4.5. CuSn4



Alloy Designation	
EN	CuSn4
DIN CEN/TS 13388	CW450K
UNS	C51100

Chemical Composition Weight percentage	(Balance)	
Cu	Rest	%
Sn	4	%
Р	0.1	%

Characteristics

CuSn4 provides an excellent combination of strength, excellent formability and hardness. It has a good electrical conductivity and corrosion resistance. Soldering and brazing properties are excellent.

Main Applications

Stamped parts, Connectors, Contact springs, Spring elements, Ultra high strength spring elements, Membranes, Switch elements, Fixed contacts.

Mechanical Properties (EN 1652)							
Temper	Tensile Strength	Yield Strength Standard	Yield Strength Bending optimized	Elongation Bending optimized (min.)	Hardness *	Bending optimized quality 90°	
* Only information	Rm	Rp _{0.2}	Rp _{0.2}	A _{50mm}		gw rel. Bendin	bw g Radius R/T
	MPa	MPa	MPa	%	HV	Strip Thickne	ess ≤ 0.50mm
R290	290 390	≤ 190 *		40	70 105	0	0
R390	390 490	≥ 320	≥ 250	20	115 155	0	0
R480	480 570	≥ 440	≥ 400	13	150 180	0	0
R540	540 630	≥ 480	≥ 450	12	160200	0	0
R600	600 760	≥ 560	≥ 530	12	≥ 180	0	0
R660	660 760	≥ 620	≥ 590	7	≥ 180	0	0
R700	700 800	-	≥ 640	3	≥ 190	0	0

Physical Properties Typical values in annealed temper at 20 °C			
Density		8.94	g/cm³
Thermal expansion coefficient	20 300 °C	17.8	10 ⁻⁶ /K
Specific heat capacity		0.377	J/(g·K)
Thermal conductivity		100	W/(m·K)
Electrical conductivity	MS/m	12	MS/m
Electrical conductivity	IACS	21	%
Thermal coefficient of electrical resistance	(0 100 °C)	0.1	10 ⁻³ /K
Modulus of elasticity	GPa	110	GPa

Fabrication Properties *	
Cold Forming Properties	Excellent
Machinability (Rating 20)	Less suitable
Electroplating Properties	Excellent
Hot Tinning Properties	Excellent
Soft Soldering, Brazing	Excellent
Resistance Welding	Good
Gas Shielded Arc Welding	Good
Laser Welding	Good

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