

Fine Plasma Cutting Technology





Cutting Technologies Division Komatsu America Industries LLC

G940-11

SUPERIOR CUT QUALITY FROM GAUGE TO 1" THICK MATERIAL

With Rasor[™], smooth, square edges, minimal bevel angle, narrow kerf widths, and tight tolerances are simple and easy to achieve using our preprogrammed guidelines.

INCREASED PRODUCTION RATES

Komatsu's patented fine plasma torch uses a magnetic field to constrict the plasma column. This combined with swirling assist gas technology provides superior cut quality and minimal bottom dross formation. This tightly focused plasma column creates a high energy density arc that enables Rasor[™] Fine Plasma to provide much higher cutting speeds than other precision plasma systems.

LOWER OPERATING COSTS

Lower operating costs are achieved through a combination of higher cut speeds and significantly lower plasma gas usage. At 3-18 scfh of oxygen usage per hour, fine plasma uses two-thirds less gas than other precision plasma systems. Similar savings can be achieved when cutting other materials such as aluminum and stainless steel.

LEADING EDGE PLASMA UNIT

The Komatsu transistor inverter power unit with programmable controller provides stable and continuous duty D.C. output. Variable pilot and output current make this system infinitely flexible to meet material thickness and cutting conditions. Closed loop cooling system features keep torch cool there by increasing consumable components life.

TORCH HEIGHT CONTROL (THC)

Komatsu's proprietary industry leading THC controls torch to work piece distance with superior accuracy. Initial pierce height sensing device prevents the torch from ever making contact with the work piece preventing contaminants from entering torch components. The torch and height control system is protected by our unique 360 degree hemispherical collision detection system.

RASOR[™] Fine Plasma provides

G940-11 TORCHAND PLASMA UNIT

The G940-II cuts mild steels up to 1/4" at 100% duty cycle and 3/8" at 30% duty cycle. The system is capable of cutting stainless steel and aluminum in gauge through .1875. Other system features include:

- · Liquid cooled (on demand) system improves torch and consumable life
- Proprietary torch height control measures voltage to ± .1 volts
- Only 3 nozzles (.4mm, .6mm, .7mm) required throughout cutting range.
- Variable amperage control 3-40 amps.
- 3-16 CFH O₂ minimizes hourly operating costs.

Optional Features:

Rasor Auto Arc - Controls pilot and main current control to minimize set up time

Rasor Writer - Automated change over process from cutting cycle to Argon marking your parts using single torch technology

Quicksilver nozzles and electrodes available



G940-II

em		0740-11	
Power supply unit	Rated input voltage	208V/230V (3 phase)	
	Rated frequency	50/60Hz common	
	Rated input	LIKVA	
	Rated output current	40A	
	Range of output current	3-40A	
	No-load voltage	280V	
	Rating duty	100%	
	External interface	Built-in	
Ъ	Continuous allowable current	40A	
P D	Cooling method	Liquid cooled	

G940-II

Dimensions and weight

Power supply unit	D26" x W18" x H24" 176 lbs.
Gas-Cooling unit	D22" x W18" x H24" 99 lbs. (dry)

Torch body not actual size

higher cutting performance

G9120-II TORCH AND PLASMA UNIT

The G9120-II cuts mild steels from gauge to 1" in mild steel. The system will also cut stainless steel and aluminum from gauge to 3/4" thickness. No other precision plasma process offers the same range of flexibility. Other system features included are:

- 100% duty cycle throughout thickness range.
- · Liquid cooled (on demand) system improves torch and consumable life.
- Proprietary Torch Height Control measures voltage to ± .1 volts.
- Only 4 (.6, .8, 1.1, 1.3) nozzles required throughout entire cutting range.
- Viable amperage control 3-120 amps.
- 3-18 CFH O₂ minimizes hourly operating costs.

