

Using the cut charts

The following sections provide cut charts for each set of mechanized consumables. A consumable diagram with part numbers precedes each set of charts. For each consumable type, there are Metric and English charts for mild steel, stainless steel, and aluminum.

Note: For cut charts on using F5 gas to cut stainless steel, refer to the *Use F5 to Cut Stainless Steel* application note (809060). You can download this document from the Documents library at www.hypertherm.com.

Each chart contains the following information:

- Material Thickness – Thickness of the workpiece (metal plate being cut).
- Torch-to-Work Distance – For shielded consumables, the distance between the shield and the workpiece during cutting. For unshielded consumables, the distance between the nozzle and the workpiece during cutting.
- Initial Pierce Height – Distance between the shield (shielded) or the nozzle (unshielded) and the workpiece when the torch is triggered, prior to descending to the cut height.
- Pierce Delay Time – Length of time the triggered torch remains stationary at the pierce height before the torch starts the cutting motion.
- Best Quality Settings (cut speed and voltage) – Settings that provide the starting point for finding the best cut quality (best angle, least dross, best cut-surface finish). Adjust the speed for your application and table to obtain the desired result.
- Production Settings (cut speed and voltage) – 80% of the maximum speed ratings. These speeds result in the greatest number of cut parts, but not necessarily the best possible cut quality.

Note: The arc voltage increases as the consumables wear and the voltage setting should be increased to maintain the correct Torch-to-Work Distance.

Each cut chart lists hot and cold air flow rates.

- Hot air flow rate – Plasma is on, the system is operating at running current, and the system is in a steady state at the default system pressure (automatic mode).
- Cold air flow rate – Plasma is off and the system is in a steady state with air flowing through the torch at the default system pressure.

Note: Hypertherm collected the data under laboratory test conditions using new consumables.

TORCH SETUP

Estimated kerf-width compensation

The widths in the tables below are for reference. The data are obtained with the “Best Quality” settings. Differences between installations and material composition may cause actual results to vary from those shown in the tables.

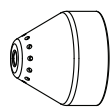
Estimated kerf-width compensation – Metric (mm)

Process	Thickness (mm)									
	0.5	1	2	3	6	8	10	12	16	20
Mild Steel										
85A Shielded				1.7	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.2	2.4	2.6
65A Shielded			1.6	1.6	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.2	2.3	
45A Shielded	1.1	1.1	1.4	1.5	1.7					
FineCut	0.7	0.7	1.3	1.3						
85A Unshielded			1.7	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.3	
65A Unshielded			1.6	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.0		
45A Unshielded	0.5	0.9	1.3	1.3						
Stainless Steel										
85A Shielded				1.6	1.8	1.9	2.1	2.3	2.4	2.5
65A Shielded			1.4	1.5	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.2	2.4	
45A Shielded	0.9	1.1	1.5	1.6	1.8					
FineCut	0.6	0.6	1.0	1.4						
85A Unshielded			1.7	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.1	2.2	2.4	
65A Unshielded			1.6	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.9	2.0		
45A Unshielded	0.5	1.0	1.3	1.5	1.5					
Aluminum										
85A Shielded				2.0	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.4	2.6
65A Shielded			1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.5	
45A Shielded		1.5	1.5	1.6	1.5					
85A Unshielded			1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.2	
65A Unshielded			1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.9	2.0		
45A Unshielded		1.6	1.5	1.4	1.5					

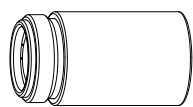
Estimated kerf-width compensation – English (inches)

