UNS C72900

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Unrivalled Strength

Copper-Nickel Tin Alloy Bar

UNS C72900 offers unrivalled strength when compared to other high-strength alloys.

The copper-nickel tin alloy offers an excellent alternative to aluminium bronzes, beryllium coppers, nickel and steel alloys. The material resists the majority of acidic environments and retains strength at both sub-zero and elevated temperatures.

UNS C72900 benefits from high fracture toughness, excellent machinability and excellent lubricity. Wear resistance is also impressive under severe loading conditions, and the alloy is non-sparking. The materials' performance characteristics make UNS C72900 suitable for applications in heavy industry, including bearings, bushes, and wear-resistant solutions.

We stock UNS C72900 copper bars in a range of incremental sizes which we also process in-house.

Grades / Specifications

- AMS4596 CuNi15Sn8 AMS4597
- BMS-7-373
- EN 12163
- CW355H **UNS C72900**



Key Applications

- Mining and drilling equipment
- Heavy-duty bearings and bushings
- Pump parts
- High performance engines

Chemical Composition (weight %)										
	Cu	Ni + Co	Sn	Mg	Mn	Fe	Pb	Zn	Nb	
min.	Bal	14.50	7.50							
max.	Bal	15.50	8.50	0.15	0.30	0.50	0.02	0.50	0.10	

As per AMS 4596

Physical		Mechanical Properties	(Up to 4.249" (108mm) incl.)	(4.25-8.5" (108-216mm) incl.)
Density Melting point (solid) Electrical Conductivity Thermal Conductivity	0.325 2,040°F 6 - 10% IACS 28 W/m °K	Tensile Strength Ksi (MPa) Yield Strength 0.2% UL Ksi (MPa) Elongation	132 (910) 107 (738) 9.5%	127 (876) 108 (745) 3%

Properties as per AMS 4596

Benefits

- Excellent erosion and corrosion resistance
- **High strength**
- Excellent galling and friction resistance

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