

A close-up photograph of a metallic part, likely a valve or fitting, made of EOS Copper Alloy CuNi30. The part has a complex, curved shape with a perforated or mesh-like surface on one side. The EOS logo and 'CuNi30' are engraved on the smooth surface of the part. The background is a textured, metallic surface.

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EOS CopperAlloy CuNi30 is a copper alloy with excellent corrosion resistance in salt water. It has good strength and ductility. CuNi30 has good ductility also in very low temperatures. Material is in accordance with UNS 96400.

Main Characteristics:

- Good corrosion resistance in salt water
- Performance in very low temperatures
- Stable processability

Typical Applications:

- Pumps and impellers
- Marine applications

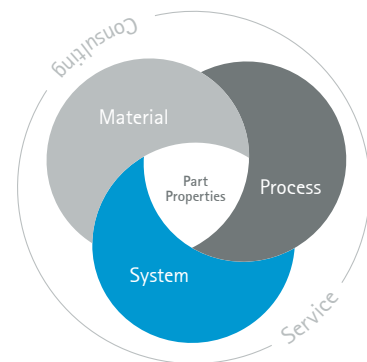
The EOS Quality Triangle

EOS uses an approach that is unique in the AM industry, taking each of the three central technical elements of the production process into account: the system, the material and the process. The data resulting from each combination is assigned a Technology Readiness Level (TRL) which makes the expected performance and production capability of the solution transparent.

EOS incorporates these TRLs into the following two categories:

- Premium products (TRL 7-9): offer highly validated data, proven capability and reproducible part properties.
- Core products (TRL 3 and 5): enable early customer access to newest technology still under development and are therefore less mature with less data.

All of the data stated in this material data sheet is produced according to EOS Quality Management System and international standards.

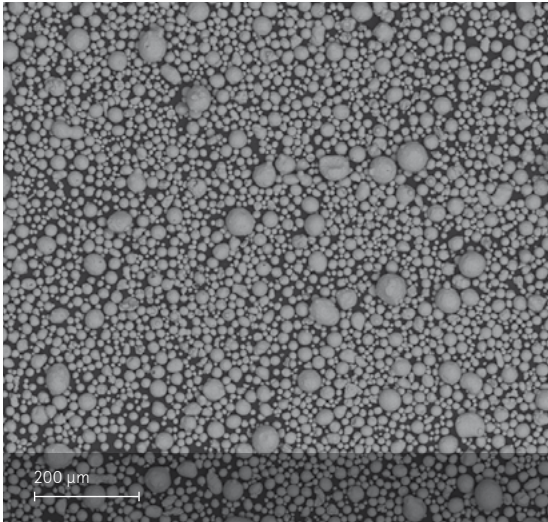


Powder Properties

CuNi30 is a copper alloy according to ASTM B369-09 UNS 96400.

Powder chemical composition (wt.-%)		
Element	Min	Max
Cu	Balance	
Pb	-	0.01
Fe	0.25	1.5
Ni	28.0	32.0
Mn	-	1.5
Si	-	0.50
Nb	0.50	1.5
P	-	0.02
S	-	0.02
C	-	0.15

Powder particle size	
Generic particle size distribution	15-63 µm



SEM micrograph of EOS CopperAlloy CuNi30 powder.

Modulus of elasticity

State	As manufactured
Modulus of elasticity [GPa] Vertical	145
Modulus of elasticity [GPa] Horizontal	155

Testing according to EN ISO 6892-1 Method A, Range 1 (0,00007 1/s)

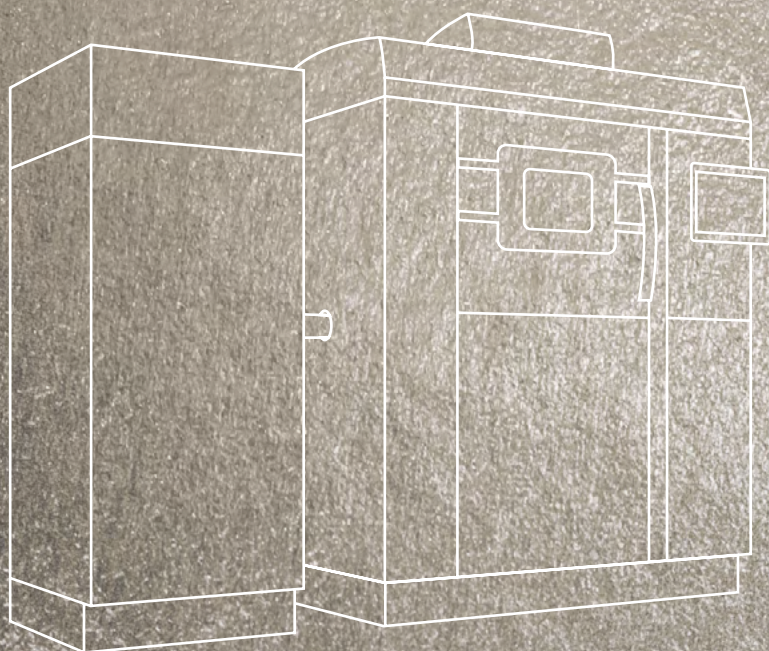
Impact toughness

Temperature	-85 °C	-20 °C	0 °C	Room temperature
As manufactured vertical [J]	190	190	185	175
Heat treated vertical [J]	-	120	115	120

Testing according to ISO 148-1, Charpy-V.

