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# SELECTRODE 1231

60% Tungsten Carbide  
Tubular Torch Alloy

## INTERNATIONAL CLASSIFICATIONS

**Proprietary Formula – None Applicable**

## FEATURES & APPLICATIONS

Ideally suited for overlaying mining and earth moving equipment. Excellent for wire saws and other edges requiring cutting action combined with abrasion resistance.

A seamed tubular rod identical in construction to 1230 with the exception that it is not flux coated. This bare alloy is designed for use without flux using both oxyacetylene and TIG processes.

- Specially selected carbides for maximum cutting action.
- Extremely high percent of tungsten carbide.
- Primary carbides provide maximum cutting action, while secondary carbides dissolve to strengthen matrix.

## ALL WELD METAL ANALYSIS (TYPICAL WEIGHT %)

Wc	Mn	Fe
60	1.0	Bal

## TYPICAL MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

**Undiluted Weld Metal**  
Carbide Hardness

**Maximum Value Up to:**  
VPN 1200

Matrix Hardness	RC 66-70
Coverage	Approx. 30 sq inches (1/16 thick)
Deposition Efficiency	Greater than 90%

## WELDING CURRENT & INSTRUCTIONS

**Recommended Current:** TIG DC (-), oxyacetylene – slightly carburizing flame adjustment

**Welding Techniques:** Preheat with oxy-acetylene torch until the starting area is a dull red color. Allow deposits to slow cool.