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The operating instructions provide an introduction to the safe use of the products.

- Read and observe the operating instructions for all system components, especially the safety instructions and warning notices!
- Observe the accident prevention regulations and any regional regulations!
- The operating instructions must be kept at the location where the machine is operated.
- Safety and warning labels on the machine indicate any possible risks. Keep these labels clean and legible at all times.
- The machine has been constructed to state-of-the-art standards in line with any applicable regulations and industrial standards. Only trained personnel may operate, service and repair the machine.
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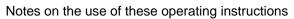
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2 For your safety

2.1 Notes on the use of these operating instructions

▲ DANGER

Working or operating procedures which must be closely observed to prevent imminent serious and even fatal injuries.

- Safety notes include the "DANGER" keyword in the heading with a general warning symbol.
- The hazard is also highlighted using a symbol on the edge of the page.

△ WARNING

Working or operating procedures which must be closely observed to prevent serious and even fatal injuries.

- Safety notes include the "WARNING" keyword in the heading with a general warning symbol.
- The hazard is also highlighted using a symbol in the page margin.

▲ CAUTION

Working or operating procedures which must be closely observed to prevent possible minor personal injury.

- The safety information includes the "CAUTION" keyword in its heading with a general warning symbol.
- The risk is explained using a symbol on the edge of the page.

Technical aspects which the user must observe to avoid material or equipment damage.

Instructions and lists detailing step-by-step actions for given situations can be recognised via bullet points, e.g.:

Insert the welding current lead socket into the relevant socket and lock.



2.2 Explanation of icons

Symbol	Description	Symbol	Description
R	Indicates technical aspects which the user must observe.		Activate and release / Tap / Tip
	Switch off machine		Release
	Switch on machine		Press and hold
			Switch
	Incorrect / Invalid	O	Turn
	Correct / Valid		Numerical value – adjustable
	Input		Signal light lights up in green
①	Navigation	· ① ·	Signal light flashes green
-	Output	-\-	Signal light lights up in red
45	Time representation (e.g.: wait 4 s / actuate)	•:•	Signal light flashes red
-//-	Interruption in the menu display (other setting options possible)		
	Tool not required/do not use		
	Tool required/use		



Part of the complete documentation 2.3

These operating instructions are part of the complete documentation and valid only in combination with all other parts of these instructions! Read and observe the operating instructions for all system components, especially the safety instructions!

The illustration shows a general example of a welding system.

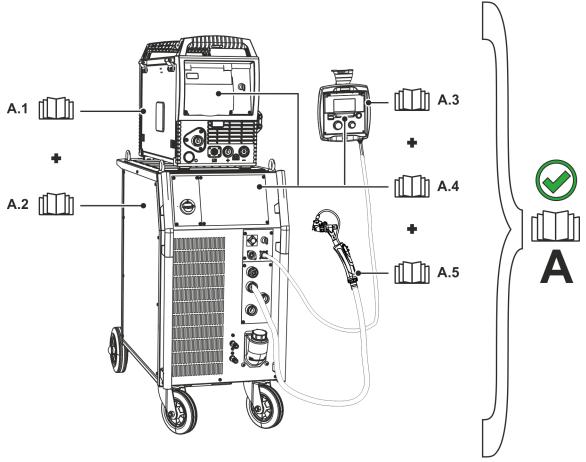


Figure 2-1

Item	Operating instructions		
A.1	Wire feeder		
A.2 Power source			
A.3	Remote control		
A.4	.4 Control		
A.5	Welding torch		
Α	Complete documentation		



2.4 Safety instructions

▲ WARNING



Risk of accidents due to non-compliance with the safety instructions! Non-compliance with the safety instructions can be fatal!

- · Carefully read the safety instructions in this manual!
- Observe the accident prevention regulations and any regional regulations!
- Inform persons in the working area that they must comply with the regulations!



Risk of injury from electrical voltage!

Voltages can cause potentially fatal electric shocks and burns on contact. Even low voltages can cause a shock and lead to accidents.

- Never touch live components such as welding current sockets or stick, tungsten or wire electrodes!
- Always place torches and electrode holders on an insulated surface!
- Wear the full personal protective equipment (depending on the application)!
- The machine may only be opened by qualified personnel!
- The device must not be used to defrost pipes!



Hazard when interconnecting multiple power sources!

If a number of power sources are to be connected in parallel or in series, only a technical specialist may interconnect the sources as per standard *IEC 60974-9:2010:*Installation and use and German Accident Prevention Regulation BVG D1 (formerly VBG 15) or country-specific regulations.

Before commencing arc welding, a test must verify that the equipment cannot exceed the maximum permitted open circuit voltage.

- Only qualified personnel may connect the machine.
- When taking individual power sources out of operation, all mains and welding current leads
 must be safely disconnected from the welding system as a whole. (Hazard due to reverse
 polarity voltage!)
- Do not interconnect welding machines with pole reversing switch (PWS series) or machines for AC welding since a minor error in operation can cause the welding voltages to be combined, which is not permitted.



Risk of injury due to improper clothing!

During arc welding, radiation, heat and voltage are sources of risk that cannot be avoided. The user has to be equipped with the complete personal protective equipment at all times. The protective equipment has to include:

- Respiratory protection against hazardous substances and mixtures (fumes and vapours);
 otherwise implement suitable measures such as extraction facilities.
- Welding helmet with proper protection against ionizing radiation (IR and UV radiation) and heat
- Dry welding clothing (shoes, gloves and body protection) to protect against warm
 environments with conditions comparable to ambient temperatures of 100 °C or higher and
 arcing and work on live components.
- Hearing protection against harming noise.



Risk of injury due to radiation or heat!

Arc radiation can lead to skin and eye injuries.

Contact with hot workpieces and sparks can lead to burns.

- Use hand shield or welding helmet with the appropriate safety level (depends on the application).
- Wear dry protective clothing (e.g. hand shield, gloves, etc.) in accordance with the applicable regulations of your country.
- Persons who are not directly involved should be protected with a welding curtain or suitable safety screen against radiation and the risk of blinding!



△ WARNING



Explosion risk!

Apparently harmless substances in closed containers may generate excessive pressure when heated.

- Move containers with inflammable or explosive liquids away from the working area!
- Never heat explosive liquids, dusts or gases by welding or cutting!



Fire hazard!

Due to the high temperatures, sparks, glowing parts and hot slag that occur during welding, there is a risk of flames.

- · Be watchful of potential sources of fire in the working area!
- Do not carry any easily inflammable objects, e.g. matches or lighters.
- Ensure suitable fire extinguishers are available in the working area!
- Thoroughly remove any residue of flammable materials from the workpiece prior to starting to weld.
- Only further process workpieces after they have cooled down. Do not allow them to contact any flammable materials!





Smoke and gases!

Smoke and gases can lead to breathing difficulties and poisoning. In addition, solvent vapour (chlorinated hydrocarbon) may be converted into poisonous phosgene due to the ultraviolet radiation of the arc!

- Ensure that there is sufficient fresh air!
- Keep solvent vapour away from the arc beam field!
- Wear suitable breathing apparatus if appropriate!



Noise exposure!

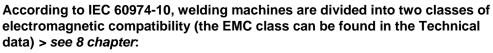
Noise exceeding 70 dBA can cause permanent hearing damage!

- Wear suitable ear protection!
- Persons located within the working area must wear suitable ear protection!

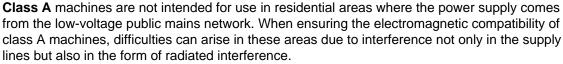


▲ CAUTION











Class B machines fulfil the EMC requirements in industrial as well as residential areas, including residential areas connected to the low-voltage public mains network.

Setting up and operating

When operating arc welding systems, in some cases, electro-magnetic interference can occur although all of the welding machines comply with the emission limits specified in the standard. The user is responsible for any interference caused by welding.

In order to **evaluate** any possible problems with electromagnetic compatibility in the surrounding area, the user must consider the following: (see also EN 60974-10 Appendix A)

- Mains, control, signal and telecommunication lines
- Radios and televisions
- Computers and other control systems
- · Safety equipment
- The health of neighbouring persons, especially if they have a pacemaker or wear a hearing aid
- · Calibration and measuring equipment
- The immunity to interference of other equipment in the surrounding area
- The time of day at which the welding work must be carried out

Recommendations for reducing interference emission

- · Mains connection, e.g. additional mains filter or shielding with a metal tube
- Maintenance of the arc welding system
- Welding leads should be as short as possible and run closely together along the ground
- Potential equalization
- Earthing of the workpiece. In cases where it is not possible to earth the workpiece directly, it should be connected by means of suitable capacitors.
- · Shielding from other equipment in the surrounding area or the entire welding system



Electromagnetic fields!

The power source may cause electrical or electromagnetic fields to be produced which could affect the correct functioning of electronic equipment such as IT or CNC devices, telecommunication lines, power cables, signal lines and pacemakers.



- Observe the maintenance instructions > see 6.2 chapter!
- Unwind welding leads completely!
- · Shield devices or equipment sensitive to radiation accordingly!
- The correct functioning of pacemakers may be affected (obtain advice from a doctor if necessary).



Obligations of the operator!

The respective national directives and laws must be complied with when operating the machine!

- Implementation of national legislation relating to framework directive 89/391/EEC on the introduction of measures to encourage improvements in the safety and health of workers at work and associated individual guidelines.
- In particular, directive 89/655/EEC concerning the minimum safety and health requirements for the use of work equipment by workers at work.
- The regulations applicable to occupational safety and accident prevention in the country concerned.
- Setting up and operating the machine as per IEC 60974.-9.
- Brief the user on safety-conscious work practices on a regular basis.
- Regularly inspect the machine as per IEC 60974.-4.

For your safety

Safety instructions





The manufacturer's warranty becomes void if non-genuine parts are used!

- Only use system components and options (power sources, welding torches, electrode holders, remote controls, spare parts and replacement parts, etc.) from our range of products!
- Only insert and lock accessory components into the relevant connection socket when the machine is switched off.

Requirements for connection to the public mains network

High-performance machines can influence the mains quality by taking current from the mains network. For some types of machines, connection restrictions or requirements relating to the maximum possible line impedance or the necessary minimum supply capacity at the interface with the public network (Point of Common Coupling, PCC) can therefore apply. In this respect, attention is also drawn to the machines' technical data. In this case, it is the responsibility of the operator, where necessary in consultation with the mains network operator, to ensure that the machine can be connected.



2.5 **Transport and installation**

serious injuries!

Risk of injury due to improper handling of shielding gas cylinders! Improper handling and insufficient securing of shielding gas cylinders can cause

- Observe the instructions from the gas manufacturer and any relevant regulations concerning the use of compressed air!
- Do not attach any element to the shielding gas cylinder valve!
- Prevent the shielding gas cylinder from heating up.

CAUTION

WARNING



Risk of accidents due to supply lines!

During transport, attached supply lines (mains leads, control cables, etc.) can cause risks, e.g. by causing connected machines to tip over and injure persons!

Disconnect all supply lines before transport!



Risk of tipping!

There is a risk of the machine tipping over and injuring persons or being damaged itself during movement and set up. Tilt resistance is guaranteed up to an angle of 10° (according to IEC 60974-1).

- Set up and transport the machine on level, solid ground.
- Secure add-on parts using suitable equipment.



Risk of accidents due to incorrectly installed leads!

Incorrectly installed leads (mains, control and welding leads or intermediate hose packages) can present a tripping hazard.

- Lay the supply lines flat on the floor (avoid loops).
- Avoid laying the leads on passage ways.



Risk of injury from heated coolant and its connections!

The coolant used and its connection or connection points can heat up significantly during operation (water-cooled version). When opening the coolant circuit, escaping coolant may cause scalding.

