

Heat Transfer on Dissimilar Metals Welding

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ABSTRACT

Goldak et al., first introduced the three-dimensional double ellipsoidal heat source to predict the temperature field of semi-infinite body. For thin plates the source influence in the thickness direction could be negligible and the source becomes a Gaussian surface-distributed heat source or elliptical disk heat source.

Assuming such heat source, several theoretical investigations on the heat transfer in dissimilar metals welded joints are presented in this paper. An actual theoretical method using finite element analysis is availed for the thermal processes simulation on the spot welding by fusion. Using thin sheets, the thermal transfer in the thickness direction is negligible and heat flow is considered two-dimensional.

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