## Effect of the torch position on penetration

 with unchanged device adjustment

Welding direction


| Torch position | piercing | vertical | dragging |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Penetration | shallower | average | deeper |
| Weld width | wider | average | tighter |

## Penetration of steel with different shield gases

Effect of shield gases on the deposition efficiency


Argon

Mixed gas



Co2

## Effect of the contact tube distance on penetration with unchanged device adjustment



| Contact tube distance | smaller | average | larger |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Resistance heating | lower | average | higher |
| Arc performance | higher | average | lower |
| Penetration | deeper | average | shallower |

Effect of induction within the contact tip on stickout lenght


## Effect of the contact tube distance on welding current with unchanged device adjustment



Welding current
ca. 330 A

29 V
Wire feed:
Electrode diameter:
Welding speed:
Welding voltage:
$8,8 \mathrm{~m} / \mathrm{min}$.
$1,2 \mathrm{~mm}$
$58 \mathrm{~cm} / \mathrm{min}$
ca. 280 A

ca. 240 A


## MAG short arc