- Open the coolant circuit only when the power source or cooling unit is switched off!
- Wear proper protective equipment (protective gloves)!
- Seal open connections of the hose leads with suitable plugs.
- The units are designed for operation in an upright position! 3 Operation in non-permissible positions can cause equipment damage.
 - Only transport and operate in an upright position!
- Accessory components and the power source itself can be damaged by incorrect connection! B
 - Only insert and lock accessory components into the relevant connection socket when the machine is switched off.
 - Comprehensive descriptions can be found in the operating instructions for the relevant accessory components.
 - Accessory components are detected automatically after the power source is switched on.
- Protective dust caps protect the connection sockets and therefore the machine against dirt and 图 damage.
 - The protective dust cap must be fitted if there is no accessory component being operated on that connection.
 - The cap must be replaced if faulty or if lost!



3 Intended use



△ WARNING



Hazards due to improper usage!

The machine has been constructed to the state of the art and any regulations and standards applicable for use in industry and trade. It may only be used for the welding procedures indicated at the rating plate. Hazards may arise for persons, animals and material objects if the equipment is not used correctly. No liability is accepted for any damages arising from improper usage!

- The equipment must only be used in line with its designated purpose and by trained or expert personnel!
- Do not improperly modify or convert the equipment!

3.1 Use and operation solely with the following machines

A suitable power source (system component) is required in order to operate the wire feed unit! This machine can be combined with any TIG welding machine.

3.2 **Applications**

Wire feeder for integration in a welding system for TIG cold / hot wire welding.



3.3 Documents which also apply

3.3.1 Warranty

For more information refer to the "Warranty registration" brochure supplied and our information regarding warranty, maintenance and testing at www.ewm-group.com!

3.3.2 Declaration of Conformity

The labelled product complies with the following EC directives in terms of its design and construction:



- Low Voltage Directive (LVD)
- Electromagnetic Compatibility Directive (EMC)
- Restriction of Hazardous Substance (RoHS)

In case of unauthorised changes, improper repairs, non-compliance with specified deadlines for "Arc Welding Equipment – Inspection and Testing during Operation," and/or prohibited modifications which have not been explicitly authorised by the manufacturer, this declaration shall be voided. An original document of the specific declaration of conformity is included with every product.

3.3.3 Welding in environments with increased electrical hazards



In compliance with IEC / DIN EN 60974, VDE 0544 the machines can be used in environments with an increased electrical hazard.

3.3.4 Service documents (spare parts and circuit diagrams)



WARNING

Do not carry out any unauthorised repairs or modifications!

To avoid injury and equipment damage, the unit must only be repaired or modified by specialist, skilled persons!

The warranty becomes null and void in the event of unauthorised interference.

Appoint only skilled persons for repair work (trained service personnel)!

Original copies of the circuit diagrams are enclosed with the unit.

Spare parts can be obtained from the relevant authorised dealer.

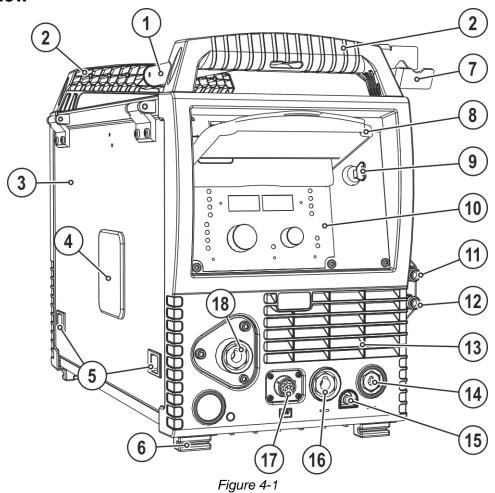
3.3.5 Calibration/Validation

We hereby confirm that this product was tested with calibrated measuring equipment according to the applicable standards IEC/EN 60974, ISO/EN 17662, EN 50504 and complies with the permissible tolerances. Recommended calibration interval: 12 months.



4 Machine description – quick overview

4.1 Front view





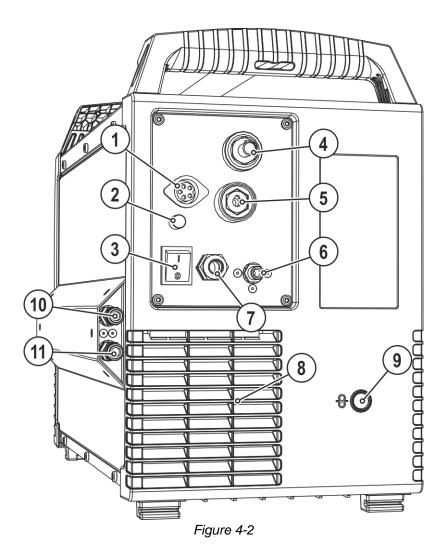




Item	Symbol	Description
1		Transport bar
2		Carrying handle
3		Protective cap Cover for the wire feed mechanism and other operating elements. Depending on the machine series, additional stickers with information on the replacement parts and JOB lists will be located on the inside.
4		Wire spool inspection window Check wire supply
5		Slide latch, lock for the protective cap
6		Machine feet
7		Torch holder
8		Protective cap > see 5.1.1 chapter
9	0 1	Key switch for protection against unauthorised use > see 5.3 chapter 1 changes possible,G front drive-4x-EX 0 changes not possible.
10		Machine control > see 4.3 chapter
11	Red	Quick connect coupling (red) coolant return
12	Blue	Quick connect coupling (blue) coolant supply
13		Cooling air outlet
14		Connection socket (TIG hot wire) Hot wire power, minus potential
15		Quick connect coupling Shielding gas
16		Connection socket (TIG) Welding current, minus potential
17	7	Connection socket (12-pole) Welding torch control lead
18		Wire electrode connection Welding torch wire feed



4.2 **Rear view**









Item	Symbol	Description
1	△	Connector plug, 5-pole
		Control lead
2	Fuse	Machine fuse (6,3 A)
	6.3A	
3	- 0	Main switch, machine on/off
4		Connector plug (TIG)
		Welding current, minus potential
5		Connection socket (TIG hot wire)
	T	Hot wire power, plus potential, workpiece connection
6		Connecting nipple G¼, shielding gas connection
7		Mains connection cable > see 5.1.7 chapter
8		Cooling air inlet
9	0	External wire feed inlet
	O	Pre-cut casing inlet for external wire feed.
10	\hookrightarrow	Quick connect coupling (red)
	Red	coolant return
11	4	Quick connect coupling (blue)
	Blue	coolant supply



4.3 **Machine control – Operating elements**

Unnamed operating elements have no function in this machine configuration!

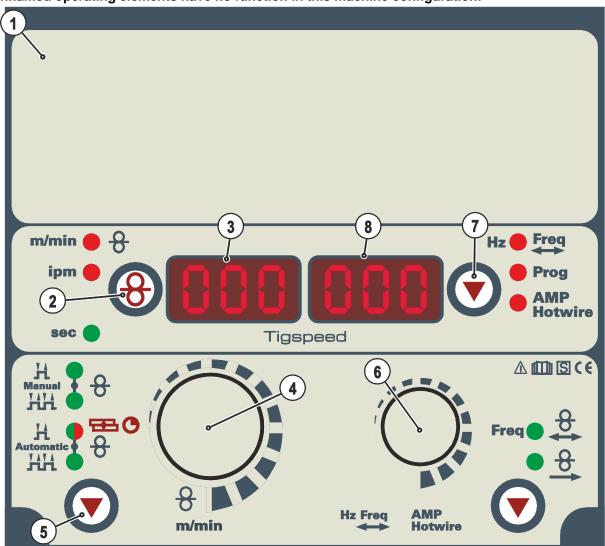


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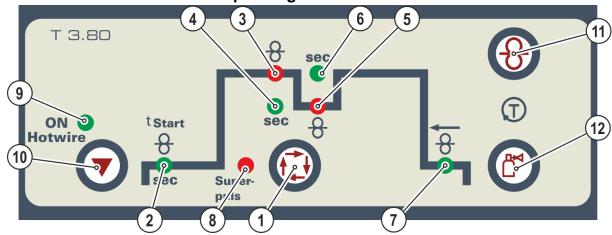


Machine description – quick overview Machine control – Operating elements

Item Symbol Description		Description			
1		Lid > see 4.3.1 chapter			
2	0	Push-button for switching the wire feed speed display			
	(4)	m/min Wire feed speed in meters per minute.			
		ipm Wire feed speed in inch per minute.			
3	888	Display, left			
-		Wire feed speed			
4		Rotary dial, welding parameter setting			
		To set the wire feed speed and other welding parameters.			
	8				
5	m/min	Operating mode selection push-button			
3		H Non-latched, manual			
		HH Latched, manual			
		H Non-latched, automatic			
		HH Latched, automatic			
		Signal light lights up in red: TIG tack welding			
6	15Th.	Rotary knob to set the parameters for hot wire current/program number			
Ū		• Selection of the hot wire current 40 A–180 A			
		Selection of the program number			
7		Display switching push-button			
		Prog Program number display			
		AMP Hotwire Hot wire current display			
8	888	Display, right			
		Hot wire current, program number			



Machine control – Concealed operating elements 4.3.1

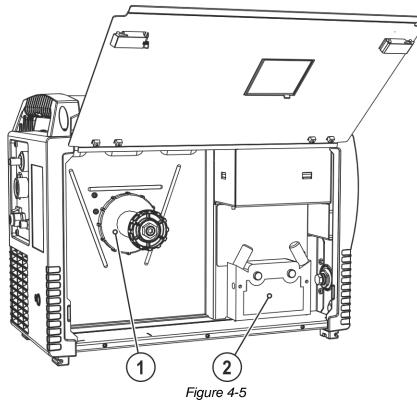


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Item	Symbol	Description
1	1	Select welding parameters button This button is used to select the welding parameters depending on the welding process and operating mode used.
2	† Start	Signal light, wire feeder start delay Setting range 0.0 s to 20.0 s
3		Signal light, wire feed speed of main program (P _A)
4	sec	Signal light, duration of main program P _A Setting range 0.1 s to 20.0 s (0.1 s increments). Used e.g. in connection with the super pulse function
5		Signal light, wire feed speed of reduced main program (P _B)
6	sec	Signal light, duration of reduced main program P _B Setting range: 0.1 s to 20.0 s (0.1 s increments). Use in conjunction with the SuperPulse function or tack welding.
7	d	Signal light, wire return Setting range from 0.0 mm to 50.0 mm
8	Super- puls	Signal lamp, super pulse function Lights up when the super pulse function is active.
9		Signal light, ON Hotwire Lights up when the Hotwire function is active.
10	•	Push-button, ON Hotwire Switch Hotwire function on/off.
11	8	Push-button, wire inching Potential- and gas-free inching of the wire electrode through the hose package to the welding torch > see 5.1.12.3 chapter.
12		Push-button gas test / rinse hose package > see 5.1.13 chapter



4.3.2 Operating elements in the machine



Item	Symbol	Description
1		Wire spool holder
2		Wire feed unit



4.4 **Connection plan**

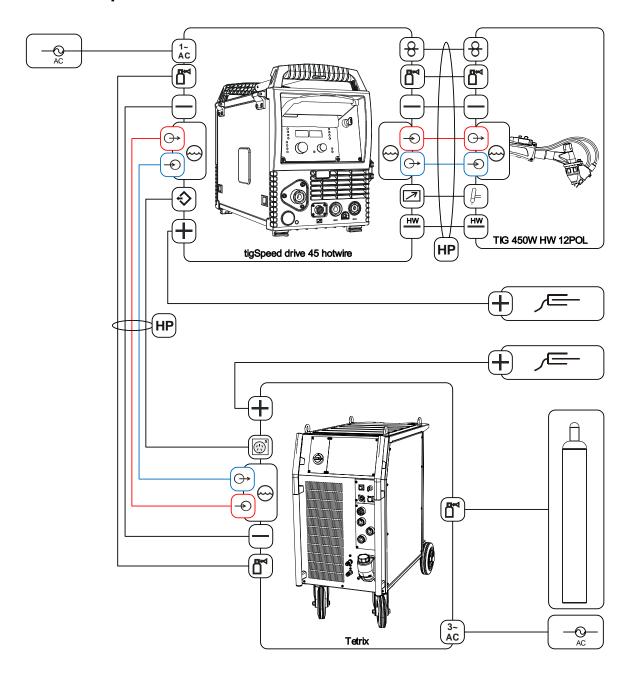


Figure 4-6







Legend 4.4.1

	Shielding gas
	Welding current (minus potential)
(A)	Coolant inlet (colour-coded)
\bigoplus	Coolant outlet (colour-coded)
HP	Hose package (HP = hose package)
+	Welding current (plus potential, workpiece)
	Control cable, hot wire (signal input, 5-pole)
③	Control cable, hot wire (signal output, 5-pole)
1~ AC	Supply voltage connection (1-phase)
3~ AC	Supply voltage connection (3-phase)
	Welding torch control cable connection (12-pole)
HW	Hot wire current, (minus potential, TIG hot wire)
	Welding torch control cable (12-pole)
8	Wire feeding



5 Design and function



△ WARNING

Risk of injury from electrical voltage!

