Material Data Sheet



# EOS CopperAlloy CuCrZr

Copper Alloy for rocket and thermal management applications

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Copper alloy CuCrZr has a favorable combination of electrical and thermal conductivity accompanied with good mechanical properties. This alloy reaches its good properties during heat treatment.

#### Main Characteristics:

#### Typical Applications:

- $\rightarrow$  High productivity 10.9 mm<sup>3</sup>/s with 80 µm layer thickness
- Moderate to high conductivity in heat treated condition together with good mechanical properties
- > Chemical composition corresponds to C18150 and CW106C
- Heat exchangers

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Induction coils

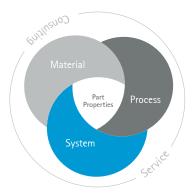
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# **Powder Properties**

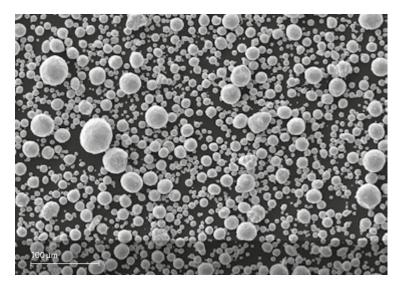
#### Powder chemical composition (wt.-%)

Element	Min.	Max.	
Copper	Balance		
Chromium	0.45	1.15	
Zirconium	0.05	0.25	
Silicon	-	0.1	
Iron	-	0.08	

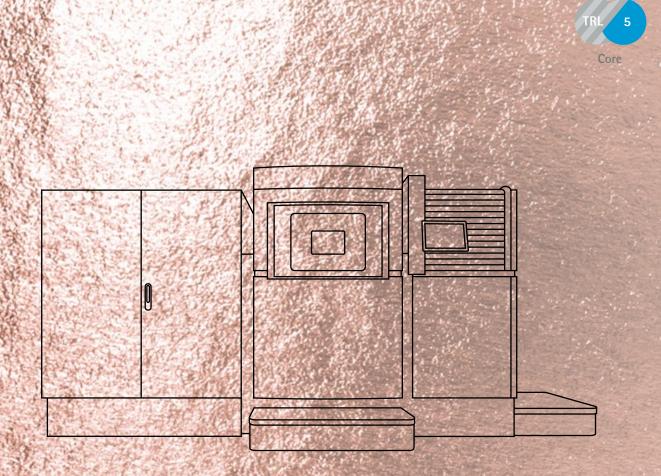
#### Powder particle size

Generic particle size distribution

15-75 μm



SEM image of powder



# EOS CopperAlloy CuCrZr for EOS M M400-1 I 80 μm

Process Information Chemical and Physical Part Properties Heat treatment Additional Data

### EOS CopperAlloy CuCrZr for EOS M400-1 I 80 µm Process Information



System set-up	EOS M 400-1	
EOSPAR name	CuCrZr_080_CoreM400	
Software requirements	EOSPRINT 2.11 or newer EOSYSTEM 2.15 or newer	
Powder part no.	9030-0003	
Recoater blade	HSS or brush	
Inert gas	Argon	
Sieve	90 µm	

#### Additional information

Layer thickness	80 µm
Volume rate	10.9 mm³/s
Minimal wall thickness	0.8 mm

#### **Heat Treatment**

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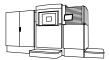
#### Conductivity optimized HT\*:

Ageing: 3 h at 550 °C under inert gas flow/atmosphere. Slow cooling in inert gas until temperature is below 100 °C Tensile optimized HT:

Ageing: 1h hold in 490 °C under inert gas flow/atmosphere. Slow cooling in inert gas until temperature is under 100 °C

\* heat treatment developed in cooperation with University of Padua and Istituto Nazionale di Fisica Nucleare

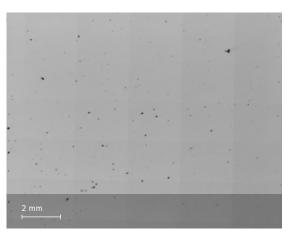
# Chemical and Physical Properties of Parts<sup>1</sup>



