Digital Submerged Arc Welding Systems
Advanced Control
Enhanced Deposition
Faster Travel Speeds
Submerged Arc Welding Platforms

Lincoln Electric’s advanced submerged arc systems couple the industry’s most advanced power source with mobile, hard automation or robotic feeding equipment to achieve new levels of welding performance and operational efficiency.

Whether your application is bridge decking, pressure vessels, panel line, seamer, pipe mill integrator solutions or submerged arc robotic welding, the software-driven Power Wave® AC/DC 1000® SD and your choice of integrated feeding equipment can help your operations improve weld quality, reduce welding and operational costs and increase weld team productivity.

Advanced Control
- Our Waveform Control Technology® allows operators to set all AC and DC arc and PLC-based fixture motion control parameters from a single mountable or hand-held extended-range pendant. It is no longer necessary to reverse electrode and work cables.

Energy Savings
- With input current requirements reduced by up to 50% for our inverter-based system, customers consistently report significant energy savings over traditional submerged arc welding equipment.

Modular Components
- Power Wave® and MAXsa® controller and feed head components are engineered to readily adapt the system for use in almost any indoor or outdoor heavy wall thickness submerged arc welding application.

Rugged Reliability
- Power source, controller and feed heads are reliability tested to meet IP23 standards. Each is designed to withstand harsh environments and outdoor storage.

Lincoln Electric technical teams are standing by to assist you with set up, customized welding mode development optimized for your application, and welding consumables testing and selection.
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Power Wave® AC/DC 1000® SD

Increase Productivity, Quality and Flexibility

The Power Wave® AC/DC 1000® SD delivers Waveform Control Technology® to submerged arc welding. Choose constant current or constant voltage operation and set variable frequency and amplitude. Software-driven AC, DC positive or DC negative output allows the user to control the deposition rate and penetration. The result over conventional power sources is increased weld speeds, consistently higher quality welds and improved efficiencies in a single or multi-arc environment.

Processes
DC+ Submerged Arc
DC- Submerged Arc
Balanced AC Submerged Arc
Variable AC Submerged Arc

Key Features

- **380 - 575 VAC, 50/60Hz Voltage Input** – Offers the ability to be connected anywhere in the world.
- **Voltage Compensation and Reliable Input Voltage Connection** – Provides consistent operation over ± 10% input voltage variation.
- **No Hardware Reconfiguration Required with Easy Polarity Switching** – Eliminates downtime.
- **Easy to Parallel Machines or Run Multiple Arcs.**
- **3-Phase Voltage Input** – Eliminates the imbalance associated with transformer-based AC welding machines.
- **95% Power Factor Correction** – Enables connection of multiple machines on the same plant infrastructure for lower installation costs.
- **Severe Duty** – Can be stored outdoors. IP23 Rated.
- **ArcLink®, Ethernet, and DeviceNet™ Communication** – Offers remote process monitoring, control and troubleshooting.
- **True Energy™** – Measures, calculates and displays instantaneous energy in the weld for critical heat input calculations.
- **CheckPoint™ and Production Monitoring™ 2.2** – Use your server or our cloud-based server to view or analyze your welding data on almost any device – desktop, laptop, iPhone® or iPad®, Blackberry® and others. Track equipment usage, store weld data, configure fault limits and more.
- **Software Based Controls** – Can be upgraded as new features become available.
- **iARC™ Digital Control** - 90 times faster than the previous generation, delivering a responsive arc.
- **Factory Burn-In Tested** – At maximum output for 2 hours to ensure quality and reliability.

