

WELDING COURSE TEST

Safety

- Q1. Be it in the shop or in the field, what is your first priority?
- A Safety
 - B Safety
 - C Safety
 - D All of the above
- Q2. Which of the following are the major hazards that welders are exposed to: electric shock, radiant energy, fumes, burns and dust?
- A Shock, fumes, burns and dust
 - B Shock, radiant energy, burns and fumes
 - C Shock, burns and fumes
 - D All of the above
- Q3. When is it OK to dust off yourself with oxygen?
- A Anytime
 - B Never
 - C To cool down when it gets too hot
 - D When the supervisor says it is OK
- Q4. Fire extinguishers should be kept _____.
- A locked away so they will not be stolen
 - B close to the work site
 - C immediately accessible
 - D on your truck
- Q5. When storing oxygen/acetylene cylinders, _____.
- A oxygen should be stored separately from fuel gases
 - B empty and full cylinders should be marked and stored separately
 - C cylinders should be chained when in use and when being stored
 - D all of the above
- Q6. When opening a high pressure cylinder valve, you should _____.
- A turn it all the way on
 - B turn it on part way
 - C crack the valve first and then open it all the way
 - D none of the above
- Q7. When installing a full, high-pressure cylinder, you should _____.
- A take off the cap and install
 - B set it in place, chain it down, then remove the cap
 - C lay the cylinder on its side and roll it to the cart or wall so it won't fall over

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- Q8. The average pressure in a full oxygen cylinder is _____.
- A 3,000 to 4,000 PSI @ 70 degrees F (20 degrees C)
 - B 2,200 to 2,400 PSI @ 70 degrees F (20 degrees C)
 - C 1,000 to 1,500 PSI @ 70 degrees F (20 degrees C)
 - D 2,600 to 2,800 PSI @ 70 degrees F (20 degrees C)
- Q9. Because H.P. cylinders are heat treated, it's OK to strike an arc on the side to test your heat range.
- Yes
 - No
- Q10. If oxygen under pressure comes into contact with grease or oil, it will react violently and can explode.
- True
 - False

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- Q11. When moving the oxy/acetylene rig in the back of your truck, it's ok to leave the regulators mounted as long as they are secured in the upright position by chain or other method.
- True
 - False
- Q12. When shutting down the oxygen/acetylene rig, you should turn off the _____.
- A acetylene first, oxygen second; leave the pressure adjusting screen as is
 - B oxygen first, acetylene second; leave the pressure adjusting screw as is
 - C acetylene first, oxygen second; loosen the pressure adjusting screw
 - D oxygen first, acetylene second; loosen the pressure adjusting screw
- Q13. Acetylene cylinders are high-pressure, like oxygen cylinders.
- True
 - False
- Q14. Acetylene as a gas is very unstable.
- True
 - False
- Q15. Acetylene cylinders are packed with a porous material, and the pores are filled with _____.
- A liquid nitrogen
 - B acetone
 - C paint thinner
 - D water

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Q16. What function does the acetone perform?

- A Stabilizes the acetylene
- B Adds weight to the cylinder
- C Doubles as paint thinner
- D Adds extra energy

Q17. At what pressure will acetylene become unstable?

- A 15 PSI
- B 45 PSI
- C 25 PSI

Q18. Acetylene has a peculiar odor; it smells like _____.

- A a rose
- B garlic
- C roasted potatoes
- D soap

Q19. If an acetylene cylinder is laid on its side, the acetone will leak out. Why is this dangerous?

- A If the acetone leaks out, it will dissolve the rubber hose allowing acetylene to leak into the atmosphere
- B By leaking out, it could cause the acetylene to become unstable
- C It will get into the regulator and harden causing the regulator to malfunction
- D All of the above

Q20. If you are cutting or welding and you smell acetone, you should immediately shut the acetylene off.

- True
- False

Q21. While the newer torches may have reverse-flow check-valves and/or spark arrestors built in, the older torches probably will not have them. Is it a good idea to add them to your equipment?

- Yes
- No

Q22. The adjusting screws on regulators should be backed out before opening cylinders and when shutting down.

- True
- False

Q23. When checking for leaks, you should _____.

