

## **Selection Chart | Stick Welding Electrodes**

Туре	Ø	Pack Size	Part No.	Amps	Typical Application(s)	Operating Comments
	Platinum 12V					Very popular due to exceptional user appeal.
Steel - General Purpose	2.0mm	25 Rod Blister P2-E12V/20HP 40-60A	1			
	2.6mm	14 Rod Blister	P2-E12V/26HP	50-90A	Mild & galvanised steel. Very smooth arc, easy re-striking & self-releasing slag. Tolerant to dirty materials & poor fit-up.	Suitable for use with most welding machines. Use in all positions, including vertical down.
		2.5kg Bulk Pack	2-E12V/26			
	3.2mm	9 Rod Blister	P2-E12V/32HP	90-130A		
		5.0kg Bulk Pack	2-E12V/32			
	Promax GP					Suitable for use with most welding
	2.0mm	1kg Reusable Pack	WC-06296	40-60A	mild & galvanised steel. Smooth arc, easy re-striking & self-releasing slag. Tolerant to	machines. Use in all positions, including vertical down.
	2.6mm		WC-06297	50-90A		
	3.2mm		WC-06298	90-130A		
Steel - High	Platinum 16XT "Low Hydrogen"					Should be used on machines with
Strength L	2.6mm			Where higher strength is required, eg highly	OCV* of DC 55V or AC 65V &	
	3.2mm	2kg Vacuum Pack	WC-03975	90-140A	restrained joints or components subject to higher load stress.	above. Use in all positions, except vertical down.
	4.0mm		WC-03976	130-190A		
Stainless-Steel	Platinum 316L					
	2.0mm	1kg Reusable Pack	WC-06453	30-50A	300 series stainless steels, including; 301, m. 302, 304, 304L, 3Cr12, etc. Good resistance	Suitable for use with most welding machines. Use in all positions, except vertical down.
	2.6mm	10 Rod Blister	P2-316L26	50-75A		
		1kg Reusable Pack	WC-06454			
	3.2mm	8 Rod Blister	P2-316L32	75-110A		
		1kg Reusable Pack	WC-06455			
	Platinum 309MoL				Strong & corrosion-resistant welding of;	Should be used on machines with
	2.6mm	1kg Reusable Pack	WC-06446	45-75A	309 & 309L stainless, CrNi & CrNiMo stainless, Use	OCV* of 70V & above. Use in all positions, except vertical down.
	3.2mm		WC-06447	75-100A		
Universal	Platinum 312				High strength welding of almost any steel	Suitable for use with most welding
	2.6mm	10 Rod Blister	P2-31226	50-75A	or stainless-steel. Ideal for; Unknown steels, Dissimilar steels (eg steel to stainless), Die or tool steel, etc. Also used for buffer layer prior to hardfacing.	machines. Use in all positions, except vertical down. Not recommended for cast iron.
	2.011111	1kg Reusable Pack	WC-06294	30 73/4		
	3.2mm	8 Rod Blister	P2-31232	75-110A		
		1kg Reusable Pack	WC-06295			
Hard Facing	Platinum NiFe			High strength, cold welding of; cast iron	Suitable for use with most welding	
	3.2mm	9 Rod Blister	P2-NCI32	60-110A	(incl. grey / malleable, nodular & SG iron) & cast iron to steel. Machineable weld deposit.	machines. Use in horizontal/flat position only.
	_	1kg Reusable Pack	WC-06299			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	Promax 700				General use on ground-engaging	Hardness 53-56 HRC. Suitable for use with most welding
	3.2mm	1kg Reusable Pack	WC-06444	90-130A	blades Ideal for parts subject to flexing mach	nachines.
	4.0mm WC-06476 140-180A  Platinum 943			140-180A	, ,	Use in horizontal/flat position only.
		945	WC 06445	115 140 4	Exceptional abrasion resistance & good Shou impact strength. Bucket lips, screws.	Hardness 60-65 HRC. Should be used on machines with OCV* of 55V & above.
	3.2mm	1kg Reusable Pack	WC-06445	115-140A		
*0CV = 0n	4.0mm	ge Typical OCV ratings: Most inve	WC-06477	140-185A	hammers, teeth, crushers, etc.  sigher-end inverter machines have OCV of 70V+. Some older no	Use in horizontal/flat position only.

\*OCV = Open Circuit Voltage. Typical OCV ratings; Most inverter machines = 55V+. Most professional / higher-end inverter machines have OCV of 70V+. Some older non-inverter machines = less than 50V.

OCV rating is usually indicated on welding machine data plate, sometimes with the symbol "Uo".