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<td>K2803-1(1)</td>
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<td>1000A/44V/100%</td>
<td>82/78/69/62/55</td>
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<td>49.2 x 19.2 x 46.2 (1250 x 488 x 1174)</td>
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(1) Filter is required to meet CE conducted emission requirements. The K2444-3 must be used with the K2803-1.
**KEY CONTROLS**

1. Power Switch
2. Status Lights
3. Thermal Light
4. Electrode Studs
5. Work Studs
6. I/O Connectors for Synchronizing Machines
7. Work Sense Lead Connector
8. Ethernet Connector
9. Auxiliary Power Circuit Breaker
10. 10 Amp Wire Feeder Circuit Breaker
11. Auxiliary Output (115V, 10A AC)
12. Input Cable Location
13. DeviceNET™ Connector
14. Controller ArcLink® Connector
15. I/O Connectors for Paralleling Machines

**FEATURE LOADED, RUGGED CONSTRUCTION AND EASY MAINTENANCE**

1. Easy Maintenance designed for Extreme Environments
   - Pull-out back panel provides fast access to heat sinks and other components.
   - Re-usable filter prevents particulate matter from entering the machine.
2. Easy-access Reconnect Panel
   - Connect the Power Wave® AC/DC 1000® SD to an electrical connection almost anywhere in the world (380 up to 575 Volt input power).
Cruiser® and Tandem Cruiser® Tractors

For Extended Decking Welds
The self propelled, modular Cruiser® and Tandem Cruiser® travel carriages, used with the Power Wave® AC/DC 1000® SD power source, can deliver deposition rates up to 30 lbs per arc, per hour for butt and fillet joints on lengthy plate welding applications common in bridge or barge decking, large tank fabrication or shipbuilding.

Processes
Submerged Arc

Key Features

- ** Reliable Operation** – Strong, rigid and stiff especially where you need it most.
- ** Advanced Control Pendant** – Removable, lightweight, impact resistant aluminum user interface can be used to save procedures, apply limits and lockouts for any or all controls.
- ** Common Expendable Parts** – All drive rolls, nozzles, contact tips and wire straighteners are shared with the MAXsa® submerged arc wire drives.
- ** Multiple Configurations** – Flexible system allows set up with or without a track and three or four wheel operation. Tandem model not recommended for three wheel operation.

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<td>1000A / 100%</td>
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<td>15 - 200 (0.4 - 5.0)</td>
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<td>29 x 23 x 36 (736 x 584 x 914)</td>
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<td>Tandem Cruiser® Tractor</td>
<td>K3083-1</td>
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<td>15 - 300 (0.4 - 7.6)</td>
<td>95:1</td>
<td>1/16 - 18 (1.6 - 3.2)</td>
<td>36.5 x 45.5 x 41.5 (927 x 1156 x 1054)</td>
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What’s Included
- Conduit Tubing – 5 feet (1.5 m)
- 5/32 in. (4.0 mm) 600 Amp Contact Nozzle Assembly
- 5/32 in. (4.0 mm) Contact Tip
- Nozzle Extension – 5 in. (127 mm)
- Curved Nozzle Extension, 45º
- Nozzle Extension Insulator
- Flux Tubing
- Flux Hose Clamps
- Wire Reel Assembly
- Wheels for Track Operation
- Cross Slide Assembly (2 for Tandem)
- Front and Rear Outriggers
- Enclosed Wire Reel (2 for Tandem)
- K1733-5 Wire Straightener (2 for Tandem)

Note: Control cable not included
**KEY CONTROLS**

**CRUISER®**

1. WFS LED
2. AMPS LED
3. Auto / OFF / Manual Travel Switch
4. Weld Mode Selection (Left Button)
5. Frequency and Balance (Left Button)
6. Travel Menu (Left Button)
7. Travel Direction
8. Jog
9. Memories
10. Mode Select Display and Control
11. Inch Down
12. Inch Up
13. Arc End Options (Right Button)
14. Arc Start Options (Right Button)
15. Set-Up Menu
16. Stop Pushbutton
17. Start Pushbutton
18. Volts LED
19. Voltage Display and Control
20. WFS/Amps Display and Control

**RUGGED DESIGN & FLEXIBLE ADJUSTMENT FOR ANY CONFIGURATION**

1. Improved Rigidity and Stiffness
2. Heavy Duty Cross Slides
3. New Rugged Wheels
4. Modified Mast and Boom Clamping System
5. Proven Industrial Wire Drive
6. Cable Rack
7. Laser Pointer and Improved Steering
8. Tandem Cruiser® for greater weld deposition

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MAXsa® 10 Controller

ArcLink®-enabled Controller for Power Wave® AC/DC 1000® SD Systems

The MAXsa® 10 controller offers a single monitoring and control point for the entire hard automation welding system. Operators have full control over AC and DC welding parameters and easy PLC interfacing to control fixture travel, timers and other system commands.

