MATERIAL DATA SHEET STEEL GRADE

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General Information

42CrMo4 is a steel for quenching and tempering, which has a good combination of strength and toughness in the quenched and tempered condition. After the oil quenching, the steel will be through hardened up to ø60 mm bar diameter. The microstructure of larger dimensions is not fully martensite. The steel is applicable to induction hardening. The surface hardness will exceed min. 53 HRC. 42CrMo4 can be delivered M-treated in order to optimize the machinability.

Variant 6082 is offered under the name MoC410M

Variant 6115 conform with SAE 4140 and ISO 898 Grade 10.9 up to 60 mm bar diameter

Variant 6137 conform with L7 ASTM A320 and ISO 898 Grade 10.9 up to 50 mm bar diameter

Variant SB9288 is offered under the name SB42CrMo4

Variant SB9287 with a slightly increased hardenability, is offered under the name SB42CrMo4.

Variant 327S is a continuous cast variant with slightly increased hardenability, similar to the ingot casted variant 327A

Variant 327A is an ingot cast variant with slightly increased hardenability.

Variant 326C is a BQ-steel variant which fulfils SAE 4140 standard but has a restricted sulphur content for improved cleanliness and a lower maximum allowed phosphorus content for improved mechanical properties

Similar designations

AISI 4140, 42CD4(AFNOR), 708M40(B.S.), SS 2244, SS142244, SAE 4140H, ASTM A193 B7, 41Cr4, 42CrMoS4, 1.7225

Chemical composition

Variant	Cast	Di	Weldability		С%	Si %	Mn %	Ρ%	S %	Cr %	Ni %	Mo %	Cu %	AI %
SB 9288	сс	C 14.9	CEV 0.8 _{max}	Min	0.40	0.15	0.75	-	0.020	0.90	-	0.15	-	0.015
			Pcm 0.57 _{max}	Max	0.43	0.25	0.90	0.025	0.035	1.10	0.30	0.25	0.25	0.040

Mechanical Properties

Variant	Condition	Format	Dimension [mm]	Yield strength min [MPa]	Tensile strength [MPa]	Elongation A ₅ [%]
SB 9288	+QT	Round bar	15 < 64	940**	1050-1140	9

Rp_{0.2} * R_{eh}, ** R_{el}

Transformation temperatures

	Temperature °C				
MS	320				
AC1	740				
AC3	770				

Heat treatment recommendations

Treatment	Condition	Temperature cycle	Cooling/quenching
Hot forging	+U	850-1050°C	In air
Soft annealing	+A	680-720°C	Slowly (15°C/h) until 600°C
Stress relieve annealing	+SRA	450-650°C	In air
Quench & Tempering	+QT	840-880°C	In oil or water. Temper in 540-680°C
Stress relieve annealing	+SRA	150-180°C (after Induction Hardening)	In air

SUSTAINABILITY-ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT DATA

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Steel works	Hofors	Smedjebacken	Imatra
CO2e/kg	120	62	76

To get the full picture of our products environmental impact we have to look at all of our CO_2 emission sources.

Not only the steel work Scope 1-2 itself, but all operations downstream in our production, heating and heat treatment furnaces etc (full scope 1-2) as well as all the emission from input material, eg. alloys, scope 3.

Steel Grade	Format		Scope 1-3 (CO2e kg /1000 kg steel)	Climate compensated Net emission = Scope 3 (CO2e kg /1000 kg steel) Scope 1 - 2 = 0 (compensated)		
327 Round bar		+AR	621	222		
27 Round bar		+QT	627	226		
327	Tube,wall	+AR	643	245		
327	Tube,wall	+QT	651	252		
326C	Round bar	+AR	615	216		
326C	Round bar	+QT	621	219		
326C	Tube,wall	+AR	638	240		
326C	26C Tube,wall +		646	247		
SB 9288	288 Flat bar +A		433	196		
L7 ASTM A320 (6137)	Round bar	+AR	531	250		
7 ASTM A320 Round 6137) bar +Q ⁻		+QT	786	299		
6082 Round bar		+AR	524	243		
6082 Round bar		+QT	778	291		
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42CrMnMo4- 4,SAE 4140	Round bar	+AR	530	245		
42CrMnMo4- Round 4,SAE 4140 bar +QT		783	295			

All above data are to be seen as typical values for the specified format and condition. Detailed information about your specific product please contact your sales contact.

Other properties (typical values)

Youngs module (GPa)	Poisson's ratio (-)	Shear module (GPa)	Density (kg/m3)
210	0.3	80	7800
Average CTE 20- 300°C (µm/m°K)	Specific heat capacity 50/100°C (J/kg °K)	Thermal conductivity Ambient temperature (W/m°K)	Electrical resistivityAmbient temperature (μΩm)
12	460 - 480	40 - 45	0.20 - 0.25

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