Process	Thickness (inches)									
	22GA	18GA	14GA	10GA	3/16	1/4	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4
Mild Steel										
85A Shielded				0.068	0.071	0.073	0.078	0.090	0.095	0.100
65A Shielded			0.062	0.065	0.068	0.070	0.076	0.088	0.090	0.091
45A Shielded	0.035	0.054	0.055	0.061	0.065	0.066				
FineCut	0.024	0.043	0.049	0.051						
85A Unshielded				0.070	0.073	0.075	0.080	0.085	0.090	
65A Unshielded			0.062	0.064	0.066	0.068	0.075	0.081		
45A Unshielded	0.020	0.050	0.051	0.054	0.057	0.059				
Stainless Steel										
85A Shielded				0.065	0.068	0.070	0.080	0.094	0.095	0.096
65A Shielded			0.056	0.062	0.068	0.073	0.076	0.090	0.093	0.096
45A Shielded	0.032	0.055	0.058	0.067	0.069	0.069				
FineCut	0.018	0.036	0.040	0.055						
85A Unshielded				0.068	0.070	0.072	0.080	0.090	0.095	
65A Unshielded			0.061	0.064	0.067	0.070	0.072	0.080		
45A Unshielded	0.020	0.054	0.052	0.060	0.058	0.058				
Aluminum										
		1/32	1/16	1/8	3/16	1/4	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4
85A Shielded				0.080	0.078	0.075	0.080	0.090	0.095	0.100
65A Shielded			0.073	0.074	0.075	0.076	0.083	0.091	0.100	
45A Shielded		0.059	0.061	0.065		0.060				
85A Unshielded				0.075	0.075	0.075	0.080	0.082	0.088	
65A Unshielded			0.070	0.070	0.070	0.070	0.072	0.079		
45A Unshielded		0.062	0.058	0.057		0.061				

85 A shielded consumables



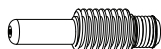
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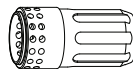
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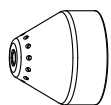
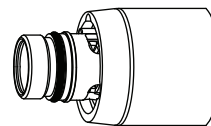
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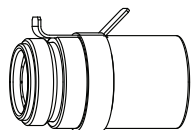
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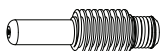
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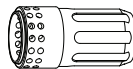
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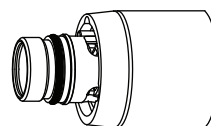
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**85A Shielded
Mild Steel**

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	190 / 400
Cold	235 / 500

Metric

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
mm	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	(mm/min)	Volts
3	1.5	3.8	250	0.1	6800	122	9200	120
4				0.2	5650	122	7300	122
6				0.5	3600	123	4400	125
8					2500	125	3100	127
10					1680	127	2070	128
12		4.5	300	0.7	1280	130	1600	130
16				1.0	870	134	930	133
20		6.0	400	1.5	570	137	680	136
25		Edge Start			350	142	450	141
30		Edge Start			200	146	300	144

English

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	ipm	Volts
10GA	0.06	0.15	250	0.2	250	122	336	121
3/16 in				0.2	185	123	220	123
1/4 in				0.5	130	123	160	126
3/8 in					70	126	86	127
1/2 in					45	131	56	131
5/8 in		0.18	300	1.0	35	134	37	133
3/4 in				0.24	400	1.5	24	136
7/8 in		Edge Start			19	139	22	138
1 in		Edge Start			13	142	17	141
1-1/8 in		Edge Start			9	145	13	143
1-1/4 in	Edge Start			7	148	10	146	

TORCH SETUP

85A Shielded
Stainless Steel

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	190 / 400
Cold	235 / 500

Metric

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
mm	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	(mm/min)	Volts
3	1.5	3.8	250	0.1	7500	122	9200	120
4				0.2	6100	122	7500	120
6				0.5	3700	122	4600	122
8					2450	124	3050	124
10		4.5	300	1550	127	1900	126	
12				0.7	1100	131	1400	130
16				1.0	700	135	760	134
20				Edge Start		480	138	570
25		Edge Start		300	143	370	141	

English

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings		
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage	
	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	ipm	Volts	
10GA	0.06	0.15	250	0.2	275	122	336	120	
3/16 in					200	122	240	121	
1/4 in				0.5	130	122	164	122	
3/8 in					65	126	80	125	
1/2 in		0.18	300	36	132	48	131		
5/8 in				1.0	28	135	30	134	
3/4 in				Edge Start		20	137	24	136
7/8 in				Edge Start		16	140	19	139
1 in		Edge Start		11	143	14	141		

**85A Shielded
Aluminum**

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	190 / 400
Cold	235 / 500

Metric

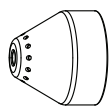
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					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
mm	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	(mm/min)	Volts
3	1.5	3.8	250	0.1	8000	122	9400	121
4				0.2	6500	123	8000	123
6				0.5	3800	126	4900	126
8					2650	130	3470	129
10		4.5	300	0.7	1920	132	2500	131
12				1450	134	1930	133	
16				950	139	1200	137	
20				Edge Start		600	143	880
25		Edge Start		380	146	540	144	