Key Features

- **Severe Duty Ready** – The controller is IP23 rated and ready for operation in harsh environments.
- **Pendant Box** – Mount the controller in the standard protective box or remove the pendant for hand-held operation. Extend hand-held operation from 4 feet (1.2 m) up to 100 feet (30.5 m) with an ArcLink® extension cable.
- **Eight Procedure Memories** – Pre-set and save your optimal welding parameters for repeating applications and recall later for fast changeovers.
- **User-Friendly Controls** – Clear digital display and controls make it easy to set weld modes, AC operation, strike/start/end options, travel stop/start, timers and other parameters.
- **Limit Control** – Apply operator procedure limits or lockout on any or all parameters.
- **Waveform Control Technology®** – Allows the user to choose from a library of pre-programmed weld modes. Parameters for each mode can be adjusted within a limited range to achieve optimal balance between deposition rate and penetration.

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<td>MAXsa® 10 Controller</td>
<td>K2814-3</td>
<td>40 VDC</td>
<td>15 x 13 x 4 (381 x 259 x 102)</td>
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**KEY CONTROLS**

1. **AMPS/WFS Control**
   - AMPS Indicator Light
   - WFS Indicator Light

2. **AMPS/WFS Display**
   - AMPS Indicator Light
   - Frequency/Balance Indicator Light

3. **Travel Switch**
   - Auto/Off/Manual

4. **Flux Hopper Switch**

5. **Mode Select Panel (MSP) Display**

6. **Weld Mode Selector**
   - Weld Mode Indicator Light
   - Start Options Indicator Light
   - End Options Indicator Light

7. **Mode Select Panel Control Knob**

8. **Eight Memory Buttons:**
   - Save common procedures
   - Apply operator range or limits
   - Lockout changes for procedure control

9. **Feed Reverse/Feed Forward Buttons**

10. **Arc Start/End Options Selector**
    - Start Options Indicator Light
    - End Options Indicator Light

11. **Set-Up Menu Indicator**

12. **Arc Established Indicator**

13. **Stop/Start Buttons**

14. **Volts Display**
    - Volts Indicator Light

15. **Volts Control**

16. **User Interface/Pendant Connector**

17. **Status LED**

18. **Wire Drive Connector**

19. **Power Source Connector**

20. **Flux Hopper Connector**

21. **Travel Carriage Connector**

**RUGGED DESIGN, FLEXIBLE CONNECTION**

1. **IP23 Rated** – Tested and approved to withstand rain, humidity, dust and other environmental conditions. When placed vertically, the unit can be stored outdoors.

2. **Hard Automation Connection** – Motion control, limit switches, PLC inputs and other auxiliary equipment are easily added to control device starting, stopping and other functions.

3. **Hand-held Options** – The protective base unit shell facilitates fixed mounting and protects the controller. To get closer to the work, detach the controller for hand-held operation.
MAXsa® 22 Feed Head

Submerged Arc Hard Automation Feed Head

Designed specifically for hard automation applications, the MAXsa® 22 Feed Head delivers accurate wire feeding of large diameter submerged arc wires. Based on Lincoln’s proven gearbox and cast aluminum feedplate, the MAXsa® 22 model features a 40VDC permanent magnet, high torque motor that delivers plenty of traction to push up to 7/32 in. (5.6 mm) diameter solid wire. A top speed of up to 500 ipm (12.7 m/min) can be achieved by changing the gear ratio.

