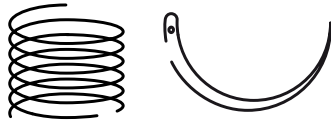


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Material Zapp® 1.4031 YC

Zapp® 1.4031 YC is a martensitic stainless chromium steel that is corrosion resistant to water and steam. This requires the hardened and low tempered state and a shiny, polished surface preference. Due to a higher carbon content, Zapp® 1.4031 YC can achieve a higher hardness than Zapp® 1.4021 YB.

Typical Applications

- Surgical needle wire (hardenable)

Polishability

Zapp® 1.4031 YC enables best mirror finish after polishing.

Weldability

Generally, welding is not recommended.

Machinability

Machining conditions of Zapp® 1.4031 YC can be equated with unalloyed mild steel.

Magnetism

Zapp® 1.4031 YC is magnetizable.

Hot Working

Forging at 1,100 – 800 °C, slow cooling.

Corrosion Resistance

Due to its chromium content, Zapp® 1.4031 YC has good corrosion resistance in moderately aggressive, non-chlorine-containing media, such as soaps, solvents and organic acids.

Corresponding Standards

DIN EN 10088-3 (X20Cr13)

ASTM F899 AISI 420X (UNS S42000)

Chemical Composition *

C	Si	Mn	P	S	Cr
0.40	0.40	0.50	0.020	0.020	13.20

* Average in mass -%

Product Conditions*

Wire, drawn (Coils, Spools)	Tensile [MPa]	700 - 900
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* Other conditions on request

Physical Properties

Modulus of Elasticity at 20 °C [GPa]	215
Specific Gravity ρ [kg/dm ³]	7.7
Thermal Conductivity λ at 20 °C [W/m·K]	30
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion α [10 ⁻⁶ ·K ⁻¹]	
20 – 100 °C	10.5
20 – 200 °C	11.0
20 – 300 °C	11.5
20 – 400 °C	12.0
20 – 500 °C	12.0
Specific Heat at 20 °C [kJ/kg·°C]	460
Electric Resistivity ρ at 20 °C [Ω ·mm ² /m]	0.55

Heat Treatment

Soft Annealing

Temperature: 745 – 825 °C

Cooling: Air

Hardening

Temperature: 950 – 1,050 °C

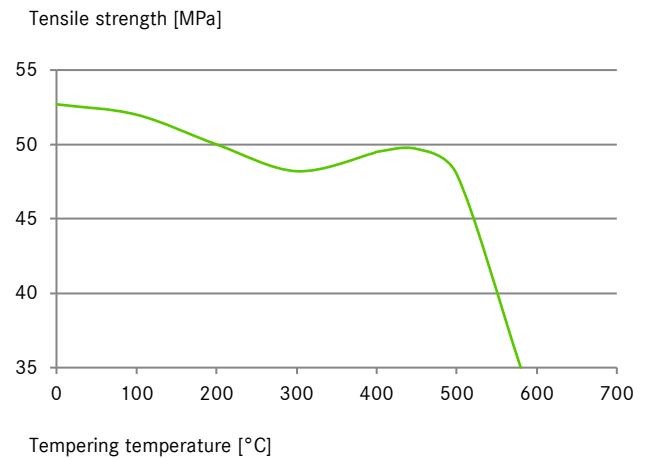
Cooling: Oil, air

Tempering

Temperature I: 650 – 750 °C

Temperature II: 600 – 700 °C

Tempering Chart



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