical Results</b>	.06	1.21	.007	<.003	.25	.96	.82	.03	.02	<.01

For consistently high impact values, choose 207XP. Optimum performance on vertical down, hot, fill and cap passes on standard cross-country pipelines and arctic grade pipe. Recommended for API Pipe Grades X42 through X70.

**ADVANTAGE LINCOLN**

- Consistently high CVN properties, even down to -40°F (-40°C).
- Virtually eliminates CVN values below 42 ft•lbf (56 joules).
- Self-shielded, flux-cored. No need for external gas or flux.
- Produces quality welds in moderate wind conditions with no tenting.

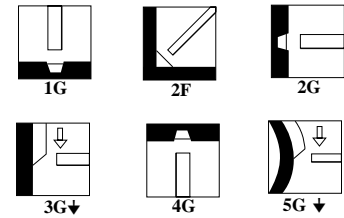
• Our quality driven manufacturing system – certified to ISO 9001 – and our exceptionally high grade raw materials mean every coil of Innershield delivers great arc characteristics and superior feedability.

• Manufactured to actual lot control. Actual certificates of conformance are available upon request.

**TYPICAL APPLICATIONS**

- Suggested for use on applications demanding consistently high toughness.
- Standard cross country pipelines.
- Arctic grade pipe.

**WELDING POSITIONS**



**CONFORMANCE**

AWS A5.29-98: E71T8-K6  
ASME SFA-5.29: E71T8-K6

**MECHANICAL PROPERTIES** - As Required per AWS A5.29-98 (Standard AWS Test Plate)

	Yield Strength psi (MPa)	Tensile Strength <sup>(1)</sup> psi (MPa)	Elongation <sup>(1)</sup> (%)	Charpy V-Notch ft•lbf (Joules) <sup>(2)</sup>		Hardness Rockwell B
				@ -20°F (-29°C)	@ -40°F (-40°C)	
<b>Requirements</b> AWS E71T8-K6	58,000 (400) min.	70,000 - 90,000 (483 - 620)	20 min.	20 (27) min.	Not Required	Not Required
<b>Typical Results</b>	63,000 (434)	79,000 (545)	30	173 - 251 (234 - 340)	147 (199)	NA

NOTE: Pipeliner electrodes are manufactured under lot control. A Certificate of Test showing actual deposit chemistry and mechanical properties per AWS A5.29 is available on request from the factory for every lot of electrode. (Fax 216-383-8386).

<sup>(1)</sup> The strength and elongation properties reported were obtained from a .505" tensile specimen artificially aged at 220°F (104°C) for 48 hours, as permitted by AWS A5.29-98. A naturally aged tensile specimen may take months to achieve the specified properties. The time required for the natural aging of weld deposits is dependent upon ambient conditions, weldment geometry, the metallurgical structure of the weld deposit and other factors.

<sup>(2)</sup> Standard testing completed to AWS test plate specifications.

Figure 1 below shows results on a simulated pipe joint.

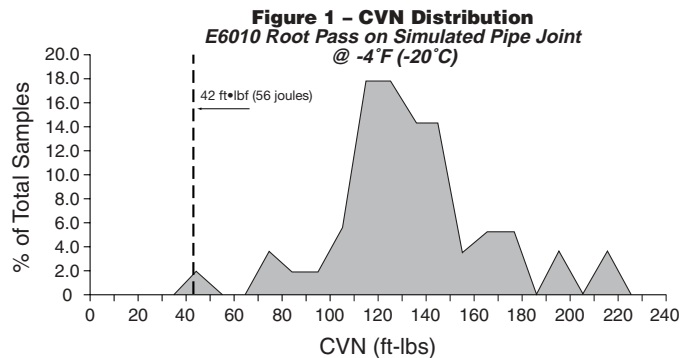
**DIAMETERS / PACKAGING**

Diameter in. (mm)	14 Lb. (6.3 kg) Coil [ 56 Lb. (25.4 kg) Master Sealed Pail ]
5/64 (2.0)	ED030925

Typical Operating Procedures – See page 16.

**DEPOSIT COMPOSITION** - As Required per AWS A5.29

	%C	%Mn	%P	%S	%Si	%Al	%Ni	%Cr	%Mo	%V
<b>Requirements</b> AWS E71T8-K6	.15 max.	.50- 1.50	.03 max.	.03 max.	.80 max.	1.80 max.	.40- 1.00	.20 max.	.15 max.	.05 max.
<b>Typical Results</b>	.055	.98	.009	<.003	.07	.80	.61	.04	.03	<.003



NR-207XP virtually eliminates CVN values below 42 ft•lbf (56 joules).

