Torch-integrated welding fume extraction: No fumes, only clean air!



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# Safe and effective extraction of welding fumes directly at the source

The requirements for occupational health and safety measures and safety technology are also continuously increasing in welding technology. The TRGS 528 (Technical Regulations for Hazardous Substances) require welding fumes and harmful substances to be extracted at the point of origin in order to comply with the workplace limit values (AGW) for hazardous substances. In order to protect your employees from harmful welding fumes, efficient solutions for welding fume extraction are necessary. The torch extraction system offers a safe and effective extraction of welding fumes directly at the source. Up to 95 percent of the fume is extracted directly during welding at the point of origin near the arc. Your employees benefit from clean air and a better working environment.

## With welding fume extraction:

- Comply with the occupational exposure limit value according to the Hazardous Substances Ordinance (GefStoffV).
- Protect your employees from harmful welding fumes.
- Profit from clean air and a better working environment.



without extraction





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### **Capture of up to 95 percent of the fume**

## Annular exhaust air flow around the gas nozzle:

- Maintenance of shielding gas coverage of the weld pool
- Non-influencing of the weld seam quality
- Functionality even in the case of out-of-position welding

### Suction slots integrated in the gas nozzle:

- Suction power independent of welding direction
- Hardly any influence on torch weight
- Slim and compact design for optimum accessibility

### **Robust connection:**

- Screwed-on gas nozzle between metal neck and nozzle
- Designed for the heaviest loads in industrial environments



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# MIG/MAG Robot welding torch MRW-FEx-510 with integrated welding fume extraction

A long service life of the used components, a slim design and optimum cooling characteristics are the main features of the water-cooled MRW-FEx-510 robot welding torch. The extraction nozzle arranged in a ring around the gas nozzle absorbs up to 95 percent of the fumes produced during welding directly at the point of origin. The fumes are fed directly to a compact highvacuum filter unit via a flexible hose. The use of the MRW-FEx has hardly any influence on the programming of the robot and there are no specifications regarding the orientation of the extraction torch to the welding direction. The circular extraction enables a constant extraction rate in all welding positions and ensures reliable shielding gas coverage.

- Long service life: Designed for the use with 500 A at 100 percent duty cycle at the robot
- Maximum extraction power: Up to 95 percent of the fumes are extracted directly at the point of origin.
- **Optimal design:** The use of the fume extraction torch has hardly any influence on the programming of the robot
- Slim design: Good accessibility also in narrow components
- **Efficient use:** Low energy consumption of the extraction unit compared to central systems and costly enclosures.



| MRW-FEx-510   |  |
|---------------|--|
| Liquid-cooled |  |
| 510 A         |  |
| 550 A         |  |
| 100%          |  |
| 0.8-1.6mm     |  |
| 1.2 mm        |  |
| 35°           |  |
| X78 Z273      |  |
|               |  |

With a large range of proven and innovative welding processes we offer you solutions for the future providing excellent quality, maximum efficiency and productivity. No matter if thick or thin, steel, chrome-nickel or aluminium – here you find the right welding process for every product requirement.

## Efficiency ...



**Control Weld** Reliable MIG/MAG welding process for thin and thick materials



**Fine Weld** Extremely low spatter MIG/MAG short arc for mixed gas and CO<sub>2</sub> applications



Cold Weld

Heat-reduced MIG/MAG AC pulsed arc for optimum results when welding sensitive materials



Vari Weld MIG/MAG pulsed arc for optimum welding results even under demanding conditions



**Speed Weld** Stable MIG/MAG pulsed arc for numerous applications

### ... due to modern processes



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### QN-CL-FEx-100 extraction and filter unit

The compact and powerful QN-CL-FEx high-vacuum extraction and filter unit is specially designed for operation with the MHG/ MHW-Fex manual welding torches as well as the MRW-Fex robot welding torches. The integrated filter has the W3 approval for all weldable materials and is cleaned automatically. Frequent, timeconsuming filter changes are no longer necessary and downtimes are avoided. The built-in continuous-run motor enables 24/7 operation of the unit - a perfect prerequisite for use in an industrial environment and in a robot system.



