

# ECI MAXI®

ECI MAXI® is the super extreme in wear resistant wear plate and is designed for applications that experience severe abrasion, where standard wear plate is ineffective. ECI MAXI® is available in a range of thickness between 5mm – 15mm

## **Base Material**

The standard base material is mild steel plate of varying thickness, ensuring the finished parts are readily weldable. Alternative base plate grades can be incorporated with the ECI MAXI® overlay to meet specific customer requirements. Additionally, ECI MAXI® overlay can be applied direct to shaped items.

## **Overlay Material**

The ECI MAXI® overlay consists of Tungsten Carbide granules are spread through a tough matrix of Ni, Si, B.

## **Specification**

ECI MAXI® overlay has been manufactured to ensure compliance with the microstructure, chemistry, hardness and dry abrasion test values for specific customer requirements.

# **Typical Properties**

Bulk Hardness: >700 HV30 (>58 HRC)

Carbide Micro Hardness:  $>1900 \text{ HV}_{0.1}$ Volume fraction Carbides/Hard phase: >60%

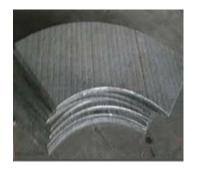
#### Welding

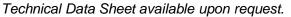
When ECI MAXI® applied to mild steel, weld the base material with standard low hydrogen welding consumables. (Avoid contact with overlay material)

# **Cutting, Forming and Fabrication**

Where required plasma cutting is the recommended method for cutting ECI MAXI<sup>®</sup>. The mild steel backing plate provides ECI MAXI<sup>®</sup> with structural integrity, thus allowing entire structures to be fabricated from ECI MAXI<sup>®</sup>.







# **Benefits**

- Can be applied to shapes.
- Minimal penetration to achieve metallurgical bond.
- Welding of plates into position is made easy due to mild steel base.
- Proven performance against Q&T Steels
- Readily formed into almost any shape mild steel can.

# **Applications**

Applications involving severe sliding abrasion and medium impact, such as.

- Chutes
- Ground Engaging Tools
- Mixer Paddles
- Ore Handling Systems
- Drilling Parts
- Shell Protection
- Liner Plates
- Extruders



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