Pipeliners G70M is designed to deliver outstanding weld properties for semi-automatic applications. Robust impacts mean consistently high CVN values.

**ADVANTAGE LINCOLN**

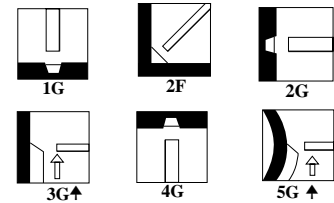
- Impacts are typically in the 60 ft•lbf @ -20°F (-29°C), as-welded.
- Smooth, spray type arc transfer and low spatter level.
- Slag system provides for puddle support, good wetting and bead shape in all positions.

- Manufactured under a quality system certified to ISO 9001 requirements.
- Manufactured to actual lot control. Actual certificates of conformance are available upon request.

**TYPICAL APPLICATIONS**

- All position single and multiple pass wire designed to join pipe up to X70.

**WELDING POSITIONS**



**SHIELDING GAS**

75-80% Ar / Balance CO<sub>2</sub>  
Flow Rate 40-50 CFH (19-24 l/min.)

**CONFORMANCE**

AWS A5.20-95: E71T-1MJH8  
E71T-9MJH8  
ASME SFA-5.20: E71T-1MJH8  
E71T-9MJH8

**MECHANICAL PROPERTIES** - As Required per AWS A5.20-95

	Yield Strength psi (MPa)	Tensile Strength psi (MPa)	Elongation (%)	Charpy V-Notch ft•lbf (Joules) @ -40°F (-40°C)
<b>Required</b> AWS E71T-1MJH8 & E71T-9MJH8	58,000 (400) min.	70,000 (480) min.	22 min.	20 (27) min.
<b>Typical Results</b> 75% Ar / 25% CO <sub>2</sub>	80,000 (550)	89,000 (612)	26	78 (106)

NOTE: Pipeliners electrodes are manufactured under lot control. A Certificate of Test showing actual deposit chemistry and mechanical properties per AWS A5.20 is available on request from the factory for every lot of electrode. (Fax 216-383-8386).

**DIAMETERS / PACKAGING**

Diameter in. (mm)	10 Lb. (4.5 kg) Plastic Spool Foil Bag	25 Lb. (11 kg) Plastic Spool Foil Bag
.045 (1.1)	ED030926	ED030927

**TYPICAL OPERATING PROCEDURES**

Parameters	Diameter .045 in. (1.1 mm)
Polarity	DC+
CTWD <sup>(1)</sup> – in. (mm)	3/4 (19)
Wire Weight – lbs/in. (g/m)	.361/1000 (6.45)
Wire Feed Speed – in/min (m/min)	175-525 (4.4-13.3)
Arc Voltage (volts)	23-30
Approx. Current (amps)	130-275
Melt-off Rate – lbs/hr (kg/hr)	3.9-11.9 (1.8-5.4)
Deposition Rate – lbs/hr (kg/hr)	3.2-9.8 (1.4-4.4)

**DEPOSIT COMPOSITION** - As Required per AWS A5.20-95

	%C	%Mn	%P	%S	%Si	%Ni
<b>Requirements</b>						
AWS E71T-1MJH8	.18	1.75	.03	.03	.90	.50
AWS E71T-9MJH8	max.	max.	max.	max.	max.	max.
<b>Typical Results</b>						
75% Ar / 25% CO <sub>2</sub>	.05	1.60	.013	.011	.45	.36

**DIFFUSIBLE HYDROGEN**

- As Required per AWS A5.20-95

	(mL/100g weld deposit)
<b>Requirements</b>	
E71T-1MJH8 & E71T-9MJH8	≤ 8
<b>Typical Results</b>	
75-80% Ar/CO <sub>2</sub>	4 - 8

<sup>(1)</sup> CTWD (Contact Tip to Work Distance). Subtract 1/4" to calculate Electrical Stickout.

Pipeliners Autoweld G70M is specifically designed for use with the Autoweld pipe welding system to deliver outstanding weld properties.

**ADVANTAGE LINCOLN**

- Specifically designed for use with Autoweld™ pipe welding system on pipe up to X70.
- Tightly controlled cast and helix assure proper wire placement every time.
- Excellent mechanical properties — impacts are normally in the 60 ft•lbf @ -20°F (-29°C), as welded.

- Smooth, spray type arc transfer and low spatter level.
- Slag system provides for puddle support, good wetting and bead shape in all positions.
- Manufactured under a quality system certified to ISO 9001 requirements.
- Manufactured to actual lot control. Actual certificates of conformance are available upon request.