Contact with live parts, e.g. power connections, can be fatal!

- Observe the safety information on the first pages of the operating instructions!
- Commissioning must be carried out by persons who are specifically trained in handling power sources!
- · Connect connection or power cables while the machine is switched off!

Read and observe the documentation to all system and accessory components!

5.1 Transport and installation

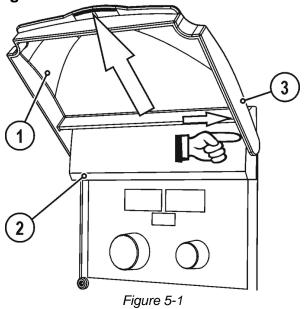


MARNING

Risk of accident due to improper transport of machines that must not be lifted! Do not lift or suspend the machine! The machine can drop and cause injuries! The handles, straps or brackets are suitable for transport by hand only!

The machine must not be suspended or lifted using a crane.

5.1.1 Protective flap, welding machine control



Item	Symbol	Description
1		Protective cap
2		Lid
3		Bracket, protective cap

• Push the right-hand bracket of the protective cap to the right and remove the protective cap.

Design and function





5.1.2 Ambient conditions



The machine must not be operated in the open air and must only be set up and operated on a suitable, stable and level base!

- The operator must ensure that the ground is non-slip and level, and provide sufficient lighting for the place of work.
- · Safe operation of the machine must be guaranteed at all times.

B

Equipment damage due to contamination!

Unusually high amounts of dust, acids, corrosive gases or substances can damage the machine (observe maintenance intervals > see 6.2 chapter).

Avoid large amounts of smoke, steam, oily fumes, grinding dust and corrosive ambient air!

5.1.2.1 In operation

Temperature range of the ambient air:

-25 °C to +40 °C (-13 °F to 104 °F) [1]

Relative humidity:

- up to 50 % at 40 °C (104 °F)
- up to 90 % at 20 °C (68 °F)

5.1.2.2 Transport and storage

Storage in a closed room, temperature range of the ambient air:

-30 °C to +70 °C (-22 °F to 158 °F) [1]

Relative humidity

up to 90 % at 20 °C (68 °F)

5.1.3 Machine cooling



Insufficient ventilation results in a reduction in performance and equipment damage.

- · Observe the ambient conditions!
- Keep the cooling air inlet and outlet clear!
- Observe the minimum distance of 0.5 m from obstacles!

5.1.4 Workpiece lead, general



▲ CAUTION

Risk of burning due to incorrect welding current connection!

If the welding current plugs (machine connections) are not locked or if the workpiece connection is contaminated (paint, corrosion), these connections and leads can heat up and cause burns when touched!

- Check welding current connections on a daily basis and lock by turning to the right when necessary.
- Clean workpiece connection thoroughly and secure properly. Do not use structural parts of the workpiece as welding current return lead!

Ambient temperature dependent on coolant! Observe the coolant temperature range of the torch cooling



5.1.5 Notes on the installation of welding current leads

- Incorrectly installed welding current leads can cause faults in the arc (flickering).
- Lay the workpiece lead and hose package of power sources without HF igniter (MIG/MAG) for as long and as close as possible in parallel.
- Lay the workpiece lead and hose package of power sources with HF igniter (TIG) for as long as possible in parallel with a distance of 20 cm to avoid HF sparkover.
- Always keep a distance of at least 20 cm to leads of other power sources to avoid interferences
- Always keep leads as short as possible! For optimum welding results max. 30 m (welding lead + intermediate hose package + torch lead).

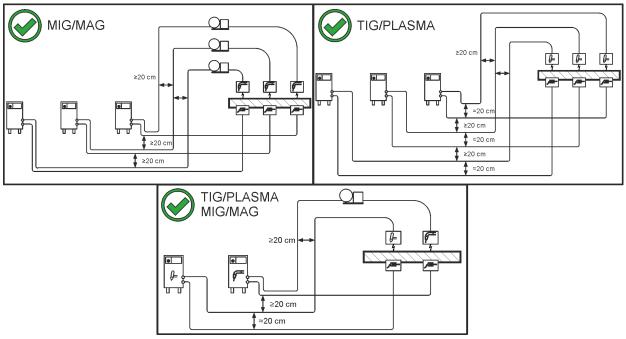


Figure 5-2

Use an individual welding lead to the workpiece for each welding machine!

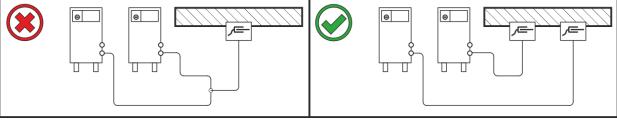


Figure 5-3

- Fully unroll welding current leads, torch hose packages and intermediate hose packages. Avoid loops!
- · Always keep leads as short as possible!

Lay any excess cable lengths in meanders.

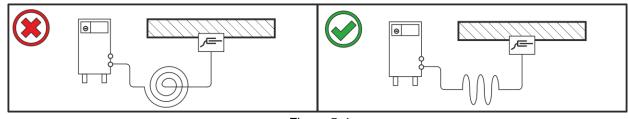


Figure 5-4



5.1.6 Stray welding currents

⚠ WARNING



Risk of injury due to stray welding currents!

Stray welding currents can destroy protective earth conductors, damage machines and electronic devices and cause overheating of components, leading to fire.

- Check that all welding current connections are firmly secured and electrical connections are in perfect condition.
- Set up, attach or suspend all conductive power source components such as casing, transport vehicles and crane frames so they are insulated.
- Do not place any other electronic devices such as drills or angle grinders on the power source, transport vehicle or crane frames unless they are insulated.
- Always put welding torches and electrode holders on an insulated surface when they are not in use.

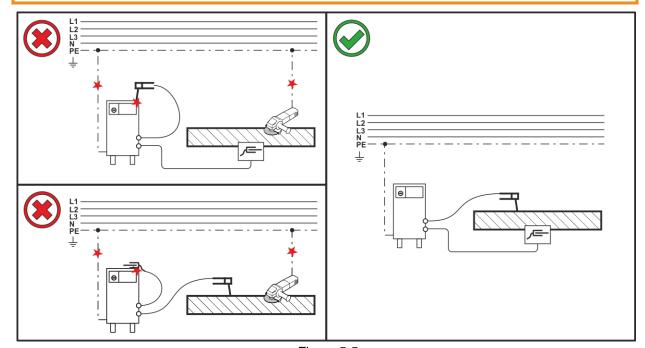


Figure 5-5



5.1.7 Mains connection



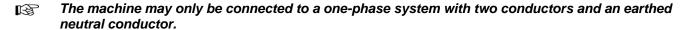
▲ DANGER

Hazards caused by improper mains connection!

An improper mains connection can cause injuries or damage property!

- The connection (mains plug or cable), the repair or voltage adjustment of the device must be carried out by a qualified electrician in accordance with the respective local laws or national regulations!
- The mains voltage indicated on the rating plate must match the supply voltage.
- Only operate machine using a socket that has correctly fitted protective earth.
- · Mains plug, socket and lead must be checked by a qualified electrician on a regular basis!
- When operating the generator, always ensure it is earthed as stipulated in the operating instructions. The network created must be suitable for operating machines according to protection class I.

5.1.7.1 Mains configuration



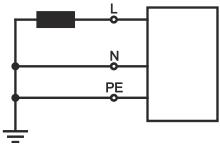


Figure 5-6

Legend			
Item	Designation	Colour code	
L	Outer conductor	brown	
N	Neutral conductor	blue	
PE	Protective conductor	green-yellow	

• Insert mains plug of the switched-off machine into the appropriate socket.

5.1.8 Welding torch cooling system



Insufficient frost protection in the welding torch coolant!

Depending on the ambient conditions, different liquids are used for cooling the welding torch > see 5.1.8.1 chapter.

Coolants with frost protection (KF 37E or KF 23E) must be checked regularly to ensure that the frost protection is adequate to prevent damage to the machine or the accessory components.

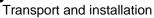
- The coolant must be checked for adequate frost protection with the TYP 1 frost protection tester.
- Replace coolant as necessary if frost protection is inadequate!

Coolant mixtures!

Mixtures with other liquids or the use of unsuitable coolants result in material damage and renders the manufacturer's warranty void!

- Only use the coolant described in this manual (overview of coolants).
- · Do not mix different coolants.
- When changing the coolant, the entire volume of liquid must be changed.

Dispose of the coolant in accordance with local regulations and the material safety data sheets.





5.1.8.1 Permitted torch coolant

Coolant	Temperature range
KF 23E (Standard)	-10 °C to +40 °C (14 °F to +104 °F)
KF 37E	-20 °C to +30 °C (-4 °F to +86 °F)

5.1.8.2 Maximal hose package length

All information relates to the total hose package length of the complete welding system and presents exemplary configurations (of components of the EWM product portfolio with standard lengths). A straight kink-free installation is to be ensured, taking into account the max. delivery height.

Pump: Pmax = 3,5 bar (0.35 MPa)

Power source	Hose package	Wire feeder	miniDrive	Welding torch	Max.
	*	(%)	⊘	⊘	
Campast			(25 m / 82 ft.)	(5 m / 16 ft.)	
Compact	⊘	②	(X)	Θ	
	(20 m / 65 ft.)			(5 m / 16 ft.)	30 m
	⊘	②	(X)	⊘	98 ft.
Dagampagt	(25 m / 82 ft.)			(5 m / 16 ft.)	
Decompact	Θ	②	⊘	⊘	
	(15 m / 49 ft.)		(10 m / 32 ft.)	(5 m / 16 ft.)	

Pump: Pmax = 4.5 bar (0.45 MPa)

Power source	Hose package	Wire feeder	miniDrive	Welding torch	Max.
	*	(X)	⊘	⊘	30 m
Compact			(25 m / 82 ft.)	(5 m / 16 ft.)	98 ft.
Compact	Θ	⊘	(X)	Θ	40 m
	(30 m / 98 ft.)			(5 m / 16 ft.)	131 ft.
	⊘	②	(X)	②	45 m
Dagampagt	(40 m / 131 ft.)			(5 m / 16 ft.)	147 ft.
Decompact	⊘	⊘	②	②	70 m
	(40 m / 131 ft.)		(25 m / 82 ft.)	(5 m / 16 ft.)	229 ft.



5.1.9 Intermediate hose package connection

Property damage due to strain relief not installed or not installed correctly!

The strain relief absorbs tensile forces on cables, plugs and sockets.

If strain reliefs are not installed or not installed correctly, the connector plugs or sockets.

If strain reliefs are not installed or not installed correctly, the connector plugs or sockets may be damaged.