English

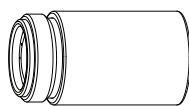
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					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage	
	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	ipm	Volts	
1/8 in	0.06	0.15	250	0.2	300	122	360	121	
1/4 in				130	127	172	127		
3/8 in				0.5	80	132	104	131	
1/2 in					50	135	68	133	
5/8 in		0.18	300	1.0	38	139	48	137	
3/4 in				Edge Start		25	142	37	140
7/8 in				Edge Start		20	144	29	142
1 in				Edge Start		14	146	20	144

TORCH SETUP

65 A shielded consumables



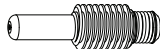
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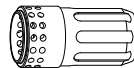
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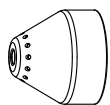
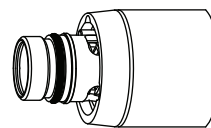
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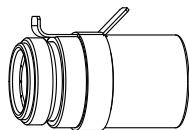
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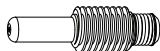
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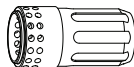
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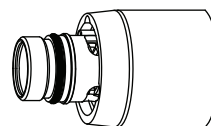
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Swirl ring



**65A Shielded
Mild Steel**

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	160 / 340
Cold	220 / 470

Metric

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings		
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage	
mm	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	(mm/min)	Volts	
3	1.5	3.8	250	0.2	5200	125	6100	123	
4				0.5	4250	125	5100	124	
6					2550	127	3240	127	
8				1700	129	2230	128		
10		4.5	300	0.7	1100	131	1500	129	
12				1.2	850	134	1140	131	
16		6.0	400	2.0	560	138	650	136	
20		Edge Start				350	142	450	142
25						210	145	270	145

English

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings		
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage	
	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	ipm	Volts	
10GA	0.06	0.15	250	0.1	190	125	224	123	
3/16 in				0.5	0.2	140	126	168	125
1/4 in					0.5	90	127	116	127
3/8 in				0.7	45	130	62	129	
1/2 in		0.18	300	1.2	30	135	40	132	
5/8 in		0.24	400	2.0	23	138	26	136	
3/4 in		Edge Start				15	141	19	141
7/8 in						12	143	14	143
1 in						8	145	10	145

TORCH SETUP

65A Shielded
Stainless Steel

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	160 / 340
Cold	220 / 470

Metric

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
mm	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	(mm/min)	Volts
2	1.5	3.8	250	0.1	8100	125	10000	121
3				0.2	6700	125	8260	123
4				0.5	5200	125	6150	124
6					2450	126	2850	126
8				0.7	1500	129	1860	129
10		4.5	300		960	132	1250	132
12					750	135	920	134
16		Edge Start			500	139	500	139
20		Edge Start			300	143	370	143

English

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	ipm	Volts
10GA	0.06	0.15	250	0.1	240	125	296	123
3/16 in				0.2	155	126	168	125
1/4 in				0.5	80	126	96	126
3/8 in					40	131	52	131
1/2 in		0.18	300	1.2	26	136	32	135
5/8 in					Edge Start			20
3/4 in		Edge Start			14	142	15	142

**65A Shielded
Aluminum**

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	160 / 340
Cold	220 / 470

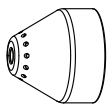
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					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
mm	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	(mm/min)	Volts
2	1.5	3.8	250	0.1	8800	121	10300	122
3				0.2	7400	124	8800	124
4				0.5	6000	126	7350	125
6					3200	130	4400	128
8				0.7	1950	133	2750	130
10		1200	136		1650	132		
12		1000	138		1330	136		
16		4.5	300	1.2	650	143	800	141
20		Edge Start			380	147	560	145

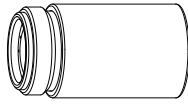
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					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage	
	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	ipm	Volts	
1/16 in	0.06	0.15	250	0.1	365	121	428	121	
1/8 in					280	124	336	124	
1/4 in				0.5	105	131	152	128	
3/8 in					50	135	68	131	
1/2 in				0.7	35	139	48	138	
5/8 in		Edge Start			26	143	32	141	
3/4 in		16	146		24	144			

