

# AEROSPACE MATERIAL SPECIFICATION

AMS5613

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Steel, Corrosion and Heat Resistant, Bars, Wire, Forgings, Tubing, and Rings 12.5Cr (SAE 51410) Annealed

(Composition similar to UNS S41000)

### **RATIONALE**

AMS5613R has been reaffirmed to comply with the SAE 5-year Review policy.

#### 1. SCOPE

#### 1.1 Form

This specification covers a corrosion and heat resistant steel in the form of bars, wire, forgings, mechanical tubing, flash welded rings, and stock for forging, flash welded rings, or heading.

## 1.2 Application

These products have been used typically for parts requiring strength and oxidation resistance up to 1000 °F (538 °C), but usage is not limited to such applications.

## 2. APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS

The issue of the following documents in effect on the date of the purchase order forms a part of this specification to the extent specified herein. The supplier may work to a subsequent revision of a document unless a specific document issue is specified. When the referenced document has been canceled and no superseding document has been specified, the last published issue of that document shall apply.

# 2.1 SAE Publications

Available from SAE, 400 Commonwealth Drive, Warrendale, PA 15096-0001 or www.sae.org.

AMS 2241 Tolerances Corrosion and Heat Resistant Steel, Iron Alloy, Titanium, and Titanium Alloy Bars and Wire

MAM 2241 Tolerances, Metric, Corrosion and Heat Resistant Steel, Iron Alloy, Titanium, and Titanium Alloy Bars and Wire

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AMS 2243	Tolerances, Corrosion and Heat Resistant Steel Tubing
MAM 2243	Tolerances, Metric, Corrosion and Heat Resistant Steel Tubing
AMS 2248	Chemical Check Analysis Limits, Corrosion and Heat Resistant Steels and Alloys, Maraging and Other Highly-Alloyed Steels, and Iron Alloys
AMS 2303	Steel Cleanliness, Aircraft Quality, Martensitic Corrosion-Resistant Steels, Magnetic Particle Inspection Procedure
MAM 2303	Steel Cleanliness, Aircraft Quality, Martensitic Corrosion-Resistant Steels, Magnetic Particle Inspection Procedure, Metric (SI) Measurement
AMS 2371	Quality Assurance Sampling and Testing, Corrosion and Heat Resistant Steels and Alloys, Wrought Products and Forging Stock
AMS 2374	Quality Assurance Sampling and Testing, Corrosion and Heat Resistant Steel and Alloy Forgings
AMS 2806	Identification, Bars, Wire, Mechanical Tubing, and Extrusions, Carbon and Alloy Steels and Corrosion and Heat Resistant Steels and Alloys
AMS 2808	Identification, Forgings
AMS 7493	Rings, Flash Welded, Ferritic and Martensitic Corrosion Resistant Steels

## 2.2 ASTM Publications

Available from ASTM, 100 Barr Harbor Drive, West Conshohocken A 19428-2959 or www.astm.org.

ASTM A 370 Mechanical Testing of Steel Products

ASTM E 353 Chemical Analysis of Stainless, Heat-Resisting, Maraging, and Other Similar Chromium-Nickel-Iron Alloys

## 3. TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS

## 3.1 Composition

Shall conform to the percentages by weight shown in Table 1, determined by wet chemical methods in accordance with ASTM E 353, by spectrochemical methods, or by other analytical methods acceptable to purchaser.

**TABLE 1 - COMPOSITION** 

Element	min	max
Carbon	0.10	0.15
Manganese		1.00
Silicon		1.00
Phosphorus		0.040
Sulfur		0.030
Chromium	11.50	13.50
Nickel		0.75
Molybdenum		0.50
Aluminum		0.05
Copper		0.50
Tin		0.05
Nitrogen		0.08

#### 3.1.1 Check Analysis

Composition variations shall meet the applicable requirements of AMS 2248.

#### 3.2 Condition

The product shall be supplied in the following condition; hardness and tensile strength shall be determined in accordance with ASTM A 370:

#### 3.2.1 Bars

Annealed having hardness not higher than 241 HB, or equivalent (See 8.2).

- All hexagons regardless of size, and bars 2.750 inches (69.85 mm) and under in nominal diameter or least 3.2.1.1 distance between parallel sides, shall be cold finished.
- Bars, other than hexagons, over 2.750 inches (69.85 mm) in nominal diameter of least distance between 3.2.1.2 Cold drawn and annealed having tensile strength not higher than 115 ksi (793 MPa).

  3.2.3 Forgings and Flash Welded Rings parallel sides, shall be hot finished or cold finished.

Annealed having hardness not higher than 241 HB, or equivalent (See 8.2)

- Flash welded rings shall not be supplied unless specified or permitted on purchaser's part drawing. When 3.2.3.1 supplied, rings shall be manufactured in accordance with AMS 7493.
- 3.2.4 Mechanical Tubing

Annealed and cold finished having hardness not higher than 241 HB, or equivalent (See 8.2).

Stock for Forging, Flash Welded Rings, or Heading

As ordered by the forging, flash welded ring, or heading manufacturer.

3.3 **Properties** 

The product shall conform to the following requirements; hardness testing shall be performed in accordance with **ASTM A 370:** 

#### Response to Heat Treatment 3.3.1

Product 0.375 inch (9.52 mm) and under in nominal thickness, and 0.375 inch ± 0.010 (9.52 mm ± 0.25) thick specimens cut from larger product, shall have hardness not lower than 35 HRC, or equivalent (See 8.2), after being heated to 1750 °F ± 25 (954 °C ± 14), held at heat for 30 to 35 minutes, and cooled at a rate equivalent to a still air cool.

#### 3.4 Quality

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

- 3.4.1 Steel shall be aircraft quality and, when specified, shall conform to AMS 2303 or MAM 2303.
- 3.4.2 Grain flow of die forgings, except in areas which contain flashline end grain, shall follow the general contour of the forgings showing no evidence of reentrant grain flow.
- 3.5 Tolerances

Shall be as follows:

3.5.1 Bars and Wire

In accordance with AMS 2241 or MAM 2241.

3.5.2 Mechanical Tubing

In accordance with AMS 2243 or MAM 2243.

- 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 the performance of all required tests. Purchaser reserves the right to sample and to perform any confirmatory testing deemed necessary to ensure that the product conforms to specified requirements.

- 4.2 Classification of Tests
- 4.2.1 Acceptance Tests

Composition (3.1), condition (3.2), response to heat treatment (3.3.1), and tolerances (3.5) are acceptance tests and shall be performed on each heat or lot as applicable.

4.2.2 Periodic Tests

Grain flow of die forgings (3.4.2) is a periodic test and shall be performed at a frequency selected by the vendor unless frequency of testing is specified by purchasers.

4.3 Sampling and Testing

Shall be as follows:

4.3.1 Bars, Wire, Mechanical Tubing, Flash Welded Rings, and Stock for Forging, Flash Welded Rings, or Heading

In accordance with AMS 2371.

4.3.2 Forgings

In accordance with AMS 2374.