- The attachment must always take place on both sides of the intermediate hose package!
- The connections of the hose package must be locked properly!

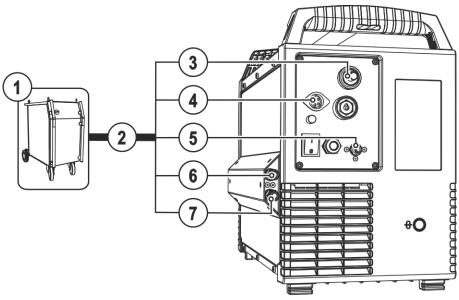


Figure 5-7

Item	Symbol	Description
1		Power source
2		Intermediate hose package
3		Connector plug (TIG) Welding current, minus potential
4	♦	Connector plug, 5-pole Control lead
5		Connecting nipple G1/4, shielding gas connection
6	Red	Quick connect coupling (red) coolant return
7	Blue	Quick connect coupling (blue) coolant supply

- Secure both hose package ends with the appropriate strain relief > see 5.1.9.1 chapter.
- Push the cable socket for the welding current (TIG) onto the connector plug (TIG) and lock by turning to the right.
- Lock connecting nipples of the cooling water tubes into the corresponding quick connect couplings: Return line red to quick connect coupling, red (coolant return) and supply line blue to quick connect coupling, blue (coolant supply).
- Insert the control cable plug into the connection socket (5-pole) and secure (the plug can only be inserted into the connection socket in one position).
- Screw the crown nut on the shielding gas lead gastight to the connecting thread (G1/4").



5.1.9.1 Intermediate hose package strain relief

The available attachment points of the intermediate hose package depend on the corresponding system configuration. Depending on the system configuration, suitable options for retrofitting (ON) are available.

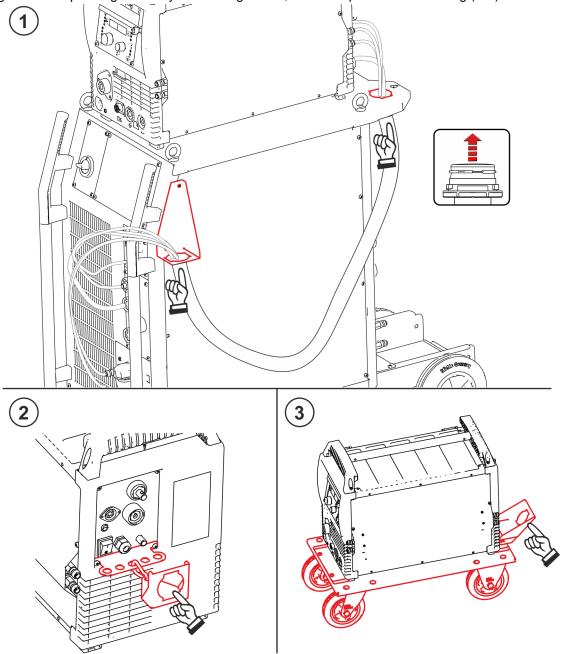


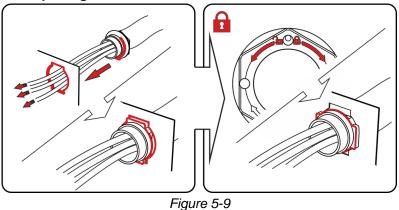
Figure 5-8

Item	Symbol	Description	
1		ON SR	
		Combination with mobile power sources	
2		ON AS SR tigSpeed	
		Universal combination	
3		ON WAK tigSpeed	
		Combination with transport system	



5.1.9.2 Locking the strain relief

EWM intermediate hose package



5.1.9.3 Control cable pin configuration

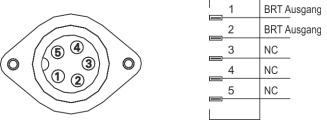


Figure 5-10

Output (make contact) for torch trigger input of the power source (floating contact)



5.1.10 Connection for workpiece lead

The item described in the following is part of the machine's scope of delivery.

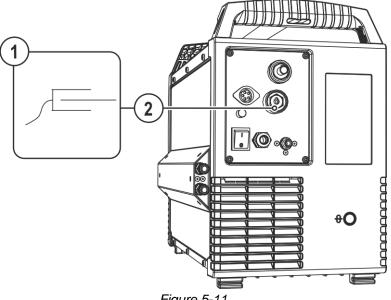


Figure 5-11

Item	Symbol	Description
1	<u></u>	Workpiece
2	+	Connection socket (TIG hot wire) Hot wire power, plus potential, workpiece connection

Push the cable plug for the hot wire current onto the connection socket (TIG hot wire) and lock by turning to the right.



5.1.11 Welding torch connection

Equipment damage due to improperly connected coolant pipes!

If the coolant pipes are not properly connected or a gas-cooled welding torch is used, the coolant circuit is interrupted and equipment damage can occur.

- Connect all coolant pipes correctly!
- Completely unroll the hose package and the torch hose package!
- Observe maximal hose package length > see 5.1.8.2 chapter.
- When using a gas-cooled welding torch, use a hose bridge to establish the coolant circuit > see 9 chapter.

Prepare welding torch according to the welding task in hand (see operating instructions for the torch).

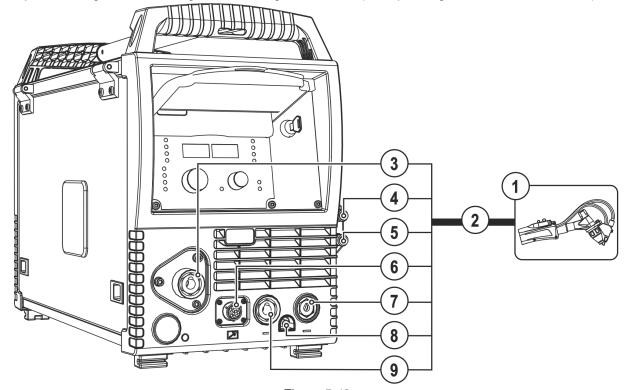


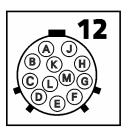
Figure 5-12

Item	Symbol	Description
1		Welding torch
		Observe additional system documents!
2		Welding torch hose package
3		Wire electrode connection
		Welding torch wire feed
4		Quick connect coupling (red)
	Red 😂	coolant return
5	\longrightarrow	Quick connect coupling (blue)
	Blue	coolant supply
6	7	Connection socket (12-pole)
		Welding torch control lead
7		Connection socket (TIG hot wire)
		Hot wire power, minus potential
8	Д★	Quick connect coupling
		Shielding gas
9		Connection socket (TIG)
		Welding current, minus potential



- · Extend and lay out the torch hose package.
- Insert the wire feed plug of the welding torch into the wire electrode connector and lock by turning to the right.
- Push the cable plug for the welding current (TIG) onto the connection socket (TIG) and lock by turning to the right.
- Insert shielding gas rapid-action closure nipple in the quick connect coupling and engage.
- Insert welding torch control lead into the 12-pole connection socket and secure with the crown nut. If fitted:
- Lock connecting nipples of the cooling water tubes into the corresponding quick connect couplings: Return line red to quick connect coupling, red (coolant return) and supply line blue to quick connect coupling, blue (coolant supply).
- Push the cable plug for the hot wire current onto the connection socket (TIG hot wire) and lock by turning to the right.

5.1.11.1 Control cable pin configuration



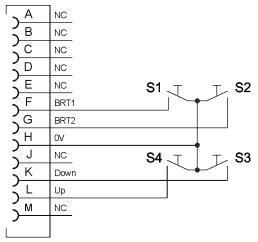


Figure 5-13



5.1.12 Wire feed

CAUTION



Risk of injury due to moving parts!

The wire feeders are equipped with moving parts, which can trap hands, hair, clothing or tools and thus injure persons!

- Do not reach into rotating or moving parts or drive components!
- Keep casing covers or protective caps closed during operation!



Risk of injury due to welding wire escaping in an unpredictable manner! Welding wire can be conveyed at very high speeds and, if conveyed incorrectly, may escape in an uncontrolled manner and injure persons!

- Before mains connection, set up the complete wire guide system from the wire spool to the welding torch!
- Check wire guide at regular intervals!
- Keep all casing covers or protective caps closed during operation!

5.1.12.1 Inserting the wire spool



CAUTION

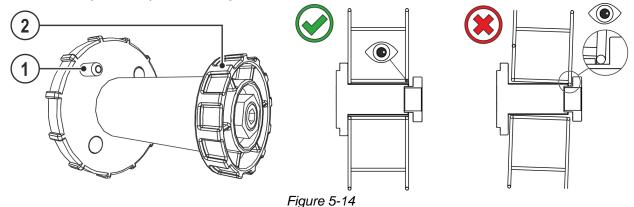


Risk of injury due to incorrectly secured wire spool.

If the wire spool is not secured properly, it may come loose from the wire spool support and fall to the ground, causing damage to the machine and injuries.

- Make sure to correctly fasten the wire spool to the wire spool support.
- Before you start working, always check the wire spool is securely fastened.

Standard D300 wire spool holder can be used. Adapters are required when using standardised basket coils (DIN 8559) > see 9 chapter.



	Item	Symbol	Description	
	1		Carrier pin	
			For fixing the wire spool	
2 Knurled nut			Knurled nut	
			For fixing the wire spool	

- Unlock and open protective flap.
- Loosen knurled nut from spool holder.
- Fix welding wire reel onto the spool holder so that the carrier pin locks into the spool bore.
- Fasten wire spool using knurled nut.

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5.1.12.2 Changing the wire feed rollers

Poor welding results due to faulty wire feeding! Wire feed rolls must be suitable for the diameter of the wire and the material.

- Check the label of the rolls whether they fit the wire diameter. If necessary, turn or change!
- · Use V-groove rolls for steel wires and other hard wires.
- Use driven rolls with U-groove for aluminium wires and other soft, alloyed wires.
- Use driven rolls with knurled U-groove for flux cored wires.
- Slide new drive rollers into place so that the diameter of the wire used is visible on the drive roller.
- · Screw the drive rollers in place with knurled screws.

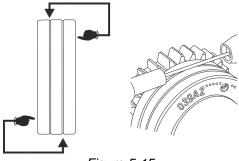


Figure 5-15

5.1.12.3 Inching the wire electrode



A CAUTION

Risk of injury due to welding wire escaping from the welding torch!

The welding wire can escape from the welding torch at high speed and cause bodily injury including injuries to the face and eyes!

Never direct the welding torch towards your own body or towards other persons!

The inching speed is infinitely adjustable by simultaneously pressing the wire inching pushbutton and turning the wire speed rotary knob. The left display shows the wire feed speed selected, the right display shows the current motor current of the wire feed mechanism.



Incorrect contact pressure will cause extensive wear of the wire feed rollers!

- With the adjusting nuts of the pressure units set the contact pressure so that the wire electrode is conveyed but will still slip through if the wire spool jams.
- Set the contact pressure of the front rollers (in wire feed direction) to a higher value!



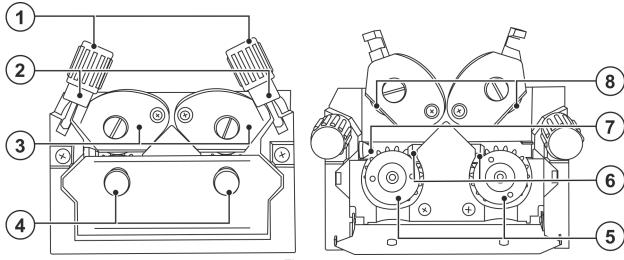


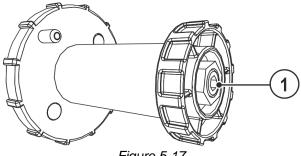
Figure 5-16

Item	Symbol	Description	
1		Adjusting nut	
2		Feed roll tensioner	
		ixing the clamping unit and setting the pressure.	
3		Clamping unit	
4		Knurled screw	
5		Drive roller	
6		Guide tube	
7		Wire feed nipple	
8		Pressure roller	

- Extend and lay out the torch hose package.
- Unfasten pressure units and fold out (clamping units and pressure rollers will automatically flip upwards).
- Unwind welding wire carefully from the wire spool and insert through the wire inlet nipple over the drive roller grooves and the guide pipe into the capillary tube and Teflon core using guide pipe.
- Press the clamping element with the pressure roller back downwards and fold the wire units back up again (wire electrode should be in the groove on the drive roller).
- Set the contact pressure with the adjusting nuts of the pressure unit.
- Press the wire inching button until the wire electrode projects out of the welding torch.