45 A shielded consumables



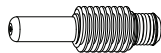
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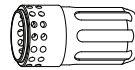
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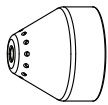
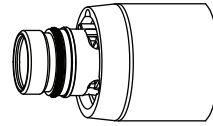
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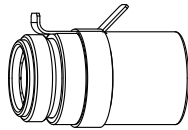
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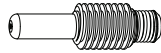
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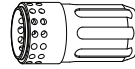
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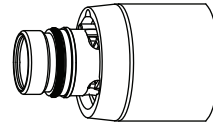
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Swirl ring



**45A Shielded
Mild Steel**

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	150 / 310
Cold	210/ 450

Metric

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
mm	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	(mm/min)	Volts
0.5	1.5	3.8	250	0.0	9000	128	12500	126
1					9000	128	10800	128
1.5				0.1	9000	130	10200	129
2					6600	130	7800	129
3				0.4	3850	133	4900	131
4					2200	134	3560	131
6				0.5	1350	137	2050	132

English

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	ipm	Volts
26GA	0.06	0.15	250	0.0	350	128	500	128
22GA					350	128	450	128
18GA				0.1	350	129	400	128
16GA					350	130	400	129
14GA				0.2	270	130	320	129
12GA				0.4	190	133	216	131
10GA					100	134	164	131
3/16 in				0.5	70	135	108	132
1/4 in				0.6	48	137	73	132

TORCH SETUP

45A Shielded
Stainless Steel

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	150 / 310
Cold	210/ 450

Metric

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
mm	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	(mm/min)	Volts
0.5	1.5	3.8	250	0.0	9000	130	12500	129
1					9000	130	10800	130
1.5				0.1	9000	130	10200	130
2					6000	132	8660	131
3				0.4	3100	132	4400	132
4					2000	134	2600	134
6				0.5	900	140	1020	139

English

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	ipm	Volts
26GA	0.06	0.15	250	0.0	350	130	500	129
22GA					350	130	450	129
18GA				0.1	350	130	400	130
16GA					350	130	400	130
14GA				0.2	250	132	360	131
12GA				0.4	140	132	206	131
10GA					100	133	134	134
3/16 in				0.5	52	135	58	135
1/4 in				0.6	30	141	35	140

**45A Shielded
Aluminum**

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	150 / 310
Cold	210/ 450

Metric

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
mm	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	(mm/min)	Volts
1	1.5	3.8	250	0.0	8250	136	11000	136
2				0.1	6600	136	9200	135
3				0.2	3100	139	6250	134
4				0.4	2200	141	4850	135
6				0.5	1500	142	2800	137

English

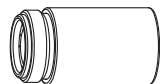
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					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	ipm	Volts
1/32 in	0.06	0.15	250	0.0	325	136	450	136
1/16 in				0.1	325	136	400	136
3/32 in				0.2	200	136	328	134
1/8 in				0.4	100	140	224	134
1/4 in				0.5	54	142	96	137

FineCut® consumables

Note: The cut charts in this section apply to both shielded and unshielded consumables.



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Shield



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Retaining cap



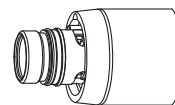
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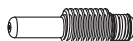
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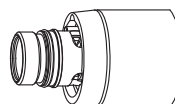
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Swirl ring



**FineCut
Mild Steel**

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	155 / 330
Cold	215 / 460

Metric

Material Thickness	Amps	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		
						Cut Speed	Voltage	
mm	A	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	
0.5	40	1.5	3.8	250	0.0	8250	78	
0.6						8250	78	
0.8						8250	78	
1	45				0.2	8250	78	
1.5						0.4	6400	78
2							4800	78
3						2500	78	
4					0.6	1900	78	

English

Material Thickness	Amps	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		
						Cut Speed	Voltage	
	A	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	
26GA	40	0.06	0.15	250	0.0	325	78	
24GA						325	78	
22GA						325	78	
20GA	45				0.1	325	78	
18GA						0.2	325	78
16GA							0.4	250
14GA						200		78
12GA	0.5				120	78		
10GA		95	78					