- A listen for leaks
- B use the soap test
- C use your nose
- D all of the above

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- Q24. Before attaching the regulators, you should _____.
- A crack the valve slightly and turn off
 - B stand to one side of outlet while cracking valve
 - C check threads to make sure they are OK
 - D all of the above
- Q25. The "rule of thumb" pressure for manual oxygen/acetylene gas welding is _____.
- A acetylene 5-6, oxygen 10-12
 - B acetylene 10-11, oxygen 15-18
 - C acetylene 15-16, oxygen 20-25
 - D acetylene 3-4, oxygen 10-12
- Q26. The "rule of thumb" pressure for oxygen/acetylene cutting or burning is _____.
- A acetylene 5-6, oxygen 20-22
 - B acetylene 10-12, oxygen 25-30
 - C acetylene 15-17, oxygen 30-35
 - D acetylene 5-6, oxygen 30-35
- Q27. If popping or back-fire occurs, you can _____.
- A turn off the acetylene and let oxygen on to cool
 - B turn off the acetylene, let oxygen on, and dip in water
 - C turn oxygen off (after a. and b. above) and relight
 - D all of the above
- Q28. When you are finished using all oxygen acetylene equipment or leaving it unattended, it should be turned off and drained with no pressure or gases left in the hoses.
- True
- False
- Q29. After attaching the rig's, opening the cylinder-valve, and setting to the proper pressures, you should _____.
- A turn the acetylene knob on the torch slightly and use a striker to ignite the acetylene. Adjust the flame to eliminate the black soot then add oxygen slowly and adjust to a new flame
 - B slowly open the oxygen first, then add acetylene; this way there will not be any soot
 - C turn the acetylene knob and the oxygen knob at the same time and set to an oxidizing flame
- Q30. Acetylene fittings are colored green.
- True
- False

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Q31. Acetylene fittings are L.H. threads.

- True
- False

Q32. When burning or gas welding, you should use a face mask or goggles with a _____.

- A #5 shade
- B #10 shade
- C #12 shade
- D either a #5 or a #10 shade

Q33. What type of flame will be used in most gas welding?

- A Carburizing
- B Oxidizing
- C Neutral
- D A and B above

Q34. Which can cause the torch to pop or backfire?

- A Touching the tip to the work
- B Loose or dirty (contaminated tip)
- C Improper fuel-gas pressure
- D All of the above

Q35. What is the approximate temperature of the torch flame?

- A 2,250 degrees F
- B 5,800 degrees F
- C 3,580 degrees F
- D Electric-arc welding

Q36. Ultraviolet rays are _____.

- A visible
- B invisible

Q37. If the part to be welded has a coating of paint, plating, etc., you can _____.

- A grind coatings off area to be welded
- B take the torch and burn off what you can
- C weld through the coating without removing it
- D A or B above

Q38. Extreme caution should be used when welding in a confined space. You should _____.

- A have people trained in confined space use stand by
- B make sure to have plenty of ventilation, blowers, etc.
- C check OSHA guidelines
- D all of the above

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Q39. Never weld or cut near combustible materials.

- True
- False

Q40. GMAW is the AWS designation for _____.

- A good machines are wired
- B gas-metal arc welding
- C gas-metal acetylene welding
- D gas-machine arc welding

Q41. Welding sparks can cause hidden fires.

- True
- False

Q42. Welding power sources come in _____.

- A 110
- B 220 single phase/3 phase
- C 440 3 phase
- D portable generator rigs
- E all of the above

Q43. Which are correct names for types of welding machines?

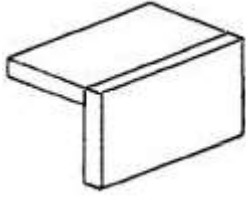
- 1. Inverter
 - 2. AC
 - 3. Motor generators
 - 4. CV
- A 1. and 2. above
 - B 1., 3. and 4. above
 - C 1., 2., 3. and 4. above
 - D 2. and 4. above

Q44. In welding, there are how many types of joints?

- A 8
- B 9
- C 5
- D 4

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Q45. Name this weld:



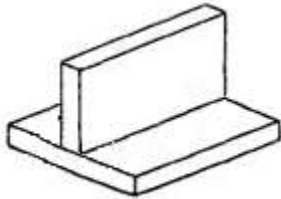
- A Butt
- B Tee
- C Corner
- D Lap
- E Edge

Q46. Name this weld:



- A Butt
- B Tee
- C Corner
- D Lap
- E Edge

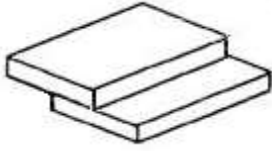
Q47. Name this weld:



- A Edge
- B Corner
- C Lap
- D Tee

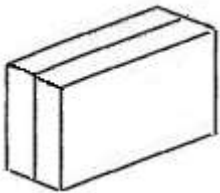
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Q48. Name this weld:



- A Lap
- B Corner
- C Butt
- D Edge
- E Tee

Q49. Name this weld:



- A Butt
- B Tee
- C Lap
- D Edge

Q50. The welding positions are _____.