5.1.12.4 Spool brake setting



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Item	Symbol	Description	
1		Allen screw	
		Securing the wire spool retainer and adjustment of the spool brake	

• Tighten the Allen screw (8 mm) in the clockwise direction to increase the braking effect.

Tighten the spool brake until the wire spool no longer turns when the wire feed motor stops but without it jamming during operation!

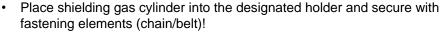
5.1.13 Shielding gas supply (shielding gas cylinder for welding machine)

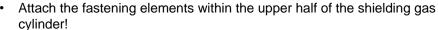
5.1.13.1 Connecting the shielding gas supply



⚠ WARNING

Risk of injury due to improper handling of shielding gas cylinders! Improper handling and insufficient securing of shielding gas cylinders can cause serious injuries!











An unhindered shielding gas supply from the shielding gas cylinder to the welding torch is a fundamental requirement for optimum welding results. In addition, a blocked shielding gas supply may result in the welding torch being destroyed.

- Always re-fit the yellow protective cap when not using the shielding gas connection.
- · All shielding gas connections must be gas tight.



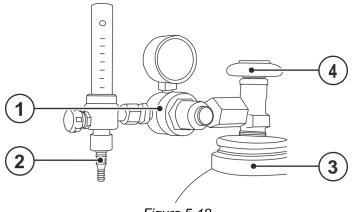


Figure 5-18

Item	Symbol	Description	
1		Pressure regulator	
2		Shielding gas cylinder	
3		Output side of the pressure regulator	
4 Cylinder valve		Cylinder valve	

- Place the shielding gas cylinder into the relevant cylinder bracket.
- · Secure the shielding gas cylinder using a securing chain.
- Tighten the pressure regulator screw connection on the gas bottle valve to be gas-tight.
- Tighten gas hose on pressure regulator to be gas tight.
- Fasten the gas hose to the shielding gas connecting nipple at the back of the machine using the crown
 nut.

5.1.13.2 Shielding gas volume settings

If the shielding gas setting is too low or too high, this can introduce air to the weld pool and may cause pores to form. Adjust the shielding gas quantity to suit the welding task!

- · Slowly open the gas cylinder valve.
- Open the pressure regulator.
- Switch on the power source at the main switch.
- Trigger gas test > see 5.1.13.3 chapter function (welding voltage and wire feed motor remain switched off no accidental arc ignition).
- Set the relevant gas quantity for the application on the pressure regulator.

Setting instructions

Welding process	Recommended shielding gas quantity
MAG welding	Wire diameter x 11.5 = I/min
MIG brazing	Wire diameter x 11.5 = I/min
MIG welding (aluminium)	Wire diameter x 13.5 = I/min (100 % argon)
TIG	Gas nozzle diameter in mm corresponds to I/min gas throughput

Helium-rich gas mixtures require a higher gas volume!

The table below can be used to correct the gas volume calculated where necessary:

Shielding gas	Factor
75% Ar/25% He	1.14
50% Ar/50% He	1.35
25% Ar/75% He	1.75
100% He	3.16

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5.1.13.3 Gas test

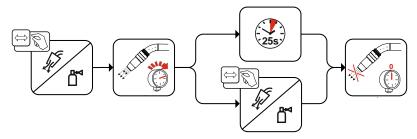


Figure 5-19

5.1.13.4 Purge hose package

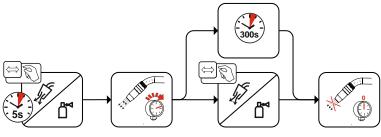


Figure 5-20

5.1.14 Configuring the welding machine for mechanical arc fusion welding

The welding machine must be configured before commissioning for the first time for mechanical arc fusion welding (cold or hot wire welding). The basic settings are configured directly at the welding machine control.

Cold or hot wire welding process (Hotwire = on/off)

In addition, the wire return can be adjusted if necessary.



5.1.14.1 Selection and adjustment

To set the welding programs, you can use the machine control. The left hand display shows the wire feed speed, the right hand display shows further parameter settings such as program number or hot wire current (for hotwire only). The operating mode is identical for all programs.

The following selection is an example of use:

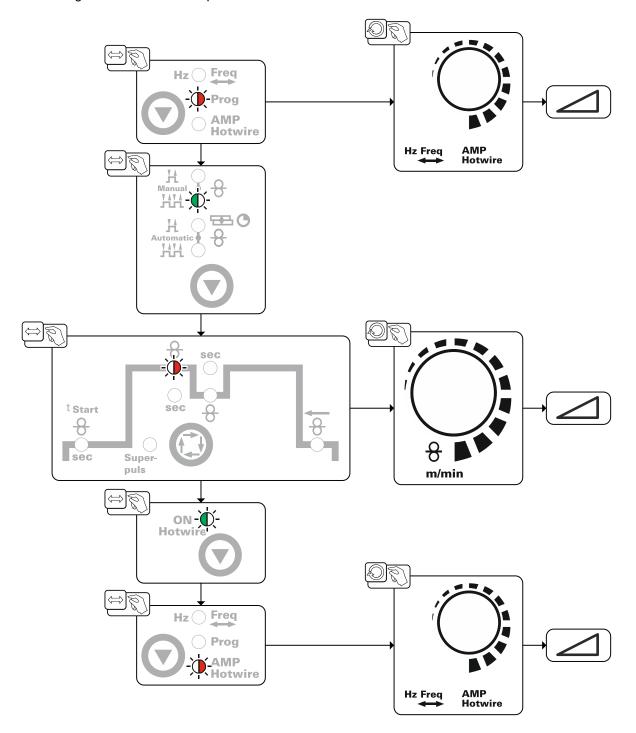
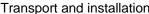


Figure 5-21





5.1.14.2 superPuls

The EWM superPuls function enables automatic switching between two operating points in a process.

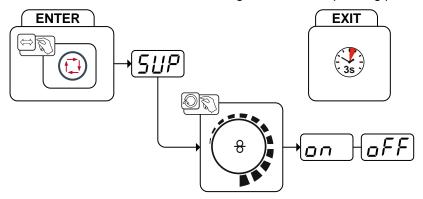


Figure 5-22

Display	Setting/selection
5!!0	Selects superPuls
עטב)	Switches function on or off.
	Switch on
	Switching on machine function
	Switch off
	Switching off machine function



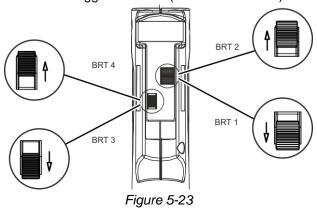
5.1.15 Operating modes (functional sequences)

Torch trigger 1 (BRT 1) switches the welding current on or off.

Torch trigger 2 (BRT 2) switches the wire feeding on or off.

In addition, you can inch the wire by pressing torch trigger 2 (BRT 2) or reverse inch the wire by tapping it.

You can choose between four operating modes (see the following functional sequences). Wire feeding is infinitely adjustable by means of torch triggers 3 and 4 (BRT 3 and BRT 4).



5.1.15.1 Explanation of symbols

Symbol	Meaning
L	Press torch trigger
1	Release torch trigger
↓↑	Tap torch trigger (quick pressing and releasing)
	Shielding gas flowing
ı	Welding performance
8 H Manual	Non-latched, manual
8 HH Manual	Latched, manual
8 Automatic	Non-latched automatic
8 Automatic	Latched automatic
t	Time
P _{START}	Start program
P _A	Main program
P _B	Reduced main program
P _{END}	End program
8	Wire feeding



5.1.15.2 Non-latched Manual

The welding machine (power source) must be set to operating mode "latched".

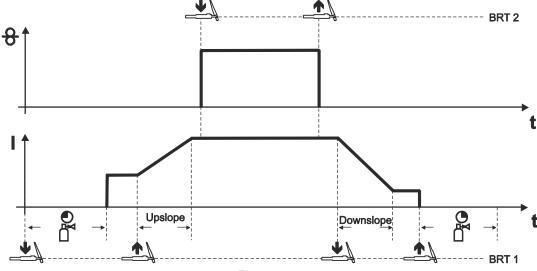


Figure 5-24

First cycle (current)

- Press torch trigger 1 (BRT 1), the gas pre-flow time elapses.
- HF ignition pulses jump from the tungsten electrode to the workpiece. The arc ignites.
- · Welding current flows.

Second cycle (current)

- · BRT 1 Release.
- The welding current ramps up to the main current AMP in the selected up-slope time.

First cycle (wire)

Press torch trigger 2 (BRT 2).
 Wire electrode is fed.

Second cycle (wire)

BRT 2 Release.
 Wire electrode feeding is stopped, wire electrode is returned by the set wire return value.

Third cycle (current)

- BRT 1 Press.
- The main current is reduced in the selected down-slope time.

Fourth cycle (current)

- BRT 1 Release, the arc extinguishes.
- · Shielding gas continues to flow in the selected gas post-flow time.



5.1.15.3 Latched manual

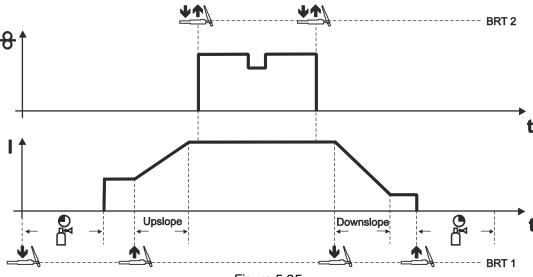


Figure 5-25

This operating mode differs from non-latched operation in the following ways:

- Wire feeding is started by pressing and releasing (tapping) BRT 2.
- · By tapping you can switch to the reduced wire feeding.
- By pressing and releasing (tapping) BRT 2 again, wire feeding will stop. (It is not necessary to keep the torch trigger pressed. This is especially helpful with long welding seams.)

Stopping the welding process:

• Keep BRT 1 pressed for a period longer than the set tapping time.

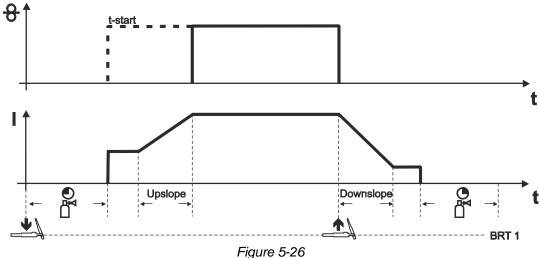
The wire feeding can be stopped prematurely by pressing BRT2.

For this, the parameter "3-stroke" must be activated > see 5.2 chapter.



5.1.15.4 Non-latched automatic

The welding machine (power source) must be set to operating mode "non-latched".



First cycle (current)

- · Press torch trigger 1 (BRT 1) and keep pressed.
- · The gas pre-flow time elapses.
- HF ignition pulses jump from the electrode to the workpiece. The arc ignites.
- · The welding current flows and immediately assumes the value of the starting current I_{start}.
- · HF switches off.
- The welding current increases in the set up-slope time to the main current AMP.
- The wire electrode is fed once the delay time (t-start) has elapsed.

