

Cu-HCP EN_2024_06

Comparable standards: UNS C10300 • EN CW021A Aurubis designations: C103 • HCP • PNA 210

Description

Cu-HCP is a deoxidized, oxygen-free copper with a low residual phosphorus content. It combines very good formability, weldability and brazability with high electrical conductivity.

Composition

| Cu | Р |
|-----------|-------------|
| [%] | [%] |
| min 99.95 | 0.002-0.007 |

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 _р @ 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 ⁻⁶ /K] | |
| 1083 | 8.94 | 0.377 | 127 | 385 | ≥ 57 | ≥98 | 17.7 | |

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

 c_p specific heat capacity α coefficient of thermal expansion

Mechanical properties

| | Tensile Strength | Yield Strength | Elongation A ₅₀ | Hardness HV | Bend 90° | ratio [r] |
|------|---------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| | [MPa] | [MPa] | [%] | [-] | GW | BW |
| R220 | 220-260 | ≤ 140 | ≥ 33 | 40-65 | 0 | 0 |
| R240 | 240-300 | ≥ 180 | ≥ 8 | 65-95 | 0 | 0 |
| R290 | 290-360 | ≥ 250 | ≥ 4 | 90-110 | 0 | 0 |
| R360 | ≥ 360 | ≥ 320 | ≥ 2 | ≥ 110 | 0 | 0.5 |

r = x * t (thickness $t \le 0.5$ 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 | excellent |
| Oxyacetylene welding | fair |
| Gas shielded arc welding | excellent |
| Resistance welding | not recommended |
| Machinability | not recommended |

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.

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Corrosion Resistance

Copper 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.

Copper 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

Telecommunication cables, terminals, clad products, busbars, base plates for power modules, electrical conductors, pressure vessels

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