TORCH SETUP

FineCut
Stainless Steel

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	155 / 330
Cold	215 / 460

Metric

Material Thickness	Amps	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		
						Cut Speed	Voltage	
mm	A	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	
0.5	40	0.5	2.0	400	0.0	8250	68	
0.6						8250	68	
0.8						8250	68	
1	45				0.2	8250	68	
1.5						0.4	6150	70
2							4800	71
3						0.5	2550	80
4						0.6	1050	84

English

Material Thickness	Amps	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		
						Cut Speed	Voltage	
	A	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	
26GA	40	0.02	0.08	400	0.0	325	68	
24GA						325	68	
22GA						325	68	
20GA	45				0.1	325	68	
18GA						0.2	325	68
16GA							0.4	240
14GA						200		70
12GA						0.5		120
10GA	0.6	75	80					

**Low Speed FineCut
Mild Steel**

Air flow rate – slpm/scfh	
Hot	155 / 330
Cold	215 / 460

Metric

Material Thickness	Current	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Recommended	
						Cut Speed	Voltage
mm	A	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts
0.5	30	1.5	3.8	250	0.0	3800	69
0.6						3800	68
0.8					3800	70	
1 *	40				0.2	3800	72
1.5 *						3800	75
2	45				0.4	3700	76
3						2750	78
4					0.6	1900	78

English

Material Thickness	Current	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Recommended	
						Cut Speed	Voltage
	A	inches	inches	%	seconds	ipm	Volts
26GA	30	0.06	0.15	250	0.0	150	70
24GA						150	68
22GA					150	70	
20GA	40				0.2	150	71
18GA						150	73
16GA *	45				0.4	150	75
14GA *						150	76
12GA	45				0.5	120	78
10GA		95	78				

*Not a dross-free cut.

TORCH SETUP

Low Speed FineCut
Stainless Steel

Air flow rate – slpm/scfh	
Hot	155 / 330
Cold	215 / 460

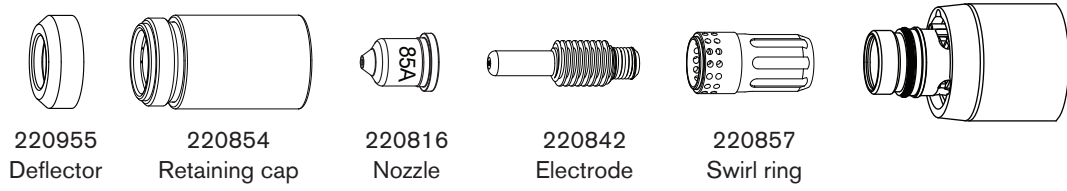
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Material Thickness	Current	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Recommended		
						Cut Speed	Voltage	
mm	A	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	
0.5	30	0.5	2.0	400	0.0	3800	69	
0.6						3800	69	
0.8						3800	69	
1	40				0.15	3800	69	
1.5						0.4	2900	69
2							2750	69
3	45				0.5	2550	80	
4						1050	80	

English

Material Thickness	Current	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Recommended		
						Cut Speed	Voltage	
	A	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	
26GA	30	0.02	0.08	400	0.0	150	69	
24GA						150	69	
22GA					0.1	150	69	
20GA						150	69	
18GA	40				0.2	145	69	
16GA						0.4	115	69
14GA							110	69
12GA	45				0.5	120	80	
10GA		0.6	75	80				

85 A unshielded consumables



TORCH SETUP

85A Unshielded
Mild Steel

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	190 / 400
Cold	235 / 500

Metric

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings			
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage		
mm	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	(mm/min)	Volts		
3	2.0	5.0	250	0.1	6240	118	9000	117		
4				0.2	5250	118	7200	117		
6				0.5	3450	120	4400	119		
8					2400	121	3100	121		
10		6.0	300	0.7	1560	123	2070	122		
12					1200	126	1600	124		
16					Edge Start		820	132	930	128
20							540	137	640	132
25							320	143	400	137

English

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	ipm	Volts
10GA	0.08	0.20	250	0.2	230	118	328	117
3/16 in					175	119	220	118
1/4 in				0.5	125	120	160	119
3/8 in					65	122	86	122
1/2 in		0.24	300	0.6	42	127	56	125
5/8 in		Edge Start		33	131	37	128	
3/4 in				23	136	27	131	
7/8 in				18	140	21	134	
1 in				12	144	15	138	