Second cycle (current)

- · Release BRT 1.
- Wire electrode feeding is stopped, wire electrode is returned by the set wire return value.
- The main current is reduced in the selected down-slope time, the arc is extinguished.
- · Shielding gas continues to flow in the selected gas post-flow time.



5.1.15.5 Latched automatic

The welding machine (power source) must be set to operating mode "latched".

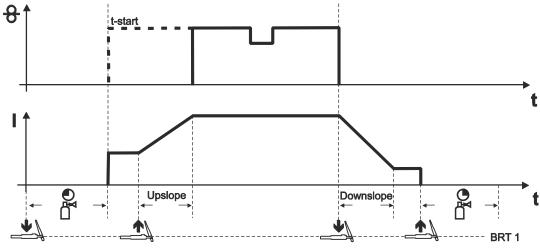


Figure 5-27

1. cycle (current)

- Press torch trigger 1 (BRT 1), the gas pre-flow time elapses.
- HF ignition pulses jump from the tungsten electrode to the workpiece. The arc ignites.
- · Welding current flows.

2. cycle (current)

Release BRT 1.

• The welding current ramps up to the main current AMP in the selected up-slope time.

1. cycle (wire)

• The wire electrode is fed once the delay time (t-start) has elapsed.

3. cycle (current)

- · Press BRT 1.
- The main current is reduced in the selected down-slope time.

2. cycle (wire)

· Wire electrode feeding is stopped, wire electrode is returned by the set wire return value.

4. cycle (current)

- · Release BRT 1, the arc extinguishes.
- Shielding gas continues to flow in the selected gas post-flow time.
- By tapping you can switch to the reduced wire feeding.
- By pressing and releasing (tapping) BRT 1 again, wire feeding will stop. (It is not necessary to keep the torch trigger pressed. This is especially helpful with long welding seams.)

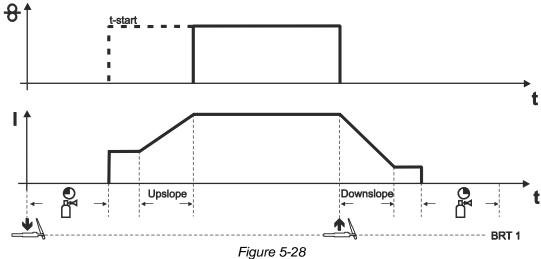
Stopping the welding process:

• Keep BRT 1 pressed for a period longer than the set tapping time.



5.1.15.6 Tack welding

The welding machine (power source) must be set to operating mode "non-latched".



Sequence:

- · Press torch trigger 1 (BRT 1) and keep pressed.
- · The gas pre-flow time elapses.
- HF ignition pulses jump from the electrode to the workpiece. The arc ignites.
- The welding current flows and immediately assumes the value of the starting current I_{start}.
- · HF switches off.
- · The welding current increases in the set up-slope time to the main current AMP.
- The wire electrode is fed once the delay time (t-start) has elapsed.
- Release BRT 1.
- Wire electrode feeding is stopped, wire electrode is returned by the set wire return value.
- The main current is reduced in the selected down-slope time, the arc is extinguished.
- · Shielding gas continues to flow in the selected gas post-flow time.



5.2 Menus and sub-menus on the machine control

5.2.1 Direct menus (direct access to parameters)

Functions, parameters and their values can be accessed directly, e.g. can be selected by pressing a button once.

5.2.2 Expert menu

The Expert menu has adjustable parameters stored that don't require regular setting. The number of parameters shown may be limited, e.g. if a function is deactivated.

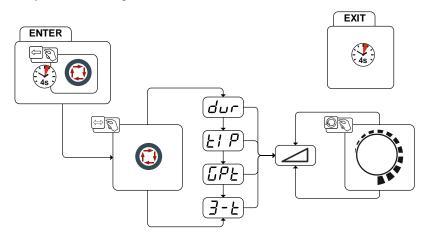


Figure 5-29

Display	Setting/selection
-d	Wire return
dur	Increase value = more wire return
	Decrease value = less wire return
	Tapping time
	Setting range: 0.0 s to 0.6 s (0.1 s increments).
[DL	Gas post-flow time
	Setting range: 0.0 s to 40.0 s (0.1 s increments).
[]_L	Wire stop with manual latched operation
<u>ם - ב</u>	on = wire stops in the 3rd cycle
	off = wire stops in the 4th cycle (ex works)

5.3 Access control

To prevent people from unauthorised or inadvertent changing of the welding parameters at the machine, entering values on the control can be blocked by using the key switch.

Key position 1 = All parameters can be set

Key position 0 = The follow

The following controls/functions cannot be changed:

- · Push-button for switching the wire feed speed display
- Parameter value " hot wire current " can be displayed but not changed
- Parameter value "forward/backward motion" can be displayed but not changed
- Parameter values in the functional sequence can be displayed but not changed

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5.4 Welding torch holder

The item described in the following is part of the machine's scope of delivery.

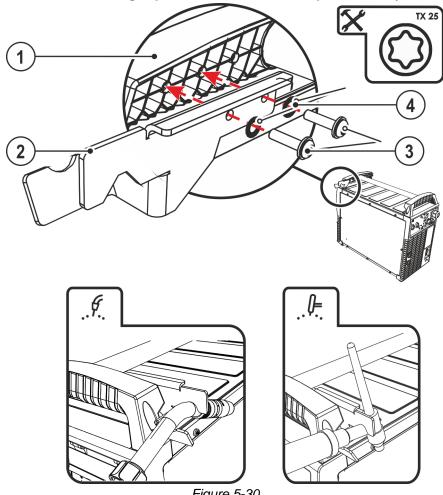


Figure 5-30

Item	Symbol	Description	
1		Crossmember of the transport handle	
2	2 Torch holder		
3	Fixing screws (x 4)		
4 Fan-type lock washers		Fan-type lock washers	

- Use the mounting screws to screw the torch holder onto the crossmember of the transport handle.
- Insert the welding torch into the welding torch holder as shown.



6 Maintenance, care and disposal

6.1 General



Risk of injury due to electrical voltage after switching off!
Working on an open machine can lead to fatal injuries!
Capacitors are loaded with electrical voltage during operation. Voltage remains present for up to four minutes after the mains plug is removed.

▲ DANGER

- 1. Switch off machine.
- 2. Remove the mains plug.
- 3. Wait for at last 4 minutes until the capacitors have discharged!

▲ WARNING



Incorrect maintenance, testing and repair!

Maintenance, testing and repair of the machine may only be carried out by skilled and qualified personnel. A qualified person is one who, because of his or her training, knowledge and experience, is able to recognise the dangers that can occur while testing welding power sources as well as possible subsequent damage, and who is able to implement the required safety procedures.

Observe the maintenance instructions > see 6.2 chapter.

• In the event that the provisions of one of the below-stated tests are not met, the machine must not be operated again until it has been repaired and a new test has been carried out!

Repair and maintenance work may only be performed by qualified authorised personnel; otherwise the right to claim under warranty is void. In all service matters, always consult the dealer who supplied the machine. Return deliveries of defective equipment subject to warranty may only be made through your dealer. When replacing parts, use only original spare parts. When ordering spare parts, please quote the machine type, serial number and item number of the machine, as well as the type designation and item number of the spare part.

Under the specified ambient conditions and normal working conditions this machine is essentially maintenance-free and requires just a minimum of care.

Contamination of the machine may impair service life and duty cycle. The cleaning intervals depend on the ambient conditions and the resulting contamination of the machine. The minimum interval is every six months.

6.1.1 Cleaning

- Clean the outer surfaces with a moist cloth (no aggressive cleaning agents).
- Purge the machine venting channel and cooling fins (if present) with oil- and water-free compressed air. Compressed air may overspeed and destroy the machine fans. Never direct the compressed air directly at the machine fans. Mechanically block the fans, if required.
- Check the coolant for contaminants and replace, if necessary.

6.1.2 Dirt filter

The duty cycle of the welding machine decreases as an effect of the reduced cooling air volume. The dirt filter must be remove at regular intervals and cleaned by blowing out with compressed air (depending on the level of soiling).

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6.2 Maintenance work, intervals

6.2.1 Daily maintenance tasks

Visual inspection

- · Mains supply lead and its strain relief
- Gas cylinder securing elements
- Check hose package and power connections for exterior damage and replace or have repaired by specialist staff as necessary!
- Gas tubes and their switching equipment (solenoid valve)
- Check that all connections and wearing parts are hand-tight and tighten if necessary.
- Check correct mounting of the wire spool.
- Wheels and their securing elements
- Transport elements (strap, lifting lugs, handle)
- · Other, general condition

Functional test

- Operating, message, safety and adjustment devices (Functional test)
- Welding current cables (check that they are fitted correctly and secured)
- Gas tubes and their switching equipment (solenoid valve)
- · Gas cylinder securing elements
- · Check correct mounting of the wire spool.
- Check that all screw and plug connections and replaceable parts are secured correctly, tighten if necessary.
- · Remove any spatter.
- · Clean the wire feed rollers on a regular basis (depending on the degree of soiling).

6.2.2 Monthly maintenance tasks

Visual inspection

- Casing damage (front, rear and side walls)
- · Wheels and their securing elements
- Transport elements (strap, lifting lugs, handle)
- Check coolant tubes and their connections for impurities

Functional test

- Selector switches, command devices, emergency stop devices, voltage reducing devices, message and control lamps
- Check that the wire guide elements (inlet nipple, wire guide tube) are fitted securely.
- · Check coolant tubes and their connections for impurities
- Check and clean the welding torch. Deposits in the torch can cause short circuits and have a negative impact on the welding result, ultimately causing damage to the torch.

6.2.3 Annual test (inspection and testing during operation)

A periodic test according to IEC 60974-4 "Periodic inspection and test" has to be carried out. In addition to the regulations on testing given here, the relevant local laws and regulations must also be observed. For more information refer to the "Warranty registration" brochure supplied and our information regarding warranty, maintenance and testing at www.ewm-group.com!

Maintenance, care and disposal

Disposing of equipment



6.3 Disposing of equipment



Proper disposal!

The machine contains valuable raw materials, which should be recycled, and electronic components, which must be disposed of.

- · Do not dispose of in household waste!
- Observe the local regulations regarding disposal!
- According to European provisions (Directive 2012/19/EU on Waste of Electrical and Electronic
 Equipment), used electric and electronic equipment may no longer be placed in unsorted municipal
 waste. It must be collected separately. The symbol depicting a waste container on wheels indicates
 that the equipment must be collected separately.
 - This machine has to be disposed of, or recycled, in accordance with the waste separation systems in use.
- According to German law (law governing the distribution, taking back and environmentally correct disposal of electric and electronic equipment (ElektroG)), used machines are to be placed in a collection system separate from unsorted municipal waste. The public waste management utilities (communities) have created collection points at which used equipment from private households can be disposed of free of charge.
- Information about returning used equipment or about collections can be obtained from the respective municipal administration office.
- In addition to this, returns are also possible throughout Europe via EWM sales partners.

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7 Rectifying faults

All products are subject to rigorous production checks and final checks. If, despite this, something fails to work at any time, please check the product using the following flowchart. If none of the fault rectification procedures described leads to the correct functioning of the product, please inform your authorised dealer.

7.1 Checklist for rectifying faults

The correct machine equipment for the material and process gas in use is a fundamental requirement for perfect operation!

Legend	Symbol	Description
	₩	Fault/Cause
	*	Remedy

Coolant error/no coolant flowing

- ✓ Insufficient coolant flow
 - Check coolant level and refill if necessary
 - ★ Eliminate kinks in conduit system (hose packages)
 - Reset automatic cutout of the coolant pump by activating
- ✓ Air in the coolant circuit
 - ★ Vent coolant circuit > see 7.4 chapter

Functional errors

- ★ All machine control signal lights are illuminated after switching on
- ✓ No machine control signal light is illuminated after switching on
- ✓ No welding power
 - ★ Phase failure > check mains connection (fuses)
- ✓ Several parameters cannot be set (machines with access block)
 - Entry level is blocked, disable access lock > see 5.3 chapter
- Connection problems
 - * Make control lead connections and check that they are fitted correctly.

