

ALLOY BARS, FORGINGS, AND RINGS, CORROSION AND HEAT RESISTANT

72Ni - 15.5Cr - 0.95 (Cb + Ta) - 2.5Ti - 0.70Al - 7.0Fe

1800°F (980°C) Solution Heat Treated

1. SCOPE:

1.1 Form: This specification covers a precipitation-hardenable, corrosion and heat resistant nickel alloy in the form of bars, forgings, flash welded rings, and stock for forging, flash welded rings, or heading.

1.2 Application: Primarily for parts, such as flanges, cases, and turbine rotors, requiring high strength in the range 800° - 1100°F (425° - 595°C), particularly those parts which are formed or welded and the precipitation heat treated to develop required properties.

2. APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS: The following publications form a part of this specification to the extent specified herein. The latest issue of Aerospace Material Specifications (AMS) shall apply. The applicable issue of other documents shall be as specified in AMS 2350.

2.1 SAE Publications: Available from Society of Automotive Engineers, Inc., 400 Commonwealth Drive, Warrendale, PA 15096.

2.1.1 Aerospace Material Specifications:

AMS 2261 - Tolerances, Nickel, Nickel Base, and Cobalt Base Alloy Bars and Forging Stock

AMS 2269 - Chemical Check Analysis Limits, Wrought Nickel Alloys and Cobalt Alloys

AMS 2350 - Standards and Test Methods

AMS 2371 - Quality Assurance Sampling of Corrosion and Heat Resistant Steels and Alloys, Wrought Products Except Forgings and Forging Stock

AMS 2374 - Quality Assurance Sampling of Corrosion and Heat Resistant Steels and Alloys, Forgings and Forging Stock

AMS 2375 - Control of Forgings Requiring First Article Approval

AMS 2806 - Identification, Bars, Wire, Mechanical Tubing, and Extrusions, Carbon and Alloy Steels and Heat and Corrosion Resistant Steels and Alloys

AMS 2808 - Identification, Forgings

AMS 7490 - Rings, Flash Welded, Corrosion and Heat Resistant Austenitic Steels and Austenitic-Type Alloys

2.2 ASTM Publications: Available from American Society for Testing and Materials, 1916 Race Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103.

ASTM E8 - Tension Testing of Metallic Materials

ASTM E10 - Brinell Hardness of Metallic Materials

ASTM E354 - Chemical Analysis of High-Temperature, Electrical, Magnetic, and Other Similar Iron, Nickel, and Cobalt Alloys

2.3 U.S. Government Publications: Available from Commanding Officer, Naval Publications and Forms Center, 5801 Tabor Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19120.

2.3.1 Federal Standards:

Federal Test Method Standard No. 151 - Metals; Test Methods

2.3.2 Military Standards:

MIL-STD-163 - Steel Mill Products, Preparation for Shipment and Storage

3. TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS:

- 3.1 Composition: Shall conform to the following percentages by weight, determined by wet chemical methods in accordance with ASTM E354, by spectrographic methods in accordance with Federal Test Method Standard No. 151, Method 112, or by other analytical methods approved by purchaser:

Ø	min	max
Carbon	--	0.08
Manganese	--	1.00
Silicon	--	0.50
Phosphorus (3.1.1)	--	0.015
Sulfur	--	0.010
Chromium	14.00 - 17.00	
Nickel + Cobalt	70.00	--
Columbium + Tantalum	0.70 - 1.20	
Titanium	2.25 - 2.75	
Aluminum	0.40 - 1.00	
Iron	5.00 - 9.00	
Cobalt (3.1.1)	--	1.00
Copper	--	0.50

- 3.1.1 Determination not required for routine acceptance.

- 3.1.2 Check Analysis: Composition variations shall meet the requirements of AMS 2269.

- 3.2 Condition: The product shall be supplied in the following condition:

- 3.2.1 Bars, Forgings, and Flash Welded Rings: Solution heat treated.

- 3.2.1.1 Bars shall be hot finished; round bars shall be ground or turned except that bars under 0.50 in. (12.5 mm) in nominal diameter, when so ordered, shall be cold drawn.

- 3.2.1.2 Forgings shall be descaled.

- 3.2.1.3 Flash welded rings shall not be supplied unless specified or permitted on purchaser's part drawing. When supplied, they shall be manufactured in accordance with AMS 7490, unless otherwise specified. During manufacture of flash welded rings, the stock shall not be heated to a temperature higher than 1825°F (995°C), unless otherwise agreed upon by purchaser and vendor.

- 3.2.2 Stock for Forging, Flash Welded Rings, or Heading: As ordered by the forging, flash welded ring, or heading manufacturer.

- 3.3 Solution Heat Treatment: Bars, forgings, and flash welded rings shall be solution heat treated by heating to 1800°F ± 25 (980°C ± 15), holding at heat for not less than 1 hr, and cooling at a rate equivalent to air cool or faster.

- 3.4 Properties: The product shall conform to the following requirements:

- 3.4.1 Bars, Forgings, and Flash Welded Rings:

- 3.4.1.1 As Solution Heat Treated:

Ø 3.4.1.1.1 Hardness: Shall be not higher than 320 HB or equivalent, determined in accordance with ASTM E10.

3.4.1.2 After Precipitation Heat Treatment: The product shall have the following properties after being precipitation heat treated by heating to $1350^{\circ}\text{F} \pm 15$ ($730^{\circ}\text{C} \pm 8$), holding at heat for $8 \text{ hr} \pm 0.25$, cooling at a rate of $100 \text{ F} \pm 15$ ($55 \text{ C} \pm 8$) deg per hr to $1150^{\circ}\text{F} \pm 15$ ($620^{\circ}\text{C} \pm 8$), holding at that temperature for $8 \text{ hr} \pm 0.25$, and cooling in air. Instead of the 100 F (55 C) deg per hr cooling rate to $1150^{\circ}\text{F} \pm 15$ ($620^{\circ}\text{C} \pm 8$), product may be furnace cooled at any rate provided the time at $1150^{\circ}\text{F} \pm 15$ ($620^{\circ}\text{C} \pm 8$) is adjusted to give a total precipitation heat treatment time of 18 hours.