Processes
Submerged Arc

Key Features

- **Flexible Configuration** – Can be used in single, tandem, Twinarc® or multiple arc applications.
- **Closed Loop Speed Control** – Facilitates full control over starting, running and stopping wire feed speed.
- **IP23 Rated** – Tested to withstand harsh environments.
- **Additional Gear Sets included** – Used to change the speed ratio to match the requirements of your application.
- **Multi-Axis Rotation** – Rotational feed head adjustment in two planes allows flexible, accurate setup for fixturing or arc locating. Additional positioning flexibility can be achieved with optional horizontal and vertical lift adjusters.
- **Standard Accessories** – Including an adjustable wire straightener, cross-seam adjuster and electrical valve flux hopper and mounting bracket for TC-3 carriage.

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<th>Wire Size Range (2) in. (mm)</th>
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<td>1000A/100%</td>
<td>142:1(1)</td>
<td>15 - 200 (0.4 - 5.0)</td>
<td>3/32 - 7/32 (2.4 - 5.6)</td>
<td>23.5 x 17 x 20 (597 x 432 x 508)</td>
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(1) 142:1 gear set is standard. Additional gears supplied for conversion to 95:1 and 57:1 with Wire Drive (K2370-2, K2312-2, or K2311-1).
KEY CONTROLS

1. Cross Seam Adjuster
2. Wire Straightener
3. Mounting Bracket
4. Fuse
5. 14-Pin Connector
6. Lead (67)
7. Motor
8. Idle Roll Arm
9. Tension Indicator
10. Flux Hopper
11. Flux Valve Connector

OPTIONAL TC-3 TRAVEL CARRIAGE

TC-3 Travel Carriage
The TC-3 travel carriage allows the mounting of up to two feed heads/controllers and wire reels to a beam for basic hard automation installations.

Beam Profile
Recommended for the TC-3 travel carriage. (See manual for more precise dimensions.)

CONTACT NOZZLES (ONE REQUIRED)

1. Submerged Arc Contact Nozzle Assembly (K231-1)
   For 5/64 thru 3/16 in. (2.0 thru 4.8 mm) electrode at currents generally below 600 amps. Outer flux cone gives full flux coverage with minimum consumption. (Rated for up to 650 amps.)

2. Positive Contact Assembly (K148A + K148B)
   For single arc welding at high currents.

3. Contact Jaw Assembly (K226R)
   Single arc contact jaw assembly for 1/8 - 7/32 in. (3.2 - 5.6 mm) diameter wire. Maximum life at currents over 600 amps.

4. ESO (Extended Stick-Out) Extension (K149-5/32)
   Linc-Fill long stickout extension for K148A Single Arc Positive Contact Nozzle Assembly. Required for long stickout technique.

5. Narrow Gap Deep Groove Nozzle (K386)
   For single arc 3/32 in. (2.4 mm) diameter wire welding on thick walled steel plate with nearly parallel-sided, narrow gap joint preparations.

6. Large Wire Twinarc® Contact Assemblies (K225)
   Feeds two 5/64 in. (2.0 mm), 3/32 in. (2.4 mm) or 1/8 in. (3.2 mm) wires for submerged arc welding on “Fast-Fill” joints or hard-facing beads.

7. Tiny Twinarc® Contact Assemblies (K129-XX)
   Feeds two electrodes for high speed submerged arc welds. Includes contact nozzle, wire guides, drive rolls and guides, and a second wire reel and mounting bracket.
MAXsa® 19 and MAXsa® 19 MSA Controller

Submerged Arc Controllers for Fabrication Integrators and Robotic Applications

The MAXsa® 19 or MAXsa® 19 MSA (Modified Series Arc) controllers are specifically designed to relay wire feed commands to the MAXsa® 29 when a customer-supplied user interface is used in place of the MAXsa® 10 controller. Typically, this occurs in third party fabrication integrator solutions that include integration hardware like turning rolls, panel lines, seamers and pipe mills fixturing.

