

## ABSTRACT

In heavy section welding, the welding phenomena produced by CO<sub>2</sub> laser welding are noticeably more stable when compared to those produced by disc laser welding. The fact that the CO<sub>2</sub> laser has a relatively lower machine cost per unit of power is yet another advantage of this type of laser. The laser beam has to be reflected multiple times by mirrors before it can be directed to the workstation. The process of laser welding calls for extremely precise beam alignment and offers only a limited degree of creative leeway. This is the most significant disadvantage of using CO<sub>2</sub> laser welding. Another advantage of the CO<sub>2</sub> laser is that it has a relatively lower machine cost per unit of power than other types of lasers do. When it comes to welding heavy sections, the weld phenomena produced by CO<sub>2</sub> laser welding are noticeably more stable when compared to those produced by disc laser welding and fiber laser welding. This is especially the case in heavy section welding. The lengthy wavelength (10.6 μm) of the laser beam is responsible for the majority of the drawbacks that are associated with CO<sub>2</sub> laser welding.

The joining ability of cupronickel alloys plays a role in the current investigation, as well as the cultivation of fashioned aluminum. The technique for success is erosion blend welding exposed to various equipment rotating velocities. Additionally, it is vulnerable to changing plate positions when moving and withdrawing devices. The process produces flawless welds that are produced under all possible conditions of the instrument's rotating rates. Through the welded area of a non-comparable produced combination of aluminum, which generously accommodates the advancing component material, a convoluted profile of the two tested materials is visible. By considering each rate of the device's revolution, it can be seen that the amount of grain that can be detected near the blend location is quantifiably reduced in

comparison to the base metal. They are also demeaning in light of the faster spinning speed of the new device. It has been shown that the mechanical procedures in the weld area are significantly impacted by the prevailing smaller scale structure. It is interesting to remark that the most extreme hardness as well as extreme rigidity of 87.5HV and 152 MPa is accordingly achieved at an instrument's CO<sub>2</sub> laser speed of 15 m/s, at a condition where the fashioned composite is at progress while the cast amalgam is on retreat.

In order to effectively weld the cupro-nickel 90/10 alloy, the TOPSIS Optimization techniques were included into the CO<sub>2</sub> laser welding process. These techniques were utilised so that it would be possible to successfully weld the alloy. When it comes to pulsed Nd: YAG, the processing window can be located anywhere between the overlapping factor and the heat input. It is now feasible to weld the cupro-nickel 90/10 alloy using a CO<sub>2</sub> laser. The Process Window is created when the pulsation rate, which modifies the welding speed, laser power, focal location, and other process parameters, is used to weld, and it is beneficial in predicting the shape and composition of the microstructure. The overlapping factor needs to be between 78 and 91 percent, and the heat input needs to be between 95 J to 180 J in order to get a complete penetration weld that is free of undercut, has little drooping at the top, and does not have any Hot-Acid-Zone (HAZ). If there is a greater quantity of heat input than 280 J/mm, then a broader HAZ will be formed. It is a sign that there has not been adequate penetration if the overlapping factor is less than 75% of the total. Detailed investigations are done on evaluating the corrosion resistance with respect to the HSAL-Weld with various metal and alloy combinations. Various Combinations are investigated with both SKP and Weight reduction of Corrosion Tests. Both Tests are Conducted at high temperatures starting from 980 MPa and reduced to 690 MPa and finally at 460 Mpa. The observations had drawn from the above testing areas follows: Finally from all the

combinations, the 980 MPa based testing is superior and excellently accessed with respect to low weight gain during corrosion, even loss rate of metal is significantly low, compared to other both cases i.e., 460 MPa and 690 MPa based welding units. Coming to the seawater-based corrosion, a similar investigation and corresponding result was obtained with respect to the metal welds of various combinations. Only extra inference is seen, when the area is exposed to higher heats is showing worst performance in resistance of corrosion, like said 980 MPa is always superior to the other two i.e., 460 MPa and 690 MPa based welding units.