Coefficient of Thermal Expansion ASTM E228

Temperature	25 – 100 °C	25 – 200 °C	25-300 °C	25-400 °C	25-500 °C	25-600 °C
CTE	14.0*10 ⁻⁶ /K	15.6*10 ⁻⁶ /K	16.1*10 ⁻⁶ /K	16.5*10 ⁻⁶ /K	16.8*10 ⁻⁶ /K	17.2*10 ⁻⁶ /K



EOS CopperAlloy CuNi30 for EOS M 290 | 60 μm

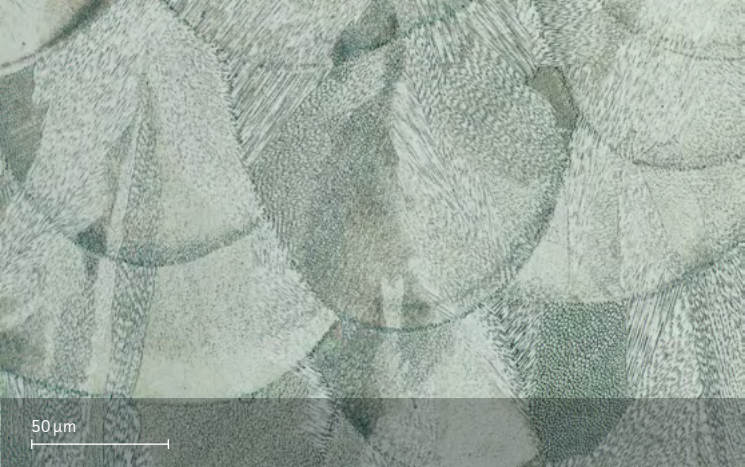
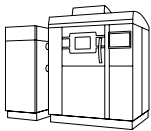
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Process Information

System set-up		EOS M 290
EOSPAR name		CuNi30_060_CoreM291
Software requirements		EOSPRINT 2.11 or newer EOSYSTEM 2.15 or newer
Powder part no.		9030-0018
Recoater blade		HSS
Nozzle		EOS grid nozzle
Inert gas		Argon
Sieve		90 µm

Additional information	
Layer thickness	60 µm
Volume rate	5.2 mm³/s
Typical dimensional change after HT	0.1%

Physical properties of parts¹



Etched micrograph in as manufactured state

Defects	Result
Average defect percentage	< 0.1 %
Density, ISO3369	≥ 8.88 g/cm³

Typical mechanical properties

	Yield strength R _{p0.5} [MPa]	Tensile strength R _m [MPa]	Elongation at break A [%]
As manufactured vertical	370	450	35
As manufactured horizontal	420	500	30
Heat treated vertical	500	610	28
Heat treated horizontal	560	700	22