**TYPICAL APPLICATIONS**

- All position wire designed to weld pipe up to X70.

**WELDING POSITIONS**



**SHIELDING GAS**

75-80% Ar / Balance CO<sub>2</sub>  
Flow Rate 40-50 CFH (19-24 l/min.)

**MECHANICAL PROPERTIES** - As Required per AWS A5.20-95

	Yield Strength psi (MPa)	Tensile Strength psi (MPa)	Elongation (%)	Charpy V-Notch ft•lbf (Joules) @ -40°F (-40°C)
<b>Required</b> AWS E71T-1MJH8 & E71T-9MJH8	58,000 (400) min.	70,000 (480) min.	22 min.	20 (27) min.
<b>Typical Results</b> 75% Ar / 25% CO <sub>2</sub>	82,700 (570)	93,200 (642)	26	63 (85)

NOTE: Pipeliners electrodes are manufactured under lot control. A Certificate of Test showing actual deposit chemistry and mechanical properties per AWS A5.20 is available on request from the factory for every lot of electrode.  
(Fax 216-383-8386).

**DIAMETERS / PACKAGING**

Diameter in. (mm)	10 Lb. (4.5 kg) Plastic Spool Foil Bag
.052 (1.3)	ED030928

**TYPICAL OPERATING PROCEDURES**

Parameters	Diameter .052 in. (1.3 mm)
Polarity	DC+
CTWD <sup>(1)</sup> – in. (mm)	3/4 (19)
Wire Weight – lbs/in. (g/m)	.482/1000 (8.61)
Wire Feed Speed – in/min (m/min)	150-450 (3.8-11.4)
Arc Voltage (volts)	22-31
Approx. Current (amps)	155-315
Melt-off Rate – lbs/hr (kg/hr)	4.4-13.3 (2.0-6.0)
Deposition Rate – lbs/hr (kg/hr)	3.6-10.9 (1.6-4.9)

**DEPOSIT COMPOSITION** - As Required per AWS A5.20-95

	%C	%Mn	%P	%S	%Si	%Ni
<b>Requirements</b>						
AWS E71T-1MJH8	.18	1.75	.03	.03	.90	.50
AWS E71T-9MJH8	max.	max.	max.	max.	max.	max.
<b>Typical Results</b>						
75% Ar / 25% CO <sub>2</sub>	.05	1.62	.01	<.01	.46	.39

**DIFFUSIBLE HYDROGEN**

- As Required per AWS A5.20-95

	(mL/100g weld deposit)
<b>Requirements</b> E71T-1MJH8 & E71T-9MJH8	≤ 8
<b>Typical Results</b> 75-80% Ar/CO <sub>2</sub>	4 - 8

<sup>(1)</sup> CTWD (Contact Tip to Work Distance). Subtract 1/4" to calculate Electrical Stickout.

Pipeliners L-61/860 is well-suited for internal and external submerged arc pipe double ending welds on API 5L pipe grades X42 through X60. The use of Pipeliners L-61/860 submerged arc wire/flux in double ending operations reduces the number of field joints per unit length and cuts time from your pipe laying project.

**ADVANTAGE LINCOLN**

- 860 flux is a neutral flux, providing similar deposit chemistry at high and low voltages and on multiple pass welds.
- Delivers outstanding mechanical properties, even at impact temperatures of -40° F / -40° C.

- Manufactured under a quality system certified to ISO 9001 requirements.
- Manufactured to actual lot control and lot testing. Actual certificates of conformance are available upon request.
- Low hydrogen weld deposit – 8 mL/100 g weld metal maximum.

**WELDING POSITIONS**



**CONFORMANCE**

AWS A5.17-97: F7A4-EM12K-H8  
ASME SFA-5.17: F7A4-EM12K-H8

**TYPICAL APPLICATIONS**

- Recommended for pipe double ending applications. Can be used for both internal and external welds, or combined with Stick (SMAW) or MIG (GMAW).

**MECHANICAL PROPERTIES** - As Required per AWS A5.17-97

	Yield Strength psi (MPa)	Tensile Strength psi (MPa)	Elongation (%)	Charpy V-Notch ft•lbf (Joules) @ -40°F (-40°C)
<b>Required</b> AWS F7A4-EM12K-H8	58,000 (400) min.	70,000-95,000 (480-655)	22 min.	20 (27) min.
<b>Typical Results</b> As-welded	61,200 (422)	75,800 (523)	31	62 (84)

NOTE: Pipeliners electrodes are manufactured under lot control. A Certificate of Test showing actual deposit chemistry and mechanical properties per AWS A5.17 is available on request from the factory for every lot of electrode. (Fax 216-383-8386).