- A horizontal
- B vertical up
- C vertical down
- D overhead
- E flat
- F all of the above

Q51. GTAW has also been known as _____.

- A tungsten arc welding
- B TIG
- C heli-arc
- D none of the above

Q52. TIG torches are both air and water cooled.

- True
- False

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- Q53. When you are welding aluminum with argon, set the polarity to _____.
- A DC+
 - B DC-
 - C AC
 - D AC+
- Q54. When welding carbon steel or stainless steel with argon, set the polarity to _____.
- A DC+
 - B DC-
 - C AC
 - D AC-
- Q55. Which two shielding gases are used in manual GTAW welding?
- A Carbon dioxide and oxygen
 - B Argon and carbon dioxide
 - C Helium and argon
 - D Oxygen and argon
- Q56. In GTAW welding, tungsten electrodes are considered _____.
- A consumables
 - B non-consumables
 - C combustible
 - D disposable
- Q57. Aluminum melts at slightly above _____.
- A 1,200 degrees F
 - B 2,200 degrees F
 - C 200 degrees F
 - D none of the above
- Q58. Aluminum oxide melts at above 3,000 degrees F.
- True
 - False
- Q59. Which of these gases are inert?
- A CO₂/argon
 - B Argon/helium
 - C Helium/CO₂
 - D All the above
- Q60. When TIG welding aluminum, you should use _____.
- A helium with AC-
 - B argon with Hi Freq AC
 - C argon with AC
 - D helium

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- Q61. When you are TIG welding stainless or carbon steel, you should use _____.
- A argon with Hi Freq AC
 - B argon with AC
 - C argon with DC-
 - D argon with Hi Freq DC+
- Q62. When TIG welding, you should feed the filler rod into the edge of the molten puddle by _____.
- A keeping the end of the rod in the gas envelope
 - B keeping the end of the rod out of the gas envelope
 - C touching the rod to the tungsten
 - D touching the rod to the puddle
- Q63. TIG filler rods have a flux coating.
- True
 - False
- Q64. GMAW has also been known as _____.
- A TIG
 - B MIG
 - C Stick
 - D Fluxcore
- Q65. When selecting MIG wire, you should consider the _____.
- A type of material to be welded
 - B thickness of the material
 - C type of weld joint
 - D type of shielding gas to be used
 - E all of the above
- Q66. A constant voltage machine is required for MIG.
- True
 - False
- Q67. In MIG operations, which is true?
- A DC straight polarity is seldom used
 - B AC is never used
 - C DC reverse polarity is most used
 - D DC reverse polarity is seldom used
- Q68. When restarting a weld, _____.
- A make sure there is no porosity in the crater
 - B trim the end of the wire
 - C restart at the leading edge of the crater
 - D all of the above

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- Q69. Typical gas flow in a MIG machine is _____.
- A 5 to 15 CFH
 - B 15 to 30 CFH
 - C 35 to 50 CFH
 - D 2 to 5 CFH
- Q70. When adjusting the amperage and voltage, you should _____.
- A do a test weld on your workpiece
 - B weld on a scrap piece
 - C preset the machine and start welding
 - D change the settings as you weld
- Q71. Once you have set your heat range and gas flow and are ready to start the weld, you should _____.
- A check for proper electrode extension
 - B aim the gun at the proper angle
 - C move in the direction of travel
 - D all of the above
- Q72. FCAW uses a continuous electrode.
- True
 - False
- Q73. FCAW has the slowest deposition rate of any manual welding process.
- True
 - False
- Q74. FCAW stands for fluxcore arc welding.
- True
 - False
- Q75. When using stick welding (SMAW), it is important to remove all slag between passes.
- True
 - False
- Q76. Either direct current (DC) or alternating current (AC) can be used in stick welding.
- True
 - False
- Q77. When you are choosing a power supply, consider _____.
- A the power available to operate the equipment
 - B the thickness of the material to be welded
 - C the size of the machine
 - D all of the above

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Q78. There are two techniques of starting the arc, they are _____.

1. Drag
 2. Scratch
 3. Tap
 4. Bump
- A 1. and 2. above
B 1. and 3. above
C 2. and 3. above
D 1. and 4. above

Q79. When an electrode sticks to the work, you can _____.

- A rock the stinger back and forth to free it
B un-clamp the electrode from the stinger
C turn off the machine
D all of the above

Q80. After the arc starts, it is important to hold a short arc about 1/2 the diameter of the electrode so the arc stabilizes and the gas shield is formed, before you move the weld bead.

- True
False

Q81. Electrodes (rods) cannot be damaged by moisture.

- True
False

Q82. The first set of numbers on a rod (i.e., E60) tells you the _____.

- A length of the electrode
B tensile strength
C thickness of the electrode
D size of the electrode

Q83. When choosing a rod, rule of thumb is to choose one that is thicker than the material you are welding.

- True
False

Q84. When using SMAW, which of the following is not a cause of undercutting?

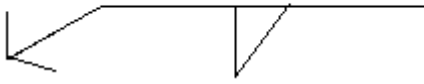
- A Welding with too large an electrode
B Improper manipulation of the weld
C Too slow a travel speed
D Too high a weld current

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- Q85. After opening a hermetically sealed container of lo-hydrogen electrodes, they should be stored in _____.
- A a vented gas oven
 - B a vented electric oven
 - C in your kitchen oven
 - D all of the above
- Q86. When using reverse polarity, _____.
- A the workpiece is negative
 - B the workpiece is positive
 - C the electrode is negative
 - D none of the above
- Q87. SMAW can be used in _____.
- A the horizontal position
 - B the flat position only
 - C all positions
 - D vertical and horizontal positions only
- Q88. Which of the following electrodes does not have lo-hydrogen coatings?
- A 7016
 - B 7018
 - C 6011
 - D 6010
 - E A and B above
 - F C and D above
- Q89. The most common cause of slag inclusions is _____.
- A using the wrong size electrode
 - B welding over the slag of the previous weld
 - C stick welding over a GTAW bead
 - D all of the above
- Q90. A butt joint in the 3G position puts the axis of the weld _____.
- A flat
 - B horizontal
 - C vertical
 - D overhead
- Q91. A tee joint with the axis of the weld in the horizontal position is in position _____.
- A 1F
 - B 3G
 - C 4F
 - D 2F

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Q92. This symbol signifies that the weld is to be made on the _____.

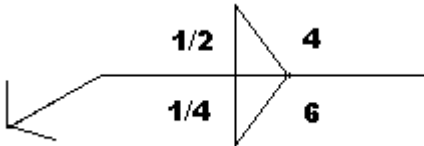


- A other side
- B either side
- C arrow side
- D none of the above

Q93. Information that appears to the left of the weld symbol refers to _____.

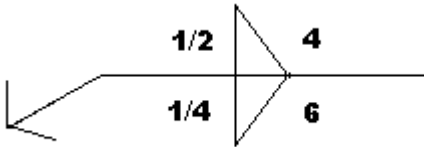
- A processes to be used
- B electrode size
- C weld size
- D weld length

Q94. The "other side" weld size is _____.



- A 1/2"
- B 1/4"
- C 5/16"
- D 3/16"

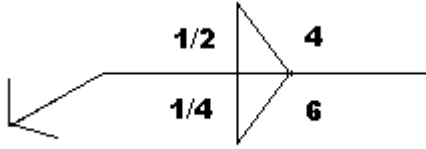
Q95. The pitch of this "arrow side" weld is _____.



- A 3
- B 2
- C 6
- D 4

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Q96. The length of the weld on the arrow side is _____.



- A 6"
- B 2"
- C 4"
- D 1"

Q97. All welding symbols require which of the following basic elements?

- A Ref. line, arrow and tail
- B Ref. line, arrow and weld size
- C Ref. line and arrow
- D Ref. line only

Q98. In the following symbol, what does the circle represent?



- A Weld around 3 sides
- B See detail
- C Spot weld symbol
- D Weld all around

Q99. Flat, horizontal, vertical and overhead welding positions are called out by the letters "F" or "G."

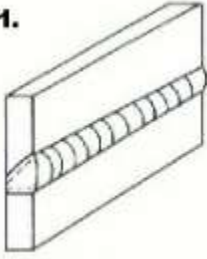
What do these letters stand for?

- A F = fill-in, G = grind
- B F = fill-in, G = groove
- C F = fill, G = grind
- D F = fillet, G = groove

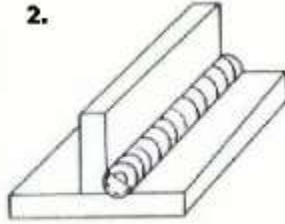
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Q100. There are two welds shown below; choose the answer that correctly describes each weld.

1.



2.



- A 1 is a fillet, 2 is a groove
- B 2 is a fillet, 1 is a groove
- C 1 and 2 are both groove welds
- D 1 and 2 are both fillet welds