Welding torch overheated

- ✓ Loose welding current connections
 - ★ Tighten power connections on the torch and/or on the workpiece
 - ★ Tighten contact tip correctly
- ✓ Overload
 - Check and correct welding current setting
 - ★ Use a more powerful welding torch

Unstable arc

- ✓ Unsuitable or worn welding torch equipment
 - * Adjust contact tip to wire diameter and -material and replace if necessary
 - * Adjust wire guide to material in use, blow through and replace if necessary
- ✓ Material inclusions in the tungsten electrode due to contact with filler material or workpiece
 - * Regrind or replace the tungsten electrode
- ✓ Incompatible parameter settings
 - Check settings and correct if necessary



Wire feed problems

- ✓ Unsuitable or worn welding torch equipment
 - Adjust contact tip (cold wire/hot wire) to wire diameter, blow through and replace if necessary
 - * Adjust wire guide to material in use, blow through and replace if necessary
- Contact tip blocked
 - ★ Clean, spray with anti-spatter spray and replace if necessary
- ✓ Setting the spool brake > see 5.1.12.4 chapter
 - Check settings and correct if necessary
- ✓ Setting pressure units > see 5.1.12.3 chapter
 - Check settings and correct if necessary
- ✓ Worn wire rolls
 - Check and replace if necessary
- ✓ Wire feed motor without supply voltage (automatic cutout triggered by overloading)
 - Reset triggered fuse (rear of the power source) by pressing the key button
- - ★ Extend and lay out the torch hose package
- ✓ Incompatible parameter settings
 - ★ Check settings and correct if necessary
- - ★ Replace gas nozzle

Pore formation

- ✓ Inadequate or missing gas shielding
 - * Check shielding gas setting and replace shielding gas cylinder if necessary
 - Shield welding site with protective screens (draughts affect the welding result)
 - ★ Use gas lens for aluminium applications and high-alloy steels
- Unsuitable or worn welding torch equipment
 - ★ Check size of gas nozzle and replace if necessary
- Condensation (hydrogen) in the gas tube
 - Replace hose package

7.2 Error messages

A welding machine error is indicated by the collective fault signal lamp (A1) lighting up and an error code (see table) being displayed in the machine control display. In the event of a machine error, the power unit shuts down.

The display of possible error numbers depends on the machine version (interfaces/functions).

• Document machine errors and inform service staff as necessary.

Error message Possible cause		Remedy		
Err 3 Speedometer error 0		Check wire guide/hose package		
Err 10 PE error		Switch the machine off and on again. If the error persists, notify the service department.		
Err 34	Hot wire inverter	Switch the machine off and on again. If the error persists, notify the service department.		

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7.3 Resetting welding parameters to the factory settings

All customised welding parameters that are stored will be replaced by the factory settings.

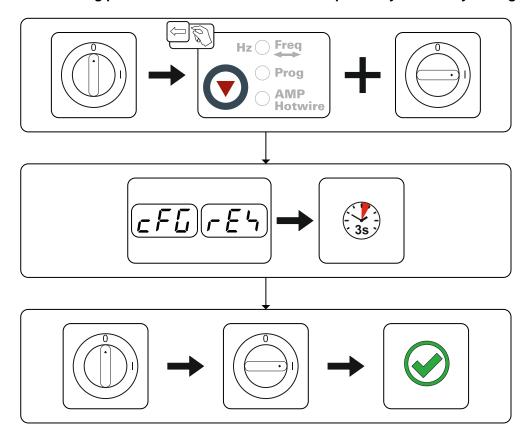


Figure 7-1



7.4 Vent coolant circuit

To vent the cooling system always use the blue coolant connection, which is located as deep as possible inside the system (close to the coolant tank)!

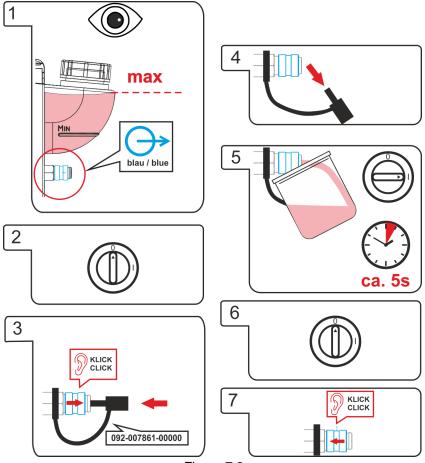


Figure 7-2

Complete the following steps to vent the welding torch:

- Connect the welding torch to the cooling unit
- Switch on the welding machine

Venting the welding torch starts and lasts for approx. 5 to 6 minutes.



8 Technical data

8.1 tigSpeed continuous drive 45 hotwire

Performance specifications and guarantee only in connection with original spare and replacement parts!

parts	
Hot wire current setting range	40 A to 180 A
max.Hot wire voltage	10 V
Duty cycle DC at 40° C [1]	
35 %	180 A
60 %	150 A
100 %	130 A
Open circuit voltage (U ₀)	98 V
Open circuit voltage (U _r)	<20 V
Mains voltage (Tolerance)	1 x 230 V (-40 % to +15 %)
Frequency	50/60 Hz
mains fuse [2]	1 x 10 A
Mains connection cable	H07RN-F3G2,5
max. Connected load (S ₁)	2,7 kVA
Generator rating (Rec.)	4 kVA
Cos φ / efficiency	0,99 / 86 %
Protection class / Overvoltage category	I / III
Contamination level	3
Insulation class / protection classification	H / IP 23
Residual current circuit breaker	Type B (recommended)
Noise level [3]	<70 dB(A)
Ambient temperature [4]	-25 °C to +40 °C
Machine cooling / Torch cooling	Fan (AF) / gas
Wire feed speed	0,3 m/min to 15 m/min
Factory-installed roll equipment	1,0/1,2 mm for steel wire
Drive	4 rollers (37 mm)
Wire spool diameter	Standardised wire spools up to 300 mm
Welding torch connection	Decentralised connection
Workpiece lead (min.)	
Hot wire current	25 mm ²
Welding current (I ₂)	95 mm ²
EMC class	A
Safety marking	C € / S / FMI
Standards used	See declaration of conformity (appliance documents)
Dimensions L / B / H	636 x 324 x 482 mm
	25.0 x 12.8 x 19.0 inch
Weight	31,5 kg
	69.4 lb.

 $^{^{[1]}}$ Load cycle: 10 min. (60 % DC \triangleq 6 min. welding, 4 min. pause)

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^[2] Safety fuses are recommended DIAZED xxA gG. When using automatic cutouts, the "C" trigger characteristic must be used.

Noise level during idle mode and operation under standard load according to IEC 60974- 1 at the maximum operating point.

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[4] Ambient temperature dependent on coolant! Observe coolant temperature range!



9 Accessories

Performance-dependent accessories like torches, workpiece leads, electrode holders or intermediate hose packages are available from your authorised dealer.

9.1 Options

Туре	Designation	Item no.
ON WAK tigSpeed	Wheel assembly kit with strain relief	092-007927-00000
ON Filter TG.0003	Dirt filter	092-002662-00000
ON AS SR tigSpeed	Strain relief	092-003685-00000

9.2 General accessories

Туре	Designation	Item no.
ADAP ZSP 5POLIG/500MM	Adapter for tigSpeed intermediate hose package for connection to equipment from other manufacturers	094-019463-00000
tigSpeed 95QMM W AW 5POL 2m	Intermediate hose package, water-cooled, filler wire, incl. strain relief	094-019139-00000
tigSpeed 95QMM W AW 5POL 5m	Intermediate hose package, water-cooled, filler wire, incl. strain relief	094-019139-00005
tigSpeed 95QMM W AW 5POL 10m	Intermediate hose package, water-cooled, filler wire, incl. strain relief	094-019139-00010
DM 842 Ar/CO2 230bar 30l D	Pressure regulator with manometer	394-002910-00030
GH 2X1/4" 2M	Gas hose	094-000010-00001
AK300	Wire spool adapter K300	094-001803-00001
ADAP CEE16/SCHUKO	Earth contact coupling/CEE16A plug	092-000812-00000
RTG U/D 12POL 5m	Remote control	094-019921-00000



Replaceable parts 10

Performance specifications and guarantee only in connection with original spare and replacement

Wire feed rollers 10.1

10.1.1 Wire feed rollers for steel wire

Туре	Designation	Item no.
FE 2DR4R 0,6+0,8	Drive rollers, 37 mm, steel	092-000839-00000
FE 2DR4R 0,8+1,0 Drive rollers, 37 mm, steel		092-000840-00000
FE 2DR4R 0,9+1,2	Drive rollers, 37 mm, steel	092-000841-00000
FE 2DR4R 1,0+1,2	Drive rollers, 37 mm, steel	092-000842-00000
FE 2DR4R 1,2+1,6	Drive rollers, 37 mm, steel	092-000843-00000
FE/AL 2GR4R SF	Pressure rollers, smooth, 37 mm	092-000414-00000

10.1.2 Conversion kit

Туре	Designation	Item no.
URUE VERZ>UNVERZ FE/AL	Conversion kit, 37mm, 4-roller drive on non-toothed	092-000415-00000
4R SF	rollers (steel/aluminium)	

10.1.3 Wire feed rollers for aluminium wire

Туре		Designation	Item no.	
	AL 4ZR4R 0,8+1,0	Twin rollers, 37 mm, for aluminium	092-000869-00000	
	AL 4ZR4R 1,0+1,2	Twin rollers, 37 mm, for aluminium	092-000848-00000	
	AL 4ZR4R 1,2+1,6	Twin rollers, 37 mm, for aluminium	092-000849-00000	
	AL 4ZR4R 2,4+3,2	Twin rollers, 37 mm, for aluminium	092-000870-00000	

10.1.4 Conversion kit

Туре	Designation	Item no.
URUE AL 4ZR4R 0,8+1,0 SF	Conversion kit, 37 mm, 4-roller drive for aluminium	092-002268-00000
URUE AL 4ZR4R 1,0+1,2 SF	Conversion kit, 37 mm, 4-roller drive for aluminium	092-002266-00000
URUE AL 4ZR4R 1,2+1,6 SF	Conversion kit, 37 mm, 4-roller drive for aluminium	092-002269-00000
URUE AL 4ZR4R 2,4+3,2 SF	Conversion kit, 37 mm, 4-roller drive for aluminium	092-002270-00000

10.1.5 Wire feed rollers for cored wire

Туре	Designation	Item no.
ROE 2DR4R 0,8/0,9+0,8/0,9	Drive rollers, 37 mm, cored wire	092-000834-00000
ROE 2DR4R 1,0/1,2+1,4/1,6	Drive rollers, 37 mm, cored wire	092-000835-00000
ROE 2DR4R 1,4/1,6+2,0/2,4	Drive rollers, 37 mm, cored wire	092-000836-00000
ROE 2DR4R 2,8+3,2	Drive rollers, 37 mm, cored wire	092-000837-00000
ROE 2GR4R	Pressure rollers, knurled, 37mm	092-000838-00000

10.1.6 Conversion kit

Туре	Designation	Item no.
URUE ROE 2DR4R 0,8/0,9+0,8/0,9 SF	Conversion kit, 37 mm, 4-roller drive for cored wire	092-000410-00000
URUE ROE 2DR4R 1,0/1,2+1,4/1,6 SF	Conversion kit, 37 mm, 4-roller drive for cored wire	092-000411-00000
URUE ROE 2DR4R 1,4/1,6+2,0/2,4 SF	Conversion kit, 37 mm, 4-roller drive for cored wire	092-000412-00000
URUE ROE 2DR4R 2,8+3,2 SF	Conversion kit, 37 mm, 4-roller drive for cored wire	092-000413-00000

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11 Appendix

11.1 Setting instructions

The following lists help you to determine the parameters.