Modified Series Arc is a single pass, one-sided process developed for plate joining, typically in gantry-mounted applications. New digital solutions based on the use of the Power Wave® AC/DC 1000® SD advanced submerged arc welding power source provide a number of advantages over conventional Modified Series Arc systems.

Processes
Submerged Arc

Key Features

MAXsa® 19 Controller
- Compact size is easy to position in custom integrator solutions.
- Fast digital communication with the Power Wave® AC/DC 1000® SD via Arclink® cable and to the wire drive via a 14 pin control cable.
- Standard I/O connector block for start/stop, forward/reverse feed and shutdown input interfacing with external accessories.
- Standard Status indicator aids diagnostic system troubleshooting.
- IP23 Rated – Tested to withstand harsh environments.

Modified Series Arc™ process with MAXsa® 19 MSA Controller

Compared to conventional MSA systems:
- Greater Control
  - Direct control of the series wire and ground current, resulting in added stability, improved and consistent back bead appearance and independent control of the heat input and deposition rate.
  - Weld plates up to 3/4 in. thick vs. 5/8 in. thick with conventional systems.
  - Presettable welding parameters, all set through the PLC
  - Eight user procedure memories
  - Fast, reliable digital system communication
  - Run the third wire on CC or CV
  - Three phase operation, compared to single phase for conventional systems.
  - Weld production and quality monitoring through Lincoln Electric CheckPoint™, Production Monitoring™ and WeldScore™ software.
- Increased Productivity
  - Travel Speeds increase up to 28%, depending on plate thickness.
  - Weld faster on thinner plate with lower heat inputs and reduced distortion.
- IP23 Rated – Tested to withstand harsh environments.

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**KEY CONTROLS**

**MAXsa® 19 Controller**

1. Mounting Holes
2. Power Source 5-Pin ArcLink® Input Connector
3. Status LED
4. Wire Feeder Connector
5. I/O Connector

**MAXsa® 19 MSA Controller**

1. Mounting Holes
2. Status LED
3. Power Source 5-Pin ArcLink® Input Connector
4. ArcLink® Output Connector
5. Wire Feeder Connector
6. Cold Feed up/down
**MAXsa® 29 Feed Head**

**Submerged Arc Feed Head for Fabrication Integrators and Robotic Applications**

The compact MAXsa® 29 Feed Head is intended for integrator solutions as well as the latest submerged arc robotic applications. Contact Lincoln Electric Automation Division via email at automation@lincolnelectric.com for more information on robotic applications.

**Processes**
Submerged Arc

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**KEY CONTROLS**

1. Wire Straightener
2. Mounting Bracket
3. Fuse
4. 14-Pin Connector
5. Lead (67)
6. Idle Roll Arm
7. Guide Tubes
8. Drive Rolls
9. Tension Indicator

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**MAXsa® 29 Feed Head**

**Process**
Submerged Arc

**Product Name**
MAXsa® 29 Feed Head

**Product Number**
K2312-2

**Input Power**
40 VDC

**Rated Output Current / Duty Cycle**
1000A / 100%

**Gear Box**
142:1

**Wire Feed Speed Range (m/min)**
15 - 200

**Wire Size Range (mm)**
3/32 - 7/32

**Dimensions (x W x D)**
13 x 16 x 10

**Net Weight**
35 lbs (15.9 kg)

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**(key notes)**

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**INTEGRATED AND ROBOTIC SOLUTIONS**

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**Modified Series Arc™ System**

**Greater Control. Increased Productivity**

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### Processes
- DC+ Submerged Arc
- DC- Submerged Arc
- Balanced AC Submerged Arc
- Variable AC Submerged Arc

### Multiple Wire Applications
- Single Pass, One-Sided Plate Welding
- Gantry Mounted Systems

### What’s Included

**Modified Series Arc One-Pak® (K3124-2)**
- Power Wave® AC/DC 1000® SD (K2803-1) Qty 3
- MAXsa® 29 Feed Head (K2312-2) Qty 3
- MAXsa® 10 Controller (K2814-3) Qty 2
- MAXsa® 19 MSA Controller (K3172-1) Qty 1

### Key Features

- **Greater Control**
  - Direct control of the series wire and ground current, resulting in added stability, improved and consistent back bead appearance and independent control of the heat input and deposition rate.
  - Weld plates up to 3/4 in. (19 mm) thick.
  - Increased Productivity
  - Travel speeds increase up to 28%, depending on plate thickness.
  - Weld faster on thinner plate with lower heat inputs and reduced distortion.