- **W3 approval:** Can be used for all weldable materials
- Long filter service life: 5 m2 filter area with automatic cleaning for minimum service effort
- Industrial standard: High availability due to frequency-controlled continuous-run motor and side channel compressor
- Maximum efficiency: Low energy consumption and long filter service life considerably reduce the operating costs.

| FEx-100/Fex-200                               | FEx-100   | FEx-200                |
|---|---|------------------------|
| Dimensions (with/without Räder)               | 660 x 410 x 560/640 mm  | 810 x 530 x 690/790 mm |
| Implementation                                | Mobile on four wheels, two of which rotate with lock-<br>ing device |                        |
| Electrical voltage supply                     | 220240 V / 5060 Hz  | 220240 V / 5060 Hz     |
| Motor power [kW]                              | 1.5   | 3                      |
| Maximum volume flow [m³h] free blowing        | 180   | 250                    |
| Maximum volume flow, effective [m³h]          | 65  | 65                     |
| Maximum vacuum [Pa]                           | 36000   | 38000                  |
| Separation rate [%]                           | IFA > 99.8%   | IFA > 99.8%            |
| Active filter surface [m <sup>2</sup> ]       | 5   | 5                      |
| Operating temperature                         | 050 °C  | 050 °C                 |
| Max. DC                                       | 100%  | 100%                   |
| Admission                                     | 51 mm   | 51 mm <b>Ø</b> x2      |
| Weight [kg]                                   | 45  | 58                     |
| Filter method                                 | Disposable filter   | Disposable filter      |
| Certification                                 | CE and W3   | CE and W3              |
| Sound pressure level:                         |   |                        |
| According to DIN 45635-Part 1 at 1 m distance | < 65 db   | < 65 db                |

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# Reduced investment volume with low operating costs

The use of the extraction torch system results in the following advantages compared to conventional technology:

- Reduced investment costs: Elimination of the extraction hood and the air control systems
- Minimised expenditure: A flexible hose with a small diameter replaces the complex pipe system for discharging the contaminated air to the filter unit
- Less space required: Due to the smaller volume of contaminated air, a smaller filter unit is necessary
- Lower operating costs: Lower energy consumption (only 1.0 to 1.5 kW)
- Optimised process flow: No interference during loading and unloading of the workstations due to extraction hoods or exhaust air ducts

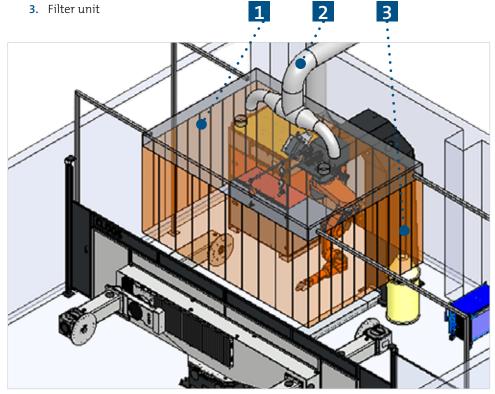


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### Without fume extraction torch

#### Layout of a robot system with:

- **1.** Extraction hood with lamella curtain
- 2. Air guidance system
- 3. Filter unit



### With fume extraction torch

#### Layout of a robot system with:

**1.** Fume extraction torch 2. Air guidance system 1 2 **3.** Filter unit 3



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### Easy retrofit

All existing robot systems can be retrofitted with the extraction welding torch system without great effort. The available geometries of the extraction welding torches correspond to the geometries of the standard welding torches in use. An extensive correction of the robot welding programs is not required.





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# Torch-integrated fume extraction also for manual welding welding

The robust MHW-FEx manual welding torches are available in the capacity classes of 250 and 300 amps (gas-cooled) as well as 320 and 500 amps (water-cooled). The manual welding torches convince by an excellent cooling due to the highly efficient water circuit in the torch body. This allows a very long service life of the consumables. All capacity classes have the same ergonomic handle and are slip-proof in the hand of the welder. The ball joint between handle and cable assembly allows the 30° vertical angular movement combined with 360° swivel movement – both with a stop – for excellent handling. Cables and hoses do not twist and thus remain leak- and break-free.



# The way ...



### Consulting

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## Design

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### Planning

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## Production

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## Commissioning

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## Training

We train your employees and service technicians in programming, operation and maintenance in our modern training centre.



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