3.4.1.2.1 Longitudinal Tensile Properties: Shall be as specified in Table I and 3.4.1.2.1.2, determined in accordance with ASTM E8.

3.4.1.2.1.1 Bars Under 4.00 In. (100 mm) in Nominal Diameter or Distance Between Parallel Sides, Forgings Under 4.00 In. (100 mm) in Nominal Thickness, and Flash Welded Rings Under 4.00 In. (100 mm) in Nominal Radial Thickness:

TABLE I

Nominal Size Inches	Tensile Strength psi, min	Yield Strength at 0.2% Offset psi, min	Elongation in 4D %, min	Reduction of Area %, min
Up to 2.50, excl	170,000	115,000	18	18
2.50 to 4.00, excl	170,000	115,000	15	15

TABLE I (SI)

Nominal Size Millimetres	Tensile Strength MPa, min	Yield Strength at 0.2% Offset MPa, min	Elongation in 4D %, min	Reduction of Area %, min
Up to 63.5, excl	1172	793	18	18
63.5 to 100.0, excl	1172	793	15	15

3.4.1.2.1.2 Bars 4.00 In. (100 mm) and Over in Nominal Diameter or Distance Between Parallel Sides, Forgings 4.00 In. (100 mm) and Over in Nominal Thickness, and Flash Welded Rings 4.00 In. (100 mm) and Over in Nominal Radial Thickness: Shall be as agreed upon by purchaser and vendor.

Ø 3.4.1.2.2 Hardness: Should be 302 - 401 HB or equivalent, determined in accordance with ASTM E10, but the product shall not be rejected on the basis of hardness if the tensile property requirements of 3.4.1.2.1 are met.

3.4.2 Forging Stock: When a sample of stock is forged to a test coupon and heat treated as in 3.3 and 3.4.1.2, specimens taken from the heat treated coupon shall conform to the requirements of 3.4.1.2.1 and 3.4.1.2.2. If specimens taken from stock after heat treatment as in 3.3 and 3.4.1.2 conform to the requirements of 3.4.1.2.1 and 3.4.1.2.2, the tests shall be accepted as equivalent to tests of a forged coupon.

3.4.3 Stock for Flash Welded Rings or Heading: A sample of stock heat treated as in 3.3 and 3.4.1.2 shall conform to the requirements of 3.4.1.2.1 and 3.4.1.2.2.

Ø 3.5 Quality: The product, as received by purchaser, shall be uniform in quality and condition, sound, and free from foreign materials and from internal and external imperfections detrimental to usage of the product.

Ø 3.5.1 Forgings shall have substantially uniform macrostructure and grain flow. Standards for acceptance shall be as agreed upon by purchaser and vendor.

3.6 Sizes: Except when exact lengths or multiples of exact lengths are ordered, straight bars will be acceptable in mill lengths of 6 - 24 ft (1.8 - 7.3 m) but not more than 25% of any shipment shall be supplied in lengths of 6 - 9 ft (1.8 - 2.7 m) except that for bars weighing over 25 lb per ft (37 kg/m), short lengths down to 2 ft (600 mm) may be supplied.

3.7 Tolerances: Unless otherwise specified, tolerances for bars and forging stock shall conform to all applicable requirements of AMS 2261.

4. QUALITY ASSURANCE PROVISIONS:

4.1 Responsibility for Inspection: The vendor of the product shall supply all samples for vendor's tests and shall be responsible for performing all required tests. Results of such tests shall be reported to the purchaser as required by 4.5. Purchaser reserves the right to sample and to perform such confirmatory testing as deemed necessary to ensure that the product conforms to the requirements of this specification.

4.2 Classification of Tests:

4.2.1 Acceptance Tests: Tests to determine conformance to the following requirements are classified as acceptance tests and shall be performed on each heat or lot as applicable:

4.2.1.1 Composition (3.1) of each heat.

4.2.1.2 Hardness (3.4.1.1.1) of each lot of bars, forgings, and flash welded rings as solution heat treated.

4.2.1.3 Tensile properties (3.4.1.2.1) and hardness (3.4.1.2.2) of each lot of bars, forgings, and flash welded rings after precipitation heat treatment.

4.2.1.4 Tolerances (3.7) of bars and forging stock.

4.2.2 Periodic Tests: Tests of forging stock (3.4.2) and stock for flash welded rings or heading (3.4.3) to demonstrate ability to develop required properties are classified as periodic tests and shall be performed at a frequency selected by the vendor unless frequency of testing is specified by purchaser.

4.2.3 Preproduction Tests: Tests of forgings to determine conformance to all applicable technical requirements of this specification when AMS 2375 is specified are classified as preproduction tests and shall be performed on the first-article shipment of a forging to a purchaser, when a change in material or processing requires reapproval as in 4.4, and when purchaser deems confirmatory testing to be required.

4.2.3.1 For direct U.S. Military procurement of forgings, substantiating test data and, when requested, preproduction forgings shall be submitted to the cognizant agency as directed by the procuring activity, the contracting officer, or the request for procurement.

4.3 Sampling: Shall be in accordance with the following:

4.3.1 Bars, Flash Welded Rings, and Stock for Flash Welded Rings or Heading: AMS 2371.

4.3.2 Forgings and Forging Stock: AMS 2374.

4.4 Approval: When specified, approval and control of forgings shall be in accordance with AMS 2375.

4.5 Reports: