

Brazing Solutions for the Tooling Industry





voestalpine Böhler Welding (formerly Böhler Welding Group) is a leading manufacturer and worldwide supplier of filler materials for industrial welding and brazing applications.

As a part of the voestalpine Group, Austria's largest steel manufacturer and one of the world's leading suppliers of specialized steel products, we are a part of a global network of metallurgy experts.

#### Our customers benefit from:

- Comprehensive welding and steel know-how under one roof
- Coordinated complete solutions comprised of steel and welding filler metals
- A partner offering maximum economic stability and technological expertise

#### **Customer First**

Absolute customer focus is our guiding principle. We see ourselves as a provider of solutions to challenging welding projects. We ensure that our customers get the right filler metals, use them correctly, and that all welding process parameters are adjusted for the best possible performance. We consider it as our responsibility to guarantee that we deliver to our customers, now and in the future, the best possible solutions. We also strive to develop new products, optimize existing products, and streamline processes so as to achieve very short turnaround times. We focus on technologically advanced industrial sectors and provide products that are geared to their specific requirements.

#### Three Competences - Three Brands

In our efforts to afford our customers the best possible support and promote development in line with specific targets, we have built our core competences within Joint Welding, Repair & Maintenance Welding and Soldering & Brazing.

This way we offer our customers the largest and most comprehensive product portfolio of filler materials within our three brands:

- Böhler Welding
- UTP Maintenance
- Fontargen Brazing



## Join Expertise

Alloys ad brazing technologies for special joint requirements

The ever-growing demand for raw materials in conjunction with a growing pace of global urbanization leads to a growing demand for brazed carbide and diamond tools for which voestalpine Böhler Welding offers the appropriate brazing solution. Typical applications include hard metal-steel combinations.

Europe is the focus market for brazing. As a competent partner for brazing applications voestalpine Böhler Welding serves customers in the tooling Industry. The industry trends are taken into account in product selection and product development:

- pastes for brazing PCD; CVD and CBN machine tools and cutting tools
- Use of low silver and of no toxic fluxes
- use tri foils

#### Rely on a strong partner

voestalpine Böhler Welding is involved in many global R&D projects, in partnerships with tooling manufacturers too. We are proud to support a wide range of major players in the brazing industry. We provide both the technical support required to develop a technical process optimization with the customer as well as choosing the correct brazing consumable and supporting users in its optimal application.



# Take advantage of technically proven and customized products

#### **Applications**

We supply products for:

- Drill tools for mining
- Jig saws
- Milling cutters
- Cutting blades
- Gang saw blades

#### **Product solutions**

- Bare and coated silver rods
- Brazing foils
- Fluxes
- Brazing pastes

#### Services

We provide additional value by offering:

- Process optimization with the customer
- Support in solving brazing problems
- Training courses for the staff
- Expertise in brazing techniques
- Intensive customer support by our competent internal and external staff

#### Important benefits for customers

- Solution provider
- Global distribution and sales network
- Broad product range
- Fulfilling special demands
- Engineering support
- ISO 9001 / 14001 Approvals
- AEO Standard
- Just in time deliveries in all packing units
- Financial performance



Chemical analysis (% W/W)

|                | 2  |         |         |       |     |      | Brazing temp | Characteristics        |   |
|----------------|----|---------|---------|-------|-----|------|--------------|------------------------|---|
|                | Ag | Cu      | Zn      | Sn    | Mn  | Ni   | Si           | Brazing temp<br>(°C)** | Characteristics   |
| Foils          |    |         |         |       |     |      |              |                        |   |
| A 200 L F      |    | > 99.9  |         |       |     |      |              | 1120                   | copper foil   |
| A 205 F        |    | balance |         |       | 12  | 2    |              | 990                    | high strength, Good gap filling capability                  |
| A 210 F        |    | 55      | balance | < 0.2 |     |      | < 0.3        | 900                    | Brass foil  |
| A 324 F        | 49 | 16      | 23      |       | 7.5 | 4.5  |              | 690                    | good wetting capability, high strength                      |
| A 314 F        | 55 | 21      | 22      | 2     |     |      |              | 660                    | low melting silver alloy                                    |
| Tri-Foil       |    |         |         |       |     |      |              |                        |   |
| A 312 F        | 49 | 27.5    | 20.5    |       | 2.5 | 0.5  |              | 690                    | Tri-foil with copper Middle-layer                           |
| A 338 FT       | 38 | 26      | balance |       | 7   | 3.5  |              | 690                    | Tri-foil with copper Middle-layer                           |
| Pastes         |    |         |         |       |     |      |              |                        |   |
| AP 21DL        |    | 97      |         |       |     | 2.5  |              | 1120                   | high metal content, capable of bridging gaps of up to 0.2mm |
| AP 21ES-B2*    |    | 87      |         |       | 10  | 3    |              | 1080                   | good wetting capability, good flow characteristics          |
| AP 211         | 1  | 59      | balance | 0.3   | 0.6 | 0.85 | 0.3          | 890                    | good wetting capability, good flow characteristics          |
| AP 314         | 56 | 22      | 17      | 5     |     |      |              | 655                    | low melting silver alloy                                    |
| Powder         |    |         |         |       |     |      |              |                        |   |
| HTL 17         |    | 87      |         |       | 10  | 3    |              | 1080                   | High metal content, good wetting capability on hard metals  |
| Rods           |    |         |         |       |     |      |              |                        |   |
| A/AF 324*      | 49 | 16      | 23      |       | 7.5 | 4.5  |              | 690                    | good wetting capability, high strength                      |
| Fluxes         |    |         |         |       |     |      |              |                        |   |
| F 100          | -  | -       | -       | -     | -   | -    | -            | up from 850            | white paste, non corrosive                                  |
| F 300 HF Ultra | -  | -       | -       | -     | -   | -    | -            | up to 850              | easy to spread paste, corrosive                             |

<sup>\*</sup> AF-Flux coated rods; other qualities on demand \*\* Brazing temperature advice only for recommendation

### voestalpine Böhler Welding

#### Welding know-how joins steel

With over 100 years of experience, voestalpine Böhler Welding is the global innovator for the daily welding challenges in joining, wear and corrosion protection as well as brazing. Customer proximity is guaranteed by more than 40 subsidiaries in 25 countries, with the support of 2,200 employees, and through more than 1,000 distribution partners worldwide. And with individual consultation by our application technicians and welding engineers, we make sure that our customers master the most demanding welding challenges. voestalpine Böhler Welding offers three specialized and dedicated brands to cater our customers' and partners' requirements.



**Lasting Connections –** More than 2,000 products for joint welding in all conventional arc welding processes are united in a product portfolio that is unique throughout the world. Creating Lasting Connections is the brand's philosophy in welding and between people.



Tailor-Made Protectivity<sup>TM</sup> – Decades of industry experience and application know-how in the areas of repair of cracked material, anti-wear and cladding, combined with innovative and custom-tailored products, guarantee customers an increase in the productivity and protection of their components.



**In-Depth Know-How** – Through deep insight into processing methods and ways of application, Fontargen Brazing provides the best brazing and soldering solutions based on proven products with German technology. The expertise of this brand's application engineers has been formulated over many years of experience from countless application cases.

