

## MODIFICATIONS IN THE SUPERFICIAL LAYER AT THE ELECTRO-SPARK PROCESSING

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*Abstract:* The process of electro-spark deposition is inclusively used for the superficial micro-alloying layers of metallic materials affected by intense efforts. In this paper, the results of the experimental research concerning the micro-alloying by electro-spark are presented. Within the experiments, equipment for deposition by electro-sparks was used; some work parameters were changed during the experiments. The results of these experiments have been used in order to emphasize the influence of some imput parameters concretized by the tension Uv at the vibrator coil, the U<sub>D</sub> tension of the discharge current and the initial sourface roughness  $R_{ai}$  over the surface roughness obtained  $R_{af}$  as a result of the processing. For the later research, a method of processing through electric sparks was conceived, through which the control over the processing speed and its uniformity was possible. *Key words:* electro-spark, electroerosion, deposition, micro-alloying, superficial layers.