

 **Starweld 462**

**DC +**

**COPPER ALLOY**

**Description :**

Special formula aluminum-bronze alloy electrode containing manganese and nickel for building up and welding copper alloys and a wide range of ferrous metals (steels, cast irons, stainless steels) to copper alloys.

**Characteristics :**

- **Excellent for parts subjected to compressive stress and wear**
- Excellent for welding a wide variety of copper alloys
- Excellent weldability in position
- Very good corrosion resistance
- Very low coefficient of friction
- Stable arc and low spatter

**Mechanical properties :**

- Polarity DC +
- Tensile strength : 100 000 psi (689 MPa)
- Elongation : 26 – 28 %
- Hardness : 130 BH

**Procedure :**

Remove any trace of oil, grease and dirt from the surface. Gouge the base metal over 3/16" (5 mm) thick using the Starweld 512B. Preheat the copper and copper alloys between 400 - 600 °C (752 -1112 °F), as applicable. Maintain a short arc with a slight weaving motion. Cool before removing slag between passes.

+ <b>Diameter</b>	<b>3.2 mm</b>
+ <b>Amperage</b>	<b>125 A</b>

**Applications :**

Ideal for dissimilar assemblies, aluminium-bronze with high manganese content. Boat propellers, turbines, pumps, couplings, gear teeth, punches, dies, rolls, etc.

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