The actual parameters to be set depend on the joint and welding position.

The welding speed as well depends on the welding task and the parameters set.

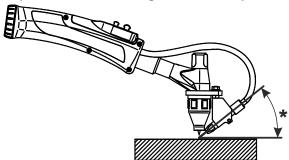


Figure 11-1

Item	Description		
t	Material thickness in mm		
Is	Welding current (TIG, power source)		
Dv	Wire feed speed (tigSpeed)		
Hz	Weave frequency (tigSpeed)		
IH	Hot wire current (tigSpeed)		
Vs	Welding speed		
Welding torch°	Torch angle		
Wire angle°	Wire feed angle		

11.1.1 Continuous TIG cold wire welding

Fillet weld PB position

	Parent metal: Unalloyed/low-alloy						
Welding consumable: Unalloyed/low-alloy, Ø 1.0 mm							
t [mm] Is [A] WF Hz [1/s] IH [A] Vs [cm/min] Welding torch [°]						Wire angle [°]	
1.5	90	0.8				Forehand 10– 20	41-42
2	135	1.0				Forehand 10– 20	41-42
4	180	1.8				Forehand 10– 20	41-42
6	220	2.5				Forehand 10– 20	41-42
8	260	3.5				Forehand 10– 20	41-42
10	280	4.5				Forehand 10– 20	41-42



Fillet weld PF position

	Parent metal: Unalloyed/low-alloy												
	Welding consumable: Unalloyed/low-alloy, Ø 1.0 mm												
t [mm] Is [A] WF Hz [1/s] IH [A] Vs [cm/min] Welding torch Wire angle													
1.5	90	0.8				Forehand 10– 20	41-42						
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8	260	3.5				Forehand 10– 20	41-42						
10	280	4.5				Forehand 10– 20	41-42						

11.1.2 Continuous TIG hot wire welding

Fillet weld PB position

	Parent metal: Unalloyed/low-alloy												
	Welding consumable: Unalloyed/low-alloy, Ø 1.0 mm												
t [mm]	Is [A]	Welding torch [°]	Wire angle [°]										
1.5	90	0.9		80		Forehand 10– 20	41-42						
2	135	1.2		80		Forehand 10– 20	41-42						
4	180	2.0		80		Forehand 10– 20	41-42						
6	220	2.7		80		Forehand 10– 20	41-42						
8	260	4.0		80		Forehand 10– 20	41-42						
10	280	5.0		80		Forehand 10– 20	41-42						

Fillet weld PF position

	Parent metal: Unalloyed/low-alloy												
	Welding consumable: Unalloyed/low-alloy, Ø 1.0 mm												
t [mm]	mm] Is [A] WF Hz [1/s] IH [A] Vs [cm/min] Welding torch Wire a												
1.5	90	0.9		80		Forehand 10– 20	41-42						
2	135	1.2		80		Forehand 10– 20	41-42						
4	180	2.0		80		Forehand 10– 20	41-42						
6	220	2.7		80		Forehand 10– 20	41-42						
8	260	4.0		80		Forehand 10– 20	41-42						
10	280	5.0		80		Forehand 10– 20	41-42						



11.1.3 superPuls TIG cold wire welding

Fillet weld PB position

Parent metal: Unalloyed/low-alloy Welding consumable: Unalloyed/low-alloy, Ø 1.0 mm Wf1/tWF1 Wf2/tWF2 Welding Wire angle t Is ΙH ۷s torch [cm/min] [mm] [A] [m/min] [sec] [m/min] [sec] [A] [°] [°] 1.5 0.0/off Forehand 15 100 1.9 0.15 0.35 45 2 140 3.5 0.0/off 0.35 Forehand 15 45 0.15 4 190 0.15 0.0/off 0.35 Forehand 15 45 4.0 240 5.0 0.0/off Forehand 15 45 6 0.15 0.35 45 8 280 6.5 0.15 0.0/off 0.35 Forehand 15 10 300 7.5 0.15 0.0/off 0.35 Forehand 15 45

Fillet weld PF position

	Parent metal: Unalloyed/low-alloy												
Welding consumable: Unalloyed/low-alloy, Ø 1.0 mm													
t	t Is Wf1/tWF1 Wf2/tWF2 IH Vs Welding Wire angle torch												
[mm]	[A]	[m/min]	[sec]	[m/min]	[sec]	[A]	[cm/min]	[°]	[°]				
1.5	100	1.9	0.15	0.0/off	0.35			Forehand 15	45				
2	140	3.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35			Forehand 15	45				
4	190	4.0	0.15	0.0/off	0.35			Forehand 15	45				
6	240	5.0	0.15	0.0/off	0.35			Forehand 15	45				
8	280	6.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35			Forehand 15	45				
10	300	7.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35			Forehand 15	45				



11.1.4 superPuls TIG hot wire welding

Fillet weld PB position

	Parent metal: Unalloyed/low-alloy	<u>/</u>		
a	consumable: Unalloyed/low-alloy	a.	1 N	m

	Welding consumable: Unalloyed/low-alloy, Ø 1.0 mm											
t	Is	Wf1/f	:WF1	Wf2/tWF2		IH	Vs	Welding torch	Wire angle			
[mm]	[A]	[m/min]	[sec]	[m/min]	[sec]	[A]	[cm/min]	[mm]	[A]			
1.5	100	2.0	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80		1.5	100			
2	140	3.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80		2	140			
4	190	4.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80		4	190			
6	240	5.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80		6	240			
8	280	7.0	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80		8	280			
10	300	8.0	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80		10	300			

Fillet weld PF position

Parent metal: Unalloyed/low-alloy

Welding co	onsumable:	Unalloy	ed/lov	v-alloy, ƙ	<i>1</i> .0	mm

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t	ls	Wf1/6	WF1	Wf2/f	Wf2/tWF2		Vs	Welding torch	Wire angle				
[mm]	[A]	[m/min]	[sec]	[m/min]	[sec]	[A]	[cm/min]	[°]	[°]				
1.5	100	2.0	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80		Forehand 15	45				
2	140	3.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80		Forehand 15	45				
4	190	4.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80		Forehand 15	45				
6	240	5.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80		Forehand 15	45				
8	280	7.0	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80		Forehand 15	45				
10	300	8.0	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80		Forehand 15	45				



11.1.5 Continuous TIG cold wire welding

Fillet weld PB position

Parent metal: High-alloy Welding consumable: High-alloy. Ø 1.0 mm WF Hz [1/s] IH [A] Vs [cm/min] **Welding torch** Wire angle [°] t [mm] Is [A] (m/min) [°] Forehand 10-1.5 90 41-42 8.0 20 135 Forehand 10-2 41-42 1.0 20 4 180 Forehand 10-41-42 1.8 Forehand 10-6 220 41-42 2.5 20 Forehand 10-8 260 41-42 3.5 10 280 Forehand 10-41-42 4.5 20

Fillet weld PF position

	Welding consumable: High-alloy. Ø 1.0 mm												
t [mm]	Is [A]	WF (m/min)	Hz [1/s]	IH [A]	Vs [cm/min]	Welding torch [°]	Wire angle [°]						
1.5	90	0.8				Forehand 10– 20	41-42						
2	135	1.0				Forehand 10– 20	41-42						
4	180	1.8				Forehand 10– 20	41-42						
6	220	2.5				Forehand 10– 20	41-42						
8	260	3.5				Forehand 10– 20	41-42						
10	280	4.5				Forehand 10– 20	41-42						

6

8

10

220

260

280

2.7

4.0

5.0



41-42

41-42

41-42

41-42

41-42

41-42

20 Forehand 10-

20

Forehand 10-

20

Forehand 10-

20

11.1.6 Continuous TIG hot wire welding

Fillet weld PB position

Parent metal: High-alloy Welding consumable: High-alloy. Ø 1.0 mm Is [A] WF Hz [1/s] IH [A] Vs [cm/min] Welding torch Wire angle [°] t [mm] (m/min) [°] Forehand 10-1.5 90 80 0.9 20 Forehand 10-2 135 80 1.2 20 80 Forehand 10-4 180 2.0

80

80

80

Fillet weld PF position

	Welding consumable: High-alloy. Ø 1.0 mm											
t [mm]	Is [A]	WF (m/min)	Hz [1/s]	IH [A]	Vs [cm/min]	Welding torch [°]	Wire angle [°]					
1.5	90	0.9		80		Forehand 10– 20	41-42					
2	135	1.2		80		Forehand 10– 20	41-42					
4	180	2.0		80		Forehand 10– 20	41-42					
6	220	2.7		80		Forehand 10– 20	41-42					
8	260	4.0		80		Forehand 10– 20	41-42					
10	280	5.0		80		Forehand 10– 20	41-42					



11.1.7 superPuls TIG cold wire welding

Fillet weld PB position

Parent metal: High-alloy
Welding consumable: High-alloy. Ø 1.0 mm

	Weiding consumable: High-alloy. Ø 1.0 mm												
t	Is	Wf1/tWF1		Wf2/tWF2		IH	Vs	Welding torch	Wire angle				
[mm]	[A]	[m/min]	[sec]	[m/min]	[sec]	[A]	[cm/min]	[°]	[°]				
1.5	90	1.9	0.15	0.0/off	0.35		32	Forehand 15	45				
2	135	3.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35		38	Forehand 15	45				
4	180	4.0	0.15	0.0/off	0.35		41	Forehand 15	45				
6	220	5.0	0.15	0.0/off	0.35		43	Forehand 15	45				
8	260	6.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35		43	Forehand 15	45				
10	280	7.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35		48	Forehand 15	45				

Fillet weld PF position

	Welding consumable: High-alloy. Ø 1.0 mm												
t	ls	Wf1/tWF1		Wf2/tWF2		IH	Vs	Welding torch	Wire angle				
[mm]	[A]	[m/min]	[sec]	[m/min]	[sec]	[A]	[cm/min]	[°]	[°]				
1.5	90	1.9	0.15	0.0/off	0.35			Forehand 15	45				
2	135	3.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35			Forehand 15	45				
4	180	4.0	0.15	0.0/off	0.35			Forehand 15	45				
6	220	5.0	0.15	0.0/off	0.35			Forehand 15	45				
8	260	6.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35			Forehand 15	45				
10	280	7.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35			Forehand 15	45				



11.1.8 superPuls TIG hot wire welding

Fillet weld PB position

Parent metal: High-alloy

Welding consumable: High-alloy. Ø 1.0 mm											
t	Is	Wf1/tWF1		Wf2/tWF2		IH	Vs	Welding torch	Wire angle		
[mm]	[A]	[m/min]	[sec]	[m/min]	[sec]	[A]	[cm/min]	[°]	[°]		
1.5	90	2.2	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80	32	Forehand 15	45		
2	135	3.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80	38	Forehand 15	45		
4	180	4.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80	41	Forehand 15	45		
6	220	5.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80	43	Forehand 15	45		
8	260	7.0	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80	43	Forehand 15	45		
10	280	8.0	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80	48	Forehand 15	45		

Fillet weld PF position

Welding consumable: High-alloy. Ø 1.0 mm												
t	ls	Wf1/tWF1		Wf2/tWF2		IH	Vs	Welding torch	Wire angle			
[mm]	[A]	[m/min]	[sec]	[m/min]	[sec]	[A]	[cm/min]	[°]	[°]			
1.5	90	2.2	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80		Forehand 15	45			
2	135	3.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80		Forehand 15	45			
4	180	4.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80		Forehand 15	45			
6	220	5.5	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80		Forehand 15	45			
8	260	7.0	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80		Forehand 15	45			
10	280	8.0	0.15	0.0/off	0.35	80		Forehand 15	45			



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