**DIAMETERS / PACKAGING**

Description	Diameter Inches (mm)	60 Lb. (27.2 kg) Coil (Foil Bag)	50 Lb. (22.7 kg) Foil Bag
Pipeliners L-61	1/8 (3.2)	ED030922	NA
Pipeliners 860	NA	NA	ED030923

**TYPICAL OPERATING PROCEDURES**

Parameters	Diameter 1/8 in. (3.2 mm)
Polarity	DC+
CTWD <sup>(1)</sup> – in. (mm)	1-1/4 (32)
Wire Weight – lbs/in. (g/m)	NA
Wire Feed Speed – in/min (m/min)	43-76 (1.1-1.9)
Arc Voltage (volts)	27-33
Approx. Current (amps)	350-600
Melt-off Rate – lbs/hr (kg/hr)	NA
Deposition Rate – lbs/hr (kg/hr)	9-16 (4.1-7.3)

**DEPOSIT COMPOSITION** - As Required per AWS A5.17-97

	%C	%Mn	%Si	%S	%P	%Cu
<b>Requirements</b> AWS F7A4-EM12K-H8	No Requirements					
<b>Typical Results</b>	.06	1.23	.37	.004	.015	.06

**DIFFUSIBLE HYDROGEN**

- As Required per AWS A5.17-97

	(mL/100g weld deposit)
<b>Requirements</b> F7A4-EM12K-H8	≤ 8
<b>Typical Results</b>	2 - 5

<sup>(1)</sup> CTWD (Contact Tip to Work Distance). Subtract 1/4" to calculate Electrical Stickout.

### **TEST RESULTS**

Test results for mechanical properties, deposit or electrode composition and diffusible hydrogen levels were obtained from a weld produced and tested according to prescribed standards, and should not be assumed to be the expected results in a particular application or weldment. Actual results will vary depending on many factors, including, but not limited to, weld procedure, plate chemistry and temperature, weldment design and fabrication methods. Users are cautioned to confirm by qualification testing, or other appropriate means, the suitability of any welding consumable and procedure before use in the intended application.

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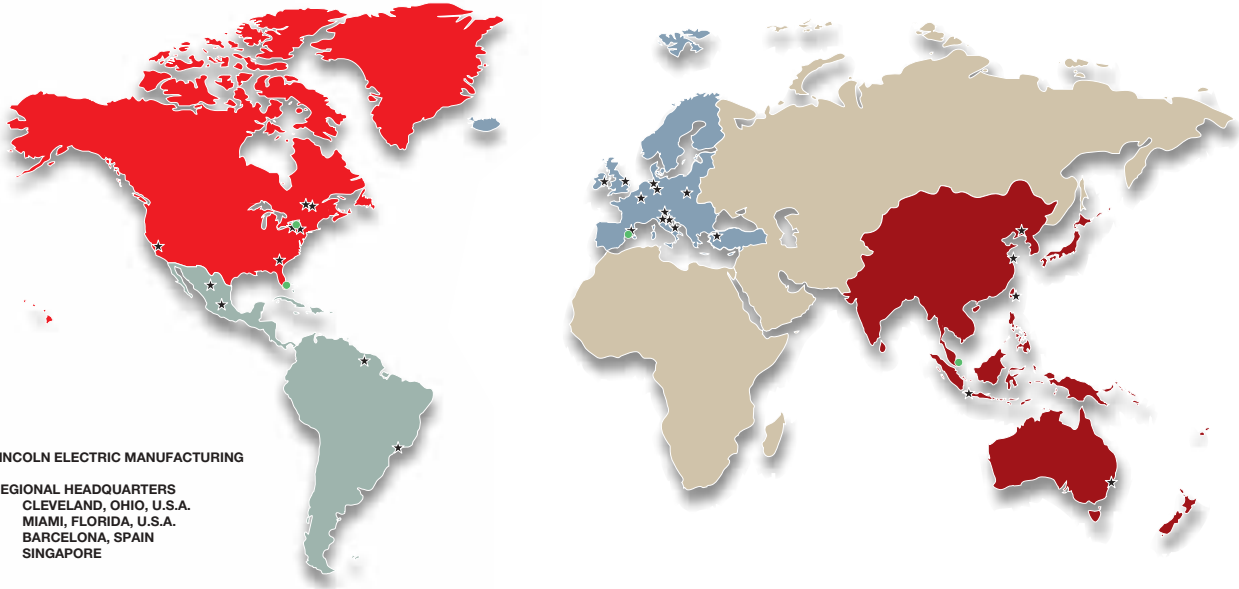
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