Optional Features:

Rasor Auto Arc - Controls pilot and main current control to minimize set up time

Rasor Writer - Automated change over process from cutting cycle to Argon marking your parts using single torch technology

Quicksilver nozzles and electrodes available

G9120-II

ltem	Model	G9120-II	
	Rated input voltage	208V/230V (3 phase)	
	Rated frequency	50/60Hz common	
oly unit	Rated input	22KVA	
	Rated output current	120A	
idns	Range of output current	3-120A	
Power	No-load voltage	330V	
	Rating duty	100%	
	External interface	Built-in	
Torch	Continuous allowable current	120A	
	Cooling method	Liquid cooled	

Dimensions and weight

Power supply unit	D26" x W18" x H24" 207 lbs.
Gas unit	D8" x W18" x H19" 33 lbs.
Cooling unit	D18" x W18" x H24" 84 lbs. (dry)

Torch body not actual size

Superior Cut Quality



MAGNETIC FIELD

The Komatsu Rasor[™] Fine Plasma process is the only process to utilize a revolutionary new technology that spins the plasma arc column through the use of the Lorentz forces created by a magnetic field. This focuses and tightens the plasma beam as well as rotating the arc generation point on the electrode. The result is better arc stability and longer consumable life.



DUAL GAS SWIRL

Magnet

Shield cap

Materia

Oxygen gas

Cooling wate

The dual vortices of the plasma and assist gases generate a square edge on the product side using the 120 amp output



40 Amp Cut Speeds

120 Amp Cut Speeds

MILD STEEL					
Plasma Gas	Acciet Gas	Thicknoss	Cut Speed		
Flasifia Gas	Assist Gas	THICKNESS	Inches per Minute		
O2	No Assist	24GA	200		
O ₂	No Assist	22GA	180		
O ₂	No Assist	20GA	150		
O2	No Assist	18GA	140		
O2	No Assist	16GA	130		
O2	No Assist	14GA	120		
O2	No Assist	11GA	110		
O ₂	No Assist	7GA	60		
O ₂	No Assist	1/4"	45		
STAINLESS STEEL					
Plasma Gas	Assist Gas	Thickness	Cut Speed		
Flasifia Gas			Inches per Minute		
N2	N2	18GA	120		
N2	N2	16GA	100		
N ₂	N2	14GA	100		
O2	No Assist	11GA	85		
O2	No Assist	7GA	50		
ALUMINUM					
Plasma Gas	Assist Gas	Thickness	Cut Speed		
			Inches per Minute		
N ₂	N2	16GA	130		
N ₂	N2	14GA	120		
N2	Air	11GA	100		
Ô2	No Assist	7GA	50		

	MILD STEEL				
	Plasma Gas	Assist Gas	Thickness	Cut Speed Inches per Minute	
	O2	Air	11GA	300	
a ser a s	O ₂	Air	7GA	200	
	O ₂	Air	1/4"	170	
	O ₂	Air	3/8"	140	
	O ₂	Air	1/2"	100	
	O ₂	Air	5/8"	80	
	O ₂	Air	3/4"	60	
	O ₂	Air	1"	25	
	STAINLESS STEEL				
	Plasma Gas	Assist Gas	Thickness	Cut Speed Inches per Minute	
	N ₂	Air	1/8"	100	
	N2	N ₂ + Lpg	3/16"	80	
	N2	N ₂ + Lpg	1/4"	70	
	N2	N ₂ + Lpg	3/8"	45	
	N2	N ₂ + Lpg	1/2"	40	
	N2	$N_2 + H_2$	5/8"	40	
	N ₂	$N_2 + H_2$	3/4"	30	
	ALUMINUM				
	Plasma Gas	Assist Gas	Thickness	Cut Speed Inches per Minute	
	N2	Air	1/8"	150	
	N2	N ₂ + Lpg	3/16"	120	
	N ₂	N ₂ + Lpg	1/4"	100	
	N ₂	N ₂ + Lpg	3/8"	60	
	N2	N ₂ + Lpg	1/2"	50	
	N2	$N_2 + H_2$	5/8"	40	
	N2	$N_2 + H_2$	3/4"	30	



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