

CuZr0.1 EN\_2024\_03

Comparable standards: UNS C15100 • JIS C1510

Aurubis designations: C151 • PNA 296

#### **Description**

CuZr0.1 is a precipitation hardened copper, alloyed with zirconium. It combines high electrical conductivity (min. 90% IACS for as rolled tempers) with medium strength as well as good thermal resistance and relaxation properties.

Fields of application are connectors, leadframes and high temperature applications in electrical engineering.

### Composition

Cu	Zr
[%]	[%]
min 99.8	0.05-0.15

Composition of this alloy is in accordance with RoHS for electric & electronic components and ELV for the automotive industry.

## Physical properties

Melting point	Density	с <sub>р</sub> @ 20°С	Young's modulus	Thermal cond.	Electrical cond.		α @20-300°C
[°C]	[g/cm³]	[kJ/kgK]	[GPa]	[W/mK]	[MS/m]	[%IACS]	[10 <sup>-6</sup> /K]
1098	8.94	0.386	121	360	≥ 55	≥95	17.6

Note: The specified conductivity applies to the soft condition only.

c<sub>p</sub> specific heat capacity
α coefficient of thermal expansion

## Mechanical properties

	Tensile Strength	Yield Strength	Elongation A <sub>50</sub>	Hardness HV	Bend ratio 90° [r]	
	[MPa]	[MPa]	[%]	[-]	GW	BW
R250	250-290	≤ 180	≥ 30	60-90	0	0
R280	280-320	≥ 180	≥ 22	80-110	0	0
R300	300-360	≥ 240	≥ 15	90-120	0.5	0.5
R330	330-390	≥ 310	≥ 8	100-130	1	1
R370	370-430	≥ 350	≥ 4	110-140	1.5	1.5
R410	410-460	≥ 390	≥ 2	120-150	2	2
R440	440-500	≥ 420	≥ 1	≥ 140	2.5	2.5

 $r = x * t \text{ (thickness } t \le 0.5 \text{mm)}$ 

GW bend axis transverse to rolling direction. BW bend axis parallel to rolling direction.

# Fabrication properties

Cold formability	excellent
Hot formability	excellent
Soldering	excellent
Brazing	good
Oxyacetylene welding	not recommended
Gas shielded arc welding	not recommended
Resistance welding	not recommended
Machinability	not recommended

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## Electrical conductivity

The electrical conductivity depends on chemical composition, the level of cold deformation and the grain size. A high level of deformation as well as a small grain size decrease the conductivity.

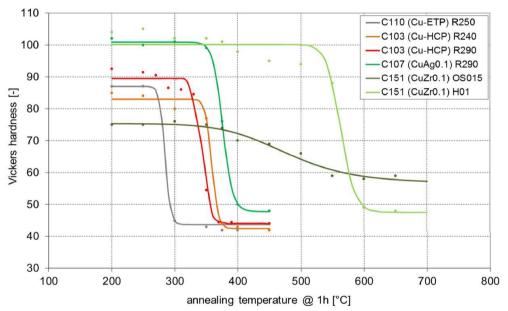
### Corrosion Resistance

CuZr0.1 is resistant to: Natural and industrial atmospheres as well as maritime air, drinking and service water, non oxidizing acids, alkaline solutions and neutral saline solutions. CuZr0.1 is not resistant to: Ammonia, halogenide, cyanide and hydrogen sulfide solutions and atmospheres, oxidizing acids and sea water (especially at high flow rates).

#### Typical uses

Connectors, leadframes, switches, circuit breakers, base plates for power modules, high temperature applications, components of electrical engineering

### **Softening Stability**



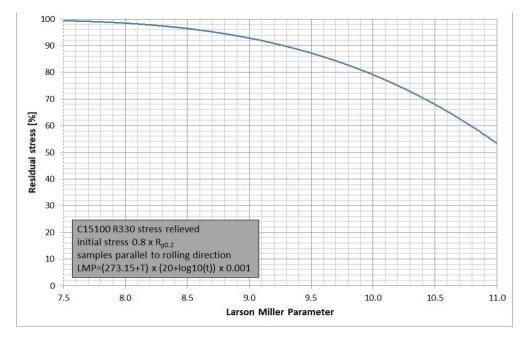
The softening behaviour of various copper alloys with high conductivity is displayed. CuZr0.1 has a very good stability against softening.

OS015 is annealed with an average grain size of 15µm, H01 corresponds to R280.

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### Relaxation Behaviour



Stress relaxation data shown as residual stress against Larson Miller Parameter. The Larson Miller Parameter represents temperature and time.

Test method: Mandrel test according to ASTM E328.

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