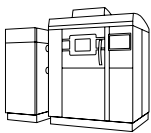
Testing as per ISO 6892-1

Typical hardness ISO 6508-1

Rockwell

Heat treated (stress relieved)	90 HRB
As manufactured	75 HRB

Heat Treatment

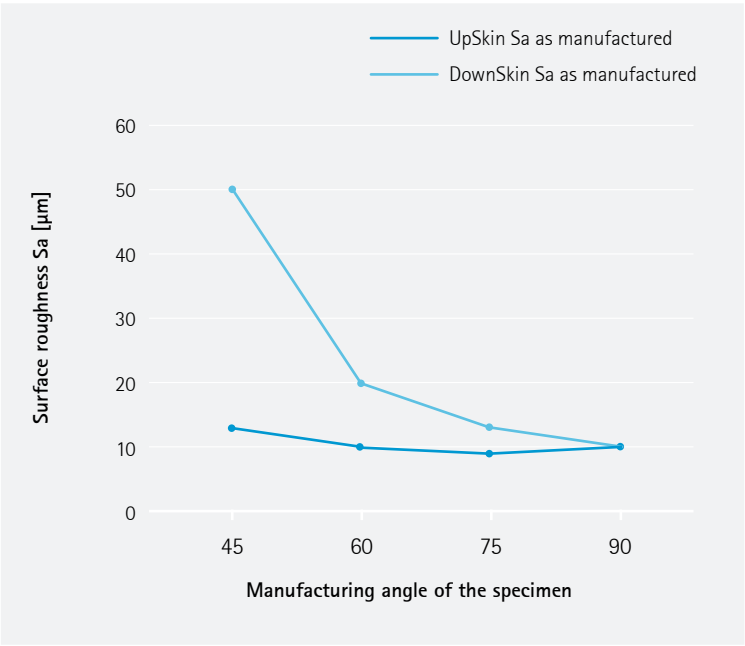


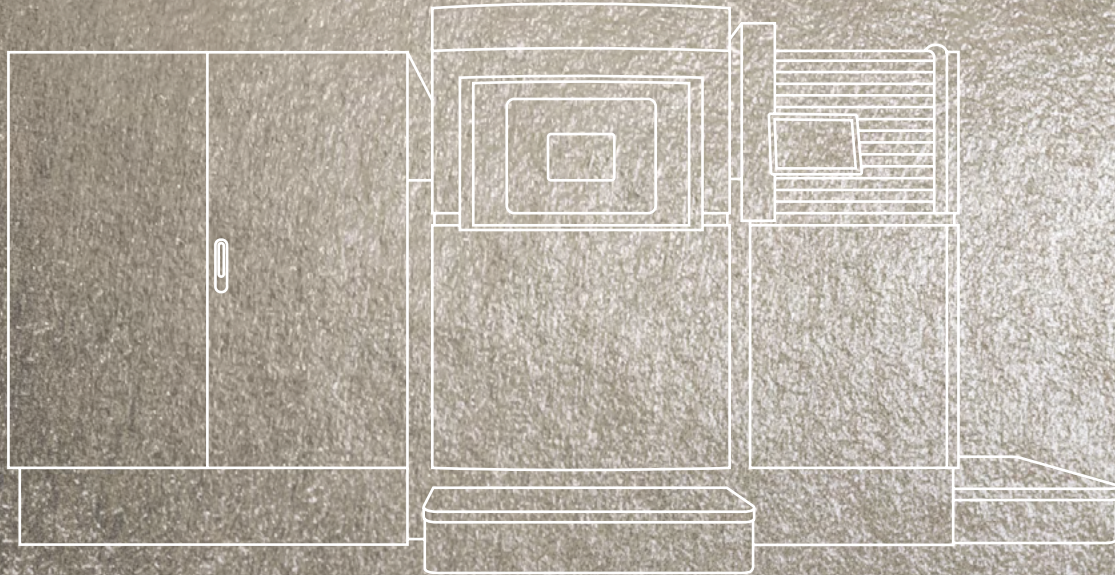
Optional stress relieve

Optional stress relieve at 600 °C for 2 hours. Air cooling.
Stress relieve reduces ductility of material.

Additional Data¹

Surface roughness





EOS CopperAlloy CuNi30 for EOS M 400-1 | 60 μm

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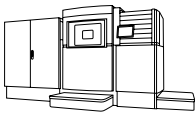
EOS CopperAlloy CuNi30 for EOS M 400-1 | 60 µm

Process Information

System set-up		EOS M 400-1
EOSPAR name		CuNi30_060_CoreM400
Software requirements		EOSPRINT 2.11 or newer EOSYSTEM 2.15 or newer
Powder part no.		9030-0018
Recoater blade		HSS
Inert gas		Argon
Sieve		90 µm

Additional information	
Layer thickness	60 µm
Volume rate	5.2 mm³/s
Typical dimensional change after HT	0.1%

Physical properties of parts¹



Micrograph of a polished surface

Defects	Result
Average defect percentage	< 0.1 %
Density, ISO3369	≥ 8.88 g/cm³

Typical mechanical properties

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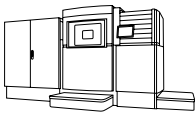
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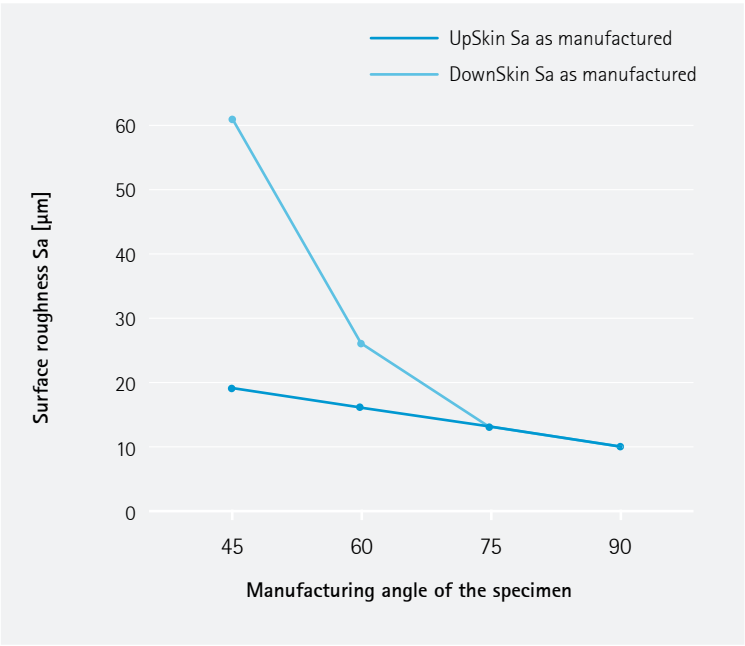


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