 Defects
 Result

 Average defect percentage
 0.2 %\*

 Density, IS03369
 ≥ 8.84 g/cm³



Etched micrograph

#### Mechanical properties

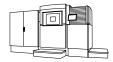
Heat treated	Yield strength R <sub>p0.2</sub> [MPa]	<b>Tensile strength</b> R <sub>m</sub> [MPa]	Elongation at break A [%]	Modulus of elasticity [GPa]
Horizontal Conductivity optimized HT	255	410	30	130 GPa
Vertical Conductivity optimized HT	230	350	35	115 GPa
Horizontal Tensile optimized HT	510	590	18	120 GPa
Vertical Tensile optimized HT	495	540	18	125 GPa

Tensile testing as per ISO 6892-1. Modulus of elasticity testing according to EN ISO 6892-1 Method A, Range 1 (0.00007 1/s).

Hardness as per ISO 6507-1			
Conductivity optimized HT	120 HV10		
Tensile optimized HT	190 HV10		

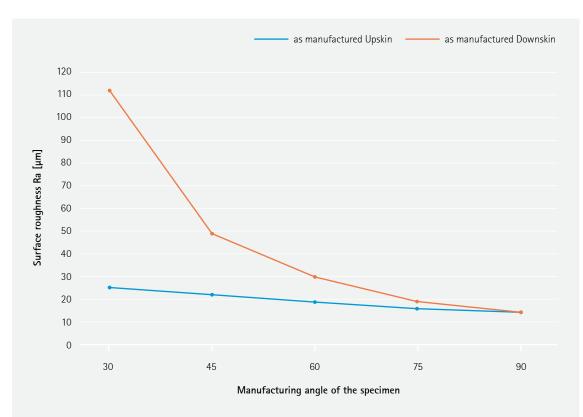
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## Additional Data<sup>1</sup>



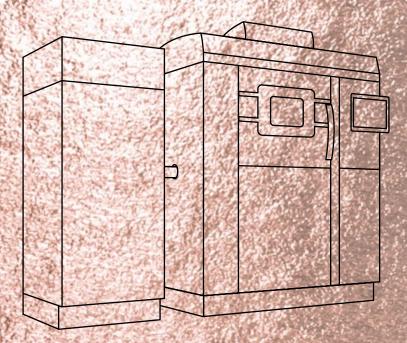
#### Electrical conductivity

According to ASTM E1004-17	Result	Samples
Heat treated - Conductivity optimized	88 %IACS	2 sample cubes, all measured from 5 surfaces
Heat treated -Tensile optimized	76 %IACS	3 sample cubes, all measured from 5 surfaces
As manufactured	23 %IACS	1 sample cube, measured from 5 surfaces



#### Surface Roughness





# EOS CopperAlloy CuCrZr for EOS M 290 1kW | 80 μm

Process Information Chemical and Physical Part Properties

## EOS CopperAlloy CuCrZr for EOS M 290 1kW & AMCM M 290 1kW I 80 µm Process Information



System set-up	EOS M 290 1kW	AMCM M 290 1kW	
EOSPAR name	CuCrZr_080_CoreM294	CuCrZr_080_CoreM291_1kW_100	
Software requirements	EOSPRINT 2.15 or newer EOSYSTEM 2.19 or newer	EOSPRINT 2.7 or newer EOSYSTEM 2.11 or newer	
Powder part no.	9030-0003		
Recoater blade	HSS		
Inert gas	Argon		
Sieve	90 µm		

#### Additional information

Layer thickness	80 µm
Volume rate	15.4 mm³/s

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# Chemical and Physical Properties of Parts<sup>1</sup>



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Etched micrograph

#### Typical part properties

Heat treated	Yield strength R <sub>p0.2</sub> [MPa]	Tensile strength R <sub>m</sub> [MPa]	Elongation at break A [%]	Conductivity
As manufactured	160	210	40	> 20 % IACS
Heat treated	210	340	25	> 80 % IACS

Tensile testing as per ISO 6892-1. Conductivity tested acc. ASTM E1004-17.

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