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Robotic Submerged Arc Solutions

Faster Arc Time. Consistent Quality.

Building on the digital component platform of the Power Wave® AC/DC 1000® SD power source and MAXsa® controllers and feed heads, the team at Lincoln Electric Automation developed an advanced robotic submerged arc welding system to enhance productivity for many heavy industry applications.

With robotic automation, operations can be moved to the next level with robot features such as touch sensing, path follow and vision-based arc guidance along with automated flux recovery.

Processes
DC+ Submerged Arc
DC- Submerged Arc
Balanced AC Submerged Arc
Variable AC Submerged Arc

Applications
- Structural Steel
- Process and Power Generation
- Wind Tower Fabrication
- Heavy Equipment
- Offshore
- Pipe Fabrication

Key Features

Robotic Submerged Arc Solutions
- Higher deposition rates at faster travel speeds
- Increased productivity and arc-on time
- Patented flux delivery system
- Engineered cable management system
- Fast digital system component communication

Contact Lincoln Electric Automation Solutions at 888.935.3878 or automation@lincolnelectric.com
DIGITAL COMMUNICATIONS AND SEAMLESS INTEGRATION

PC Computer

Intranet and/or Internet connection over a VPN (Virtual Private Network)

Turning Rolls

Robot and Robot Controller

Seamers

Panel Lines

Flux Recycling Systems

Power Wave® AC/DC 1000® SD

MAXsa® 19 Controller

MAXsa® 19 MSA Controller

MAXsa® 22 Feed Head

MAXsa® 29 Feed Head

Production Monitoring™

CHECKPOINT

Always On

Pipeline Mills

Column and Boom

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## SINGLE ARC MOBILE CONFIGURATION

### RECOMMENDED EQUIPMENT

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### Connection Diagram - Cruiser® Tractor System

The diagram illustrates the connection of the recommended equipment for a single arc mobile configuration. It shows the Power Wave® AC/DC 1000® SD (K2803-1) connected to the Cruiser® Tractor (K3048-1) via a Heavy Duty ArcLink® Control Cable (K2683-xx) and a Work Sense Lead (K1811-xx). The diagram also includes connections for the Work and Electrode Weld Cables.
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#### Connection Diagram - Single Arc System

![Connection Diagram](image-url)
DUAL ARC CONFIGURATION (For paralleling or more than two arcs, please contact your local Lincoln Electric Office.)

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Connection Diagram - Tandem Arc System
MODIFIED SERIES ARC™ CONFIGURATION

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APPENDIX
MECHANIZED SOLUTION

Submerged Arc Equipment Systems
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Lincoln Electric
THE WELDING EXPERTS®
Mild Steel SAW Wire Feeding Capability

- 142:1 gear ratio (standard*)
- 95:1 gear ratio (Included)
- 57:1 gear ratio (Included)

SOLID WIRE DIAMETER (INCHES/mm)

WIRE FEED SPEED (IPM/MPM)

DC+ SINGLE ARC
DC- SINGLE ARC
DC+ TWINARC®

* On MAXsa® Feed Heads
## MAXsa® DRIVE ROLL KIT INFORMATION

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## 14-PIN CONTROL CABLE (CANNOT BE EXTENDED)

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## 5-PIN HEAVY DUTY ARCLINK® CONTROL CABLE [CAN BE EXTENDED UP TO 200 FT. (61 M) TOTAL LENGTH]

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## WELD POWER CABLES

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### For Up to 250 ft. (75 m) @ 100% Duty Cycle

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**RECOMMENDED ACCESSORIES AND OPTIONS**

