MATERIAL DATA SHEET

STEEL GRADE

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C45 All

General Information

C45 is a medium carbon steel for e.g. mechanical engineering and automotive components.

Variant SB8673 / SB-C45 is a variant with a narrowed chemical composition in order to reach a high hardenability and it is fine grain treated with Al

Variant SB1672 is a standard variant of C45 with medium Carbon for all purpose use

Variant 5081 is a M-treated variant wich is offered under the name Imatra 4M

Variant 5155 is similar to 5081 but is a non M-steel with lower Sulphur content

Variant 047A is an ingot cast variant. High hardness and high strength can be achieved after hardening thanks to the relatively high carbon content. The steel is suitable for various type of applications where high strength is needed.

Similar designations

C43, C44, C45R - 1.1201, C45E - 1.1191, Ck45, St70-2, SAE 1045, 080A42, SS 1672, XC 48, C 45, S 45 C, GOST 45, AISI/SAE/ASTM 1045, 1.0503

Chemical composition

Variant	Cast	Weldability		C %	Si %	Mn %	P %	S %	Cr %	Ni %	Mo %	DI %
SB1672	CC	CEV 0.72_{max}	Min	0.42	0.10	0.50	-	0.020	-	-	-	1.10
		Pcm 0.55_{max}	Max	0.50	0.40	0.90	0.045	0.045	0.40	0.40	0.10	1.80

The Di-value is in inches.

Mechanical Properties

Variant	Dimension [mm]	Yield strength min [MPa]	Tensile strength [MPa]	Elongation A_5 [%]	Hardness
SB1672	< 16	320**	590-740	14	165-220 HB
	16 < 40	310**	590-740	14	165-220 HB
	40 < 63	300**	590-740	14	165-220 HB
	63 < 120	280**	590-740	14	165-220 HB