**85A Unshielded
Stainless Steel**

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	190 / 400
Cold	235 / 500

Metric

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
mm	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	(mm/min)	Volts
2	2.0	5.0	250	0.1	8550	117	11300	116
3					7000	118	9660	117
4				5600	118	7800	118	
6				3400	120	4570	121	
8		2250	121	2970	122			
10		6.0	300	0.5	1430	123	1840	124
12				0.7	1000	129	1340	128
16		Edge Start			650	134	730	133
20		Edge Start			360	138	570	137

English

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	ipm	Volts
10GA	0.08	0.20	250	0.2	250	118	352	118
3/16 in					180	119	249	119
1/4 in				120	120	160	121	
3/8 in				60	122	77	123	
1/2 in		0.24	300	0.6	35	131	46	129
5/8 in		Edge Start			26	134	29	133
3/4 in		Edge Start			17	137	24	136

TORCH SETUP

85A Unshielded
Aluminum

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	190 / 400
Cold	235 / 500

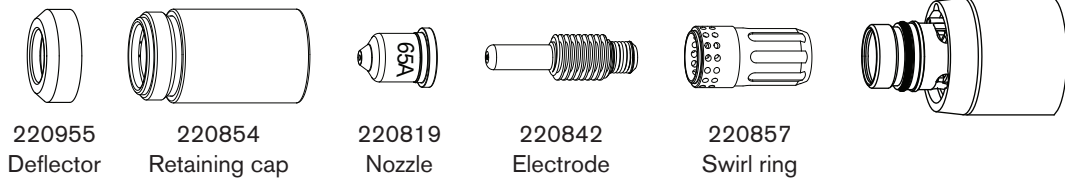
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Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
mm	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	(mm/min)	Volts
2	2.0	5.0	250	0.1	8700	118	11200	118
3					7350	120	9600	119
4				6000	122	8100	120	
6				3300	125	4930	122	
8				2350	127	3250	124	
10		6.0	300	0.5	1800	128	2140	127
12				0.7	1300	133	1720	130
16		Edge Start			840	139	1130	134
20		Edge Start			470	144	700	138

English

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	ipm	Volts
1/8 in	0.08	0.20	250	0.2	280	120	368	119
3/16 in					200	123	271	120
1/4 in				110	126	172	122	
3/8 in				75	127	88	126	
1/2 in		0.24	300	0.6	45	135	62	131
5/8 in				Edge Start			34	139
3/4 in		Edge Start			22	143	32	137

65 A unshielded consumables



TORCH SETUP

65A Unshielded
Mild Steel

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	160 / 340
Cold	220 / 470

Metric

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
mm	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	(mm/min)	Volts
3	2.0	5.0	250	0.2	5200	118	6330	118
4				0.5	4250	118	5250	118
6					2550	120	3560	120
8				1620	123	2230	121	
10		6.0	300	0.7	970	127	1500	122
12		Edge Start			760	129	1140	124
16					500	134	650	129
20					280	138	400	133

English

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	ipm	Volts
10GA	0.08	0.20	250	0.1	190	118	232	118
3/16 in				0.5	135	119	172	119
1/4 in					90	120	116	120
3/8 in		0.24	300	0.7	40	126	62	122
1/2 in		Edge Start			27	130	40	125
5/8 in					20	134	26	129
3/4 in					13	137	18	132

**65A Unshielded
Stainless Steel**

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	160 / 340
Cold	220 / 470

Metric

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
mm	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	(mm/min)	Volts
2	2.0	5.0	250	0.1	7950	117	10300	116
3				0.2	6600	118	8500	117
4				0.5	5050	119	6500	119
6					2300	121	3070	121
8		0.7	1400	123	1900	122		
10		6.0	300	0.7	920	126	1250	123
12		Edge Start			710	130	925	127
16		Edge Start			430	135	500	133

English

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	ipm	Volts
10GA	0.08	0.20	250	0.1	235	118	304	118
3/16 in				0.2	150	120	194	120
1/4 in				0.5	75	121	100	121
3/8 in		0.24	300		0.7	38	125	52
1/2 in		Edge Start			25	132	32	129
5/8 in		Edge Start			17	135	20	133