**Power Wave® AC/DC 1000® SD**

**CE Filter**
This high power filter that enables Power Wave® AC/DC 1000® CE “ready” machine to conform to the EMC standards of Europe and Australia. Order K2444-3

**MAXsa® 22 and MAXsa® 29 Heads**

**MAXsa® 10 Mounting Bracket**
Allows for mounting the MAXsa® 10 to the TC-3 Travel Carriage. Cannot be used with K299. Order K2462-1

**TC-3 Self-Propelled Travel Carriage**
The TC-3 travel carriage allows the mounting of up to two feed heads/controllers and wire reels to a beam for basic hard automation installations. Order K325 HCS (for 5-75 ipm)

**Large Wire Twinarc® Contact Assemblies**
Feeds two 5/64 in. (2.0 mm), 3/32 in. (2.4 mm) or 1/8 in. (3.2 mm) wires for submerged arc welding on “Fast-Fill” joints or hardfacing beads. Order K225

**Twinarc® Solid Wire Straightener**
Straightens wire diameters .045 thru 3/32 in. (1.2 thru 2.4 mm). Particularly valuable on longer electrical stickout procedures. Order K281

**Tiny Twinarc® Contact Assemblies**
Feeds two electrodes for high speed submerged arc welds. Includes contact nozzle, wire guides, drive rolls and guides, and a second wire reel and mounting bracket. Order K129-xx

**Automatic Flux Hopper Assembly**
Flux Hopper for MAXsa® 29 Heads (included standard on the MAXsa® 22 Heads)
Order K219

**MAXsa® 22 and MAXsa® 29 Heads and TC-3 Tractor**

**Tandem Reels**
Two Wire Reel Mounting for TC-3. Order K380

**Tandem Arc Framework**
Provides mountings with desired positioning adjustments for two standard Automatic Wire Feed Heads. Includes insulation and hardware to permit direct mounting to a high capacity TC-3 Carriage, or to the user’s gantry or fixture for either direction of travel. Order K387

**Flux Hopper for Tandem Arc**
Flux Hopper for K387 mountings. Order K389

**Vertical Lift Adjuster**
Provides 4 in. (102 mm) hand crank adjustment of vertical head position. It also includes up to 3-3/4 in. (95.2 mm) in-and-out horizontal adjustment with stops that can be preset for simple repetition of the same adjustment. Order K29

**Horizontal Adjuster**
Provides crank adjustment of head position. Has 2 in. (51 mm) horizontal travel. Order K96

**Wire Reel Assembly for 50-60 lb. Coils**
Accommodates 50 lb. (22.7 kg) or 60 lb. (27.2 kg) coils of wire on automatic wire feeders. The unit includes a wire reel mounting spindle and braking system. Cannot be used with K2462-1. Order K299

**SpreadArc Oscillator**
Oscillates head across the line of travel. Calibrated dwell time and oscillation speed controls permit the SpreadArc to cover large areas quickly with smooth beads of minimum admixture. Order K278-1

**MAXsa® 22 and MAXsa® 29 Heads, Cruiser® and Tandem Cruiser® Tractors**

**Wire Straightener (Subarc)**
up to 7/32 in. (5.6 mm) Includes a three roll wire straightener with adjustable pressure. Order K1733-5

**Submerged Arc Contact Nozzle Assembly for 3/32 in. (2.4 mm), 1/8 in. (3.2 mm) and 5/32 in. (4.0 mm) electrodes.**
For 5/64 in. (2.0 mm), 3/16 in. (4.8 mm) or 7/32 in. (5.6 mm) sizes, order additional appropriate KP1962 tips. Outer flux cone gives full flux coverage with minimum consumption. (Rated up to 650 amps.) Order K231-1
K231 Nozzle Contact Tips
Severe Duty
Order KP2082-2B1
for 5/64 in. (2.0 mm) wire
Order KP1962-3B1
for 3/32 in. (2.4 mm) wire
Order KP1962-1B1
for 1/8 in. (3.2 mm) wire
Order KP1962-4B1
for 5/32 in. (4.0 mm) wire
Order KP1962-2B1
for 3/16 in. (4.8 mm) wire
Order KP1962-5B1
for 7/32 in. (5.6 mm) wire