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

Transformation temperatures

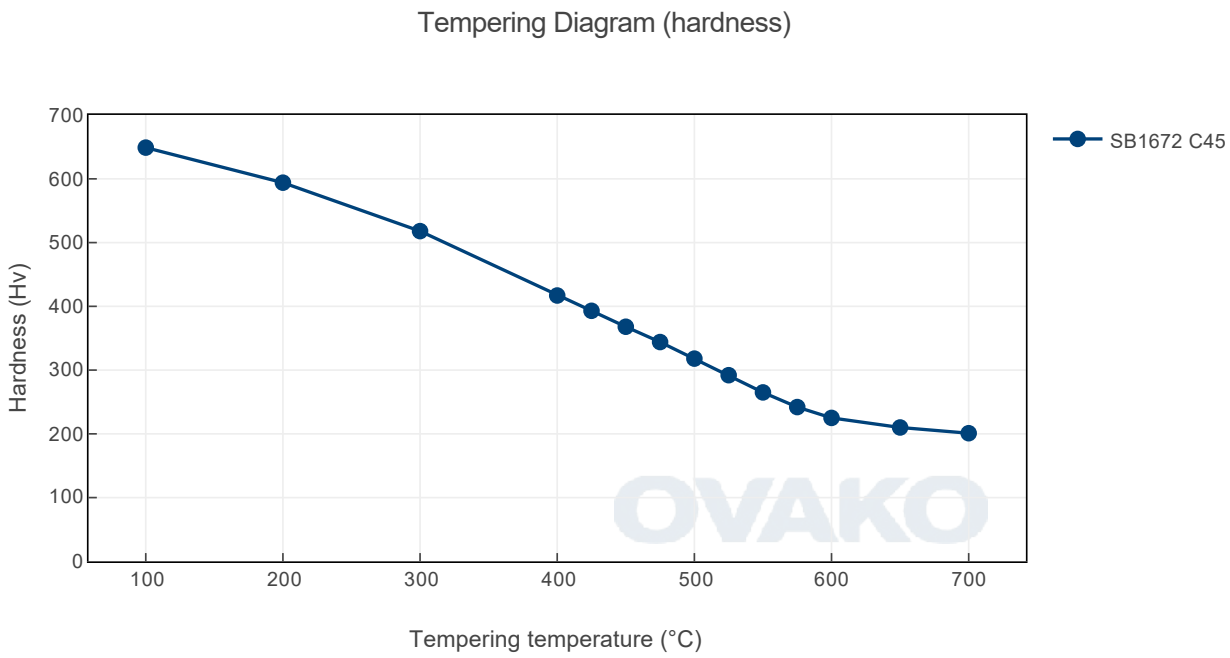
	Temperature °C
MS	305
AC1	725
AC3	760

Heat treatment recommendations

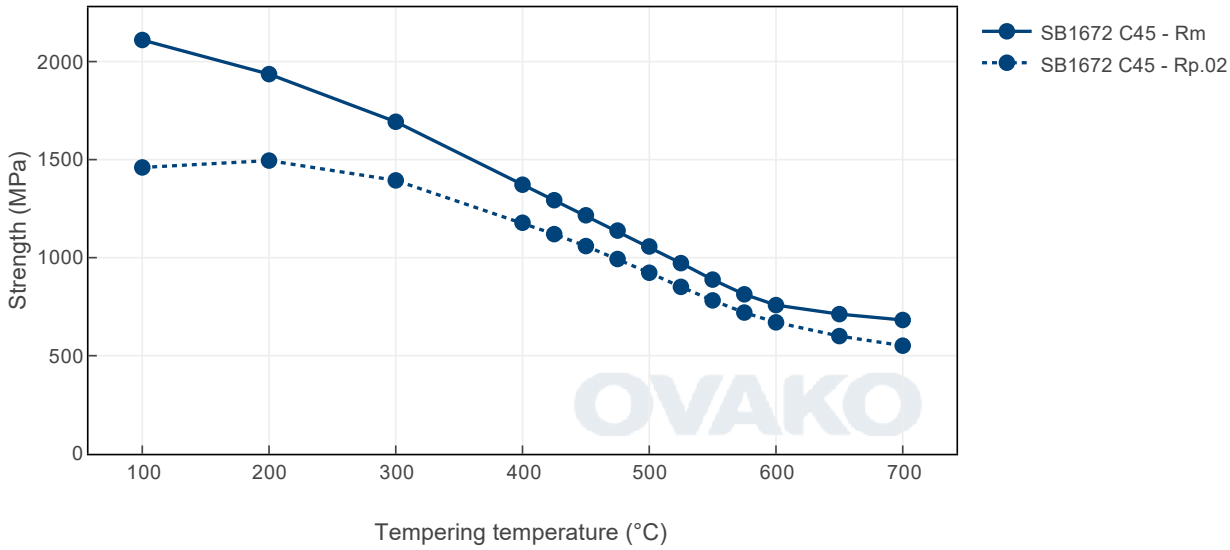
Treatment	Condition	Temperature cycle	Cooling/quenching
Hot forging	+U	800-1150°C	In still air
Normalizing	+N	840-870°C	In still air
Soft annealing	+SA	650-700°C	In still air
Stress relieve annealing	+SRA	550-650°C	In still air
Quench & Tempering	+QT	840-870°C	In oil Temper immediately
Quench & Tempering	+QT	820-850°C	In water Temper immediately
Induction or Flame hardening	I-F	870-900°C	In oil Temper immediately

Heat Treatment Guide generated Graphs

The following graphs are generated from a theoretical model. For further info see the Heat treatment guide module. Select a specific grade version for individual display.



Tempering Diagram (strength)



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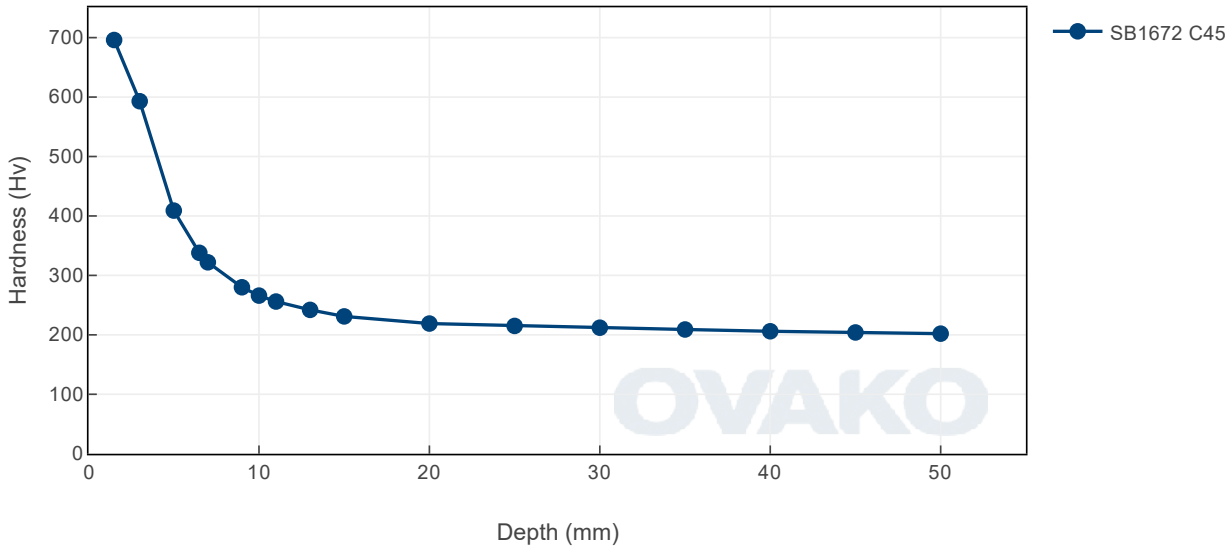
Hardness (Hv)
700
600
500
400
300
200
100
0
0
10
20
30
40
50
Depth (mm)
SB1672 C45
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SUSTAINABILITY-ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT DATA

At Ovako sustainability and reduction of our environmental impact is a major focus in everything we do.
Further information is found here.

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	Condition	Scope 1-3 (CO2e kg /1000 kg steel)	Climate compensated Net emission = Scope 3 (CO2e kg /1000 kg steel) Scope 1 - 2 = 0 (compensated)
047A	Round bar	+AR	573	174
047A	Round bar	+N	579	178
047A	Tube,wall	+AR	593	195
047A	Tube,wall	+N	601	201
SB1672	Flat bar	+AR	392	172
SB8673	Flat bar	+A	398	161
5081, Imatra 4 M	Round bar	+AR	782	257
5155	Round bar	+AR	786	260

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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