TORCH SETUP

65A Unshielded
Aluminum

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	160 / 340
Cold	220 / 470

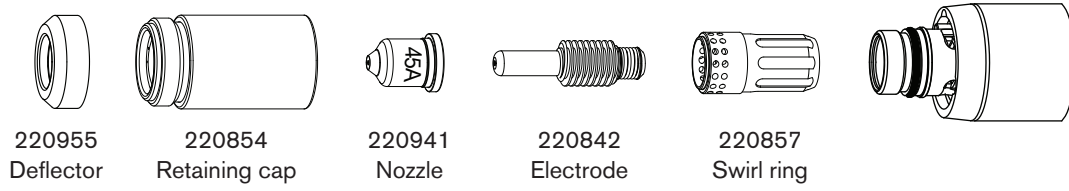
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					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
mm	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	(mm/min)	Volts
2	2.0	5.0	250	0.1	7750	123	11300	122
3				0.2	6550	124	9500	123
4				0.5	5400	125	7640	124
6					3000	127	3900	126
8				0.7	1800	130	2460	127
10		6.0	300	0.7	1100	133	1640	129
12		Edge Start			900	135	1250	133
16					600	139	700	136

English

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	ipm	Volts
1/16 in	0.08	0.20	250	0.1	325	122	476	122
1/8 in					250	124	360	123
3/16 in					175	125	245	124
1/4 in				0.5	100	127	128	126
3/8 in					0.24	300	0.7	45
1/2 in		Edge Start			32	136	44	134
5/8 in					24	138	28	136

45 A unshielded consumables



TORCH SETUP

45A Unshielded
Mild Steel

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	150 / 310
Cold	210 / 450

Metric

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
mm	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	(mm/min)	Volts
0.5	1.5	3.8	250	0.0	9000	120	12500	120
1					9000	120	10800	121
1.5				0.1	7700	120	10200	121
2					6150	119	7800	122
3				0.4	3950	121	4900	123
4					2350	123	3560	124
6				0.5	1400	126	2050	124

English

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	ipm	Volts
26GA	0.06	0.15	250	0.0	350	120	500	120
22GA					350	120	450	120
18GA				0.1	350	119	400	121
16GA					300	121	400	121
14GA				0.2	250	119	320	122
12GA				0.4	200	120	216	123
10GA					100	123	164	124
3/16 in				0.5	85	122	108	124
1/4 in				0.6	48	127	73	124

**45A Unshielded
Stainless Steel**

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	150 / 310
Cold	210 / 450

Metric

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
mm	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	(mm/min)	Volts
0.5	1.5	3.8	250	0.0	9000	121	12500	119
1					9000	121	10800	119
1.5				0.1	9000	121	10200	120
2					6000	122	9600	120
3				0.4	3250	123	4750	120
4					1900	128	3000	122
6				0.5	700	130	1450	124

English

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	ipm	Volts
26GA	0.06	0.15	250	0.0	350	120	500	119
22GA					350	120	450	119
18GA				0.1	350	118	400	119
16GA					350	121	400	120
14GA				0.2	300	122	400	120
12GA				0.4	150	121	224	120
10GA					100	125	140	121
3/16 in				0.5	42	131	88	123
1/4 in				0.6	25	130	48	124

TORCH SETUP

45A Unshielded
Aluminum

Air flow rate - slpm/scfh	
Hot	150 / 310
Cold	210 / 450

Metric

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
mm	mm	mm	%	seconds	(mm/min)	Volts	(mm/min)	Volts
1	1.5	3.8	250	0.0	7400	126	11000	121
2				0.1	4400	127	9200	123
3				0.2	2800	129	6250	125
4				0.4	2100	132	4700	126
6				0.5	1050	135	2250	127

English

Material Thickness	Torch-to-Work Distance	Initial Pierce Height		Pierce Delay Time	Best Quality Settings		Production Settings	
					Cut Speed	Voltage	Cut Speed	Voltage
	in	in	%	seconds	ipm	Volts	ipm	Volts
1/32 in	0.06	0.15	250	0.0	325	126	450	121
1/16 in				0.1	200	126	400	122
3/32 in				0.2	150	127	328	124
1/8 in				0.4	100	130	224	125
1/4 in				0.5	36	136	72	127