Extended Life
Order KP3162-3B1
for 3/32 in. (2.4 mm) wire
Order KP3162-1B1
for 1/8 in. (3.2 mm) wire
Order KP3162-4B1
for 5/32 in. (4.0 mm) wire
Order KP3162-2B1
for 3/16 in. (4.8 mm) wire
Order KP3162-5B1
for 7/32 in. (5.6 mm) wire

Positive Contact Assembly
For single arc welding at high currents (optional T12928 water cooling attachment recommended when welding over 600 amps).
Order K148A
(for 3/32 to 1/8 in. wire)
Order K148B
(for 5/32 to 3/16 in. wire)

Concentric Flux Cone Assembly
For use with K148B, Positive Contact Nozzle Assembly. Gives concentric flux coverage around the electrode.
Order K285

Contact Jaw Assembly
Single arc contact jaw assembly for 1/8-7/32 in. (3.2-5.6 mm) diameter wire. Rugged contact jaws for maximum life at currents over 600 amps.
Order K226R

ESO (Extended Stick-Out) Extension
Linc-Fill long stickout extension for K148A Single Arc Positive Contact Nozzle Assembly. Required for long stickout technique.
Order K149-1/8
K149-3/32
K149-5/32

Narrow Gap Deep Groove Nozzle
For single arc 3/32 in. (2.4 mm) diameter wire welding on thick walled steel plate with nearly parallel-sided, narrow gap joint preparations.
Order K386

5 in. Nozzle Extension
Extends the wire for subarc nozzles by 5 inches (up to 1/4 in. (6.4 mm) diameter wire).
Order KP2721-1

Cruiser® and Tandem Cruiser® Tractors
Tube and Clamp Kit
One 30 in. (762 mm) aluminum splined tube; two 15 in. (381 mm) aluminum splined tubes; one 30 in. (762 mm) steel tube; 8 clamp assemblies with keys; 2 outrigger assemblies; hardware.
Order K3090-1

Cross Slide Assembly
Includes two slides with 4 in. (102 mm) of travel.
Order K3089-1

Track Section
Each section provides 70 in. (1.8 m) of travel.
Order K396

50-60 lb. Coil Adapter
Adapts 50-60 lb. (22.7-27.2 kg) coils of Lincoln Electric electrode to 2 in. (51 mm) spindle.
Order K1504-1

Tiny Twin Kit for Cruiser®
Includes a second spindle, drive rolls and 95:1 gears.
Order K3070-1

Butt Joint Guide Kit (Tandem only)
Used to track the joint and guide the Tandem Cruiser® for plate and decking applications.
Order K3154-1

Nozzle Extension, 45°
Frequently used when making horizontal fillet welds.
Order KP2721-2

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The waveform may be varied to:
- Control Penetration
- Control Bead Shape
- Minimize arc interactions which can cause arc blow

Waveform Control Technology® capability provides precise control over:
- AC Frequency
- Balance (Percentage of time in the positive polarity portion of one cycle)
- Offset (Positive/Negative Amplitude)

**SOFTWARE DRIVEN CONTROL OVER PENETRATION, DEPOSITION RATE AND TRAVEL SPEED**

- 100% DC+ (traditional)
  - Maximum Penetration
  - Greater Travel Speed

- 50% DC+
  - Less Penetration
  - More Shallow Bead
  - Greater Travel Speed

- 25% DC+
  - Less Penetration
  - More Shallow Bead
  - Greater Travel Speed
SINGLE ARC AND TWINARC® SUBMERGED ARC WELDING

Greater Productivity through Enhanced Control
- The Submerged Arc Advantage

MULTI-ARC SUBMERGED ARC WELDING
CUSTOMER ASSISTANCE POLICY

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