

Quality	16NiCrMo12	Case-hardening	<i>Technical card</i>
According to standards	UNI 7846: 1978	Steel	Lucefin Group
Number			rev. 2018

Chemical composition

C%	Si%	Mn%	P% max	S% max	Ni%	Cr%	Mo%	Product deviations are allowed
0,13-0,19 ± 0.02	0,15-0,40 ± 0.03	0,40-0,70 ± 0.04	0,035 + 0.005	0,035 + 0.005	2,70-3,20 ± 0.07	0,80-1,10 ± 0.05	0,30-0,40 ± 0.04	

Temperature °C

Hot-forming	Normalizing +N	Core hardening	Carbonitriding	Carburizing	Hardening carburizing surf.	Str-reliev. +SR
1100-900	840 air	820-850 oil-polymer salt bath		870-900	780-810 oil-polymer salt bath	150 200
Soft annealing +A	Isothermal annealing +I	Spheroidizing +AC	End quench hardening test	Pre-heating welding	Stress-relieving after welding	
680 furnace (HB max 250)	810 furnace cooling to 620, then air (HB 190-236)	-	850 water	welding must be carried out on the annealed state and before carburizing	600 furnace cooling	
				AC1	AC3	Ms * core ** carburizing surface
				710	780	330* 150**

Mechanical properties

Hot-rolled values obtained on test blanks after core hardening + stress-relieving UNI 7846: 1978. Use only as reference

size mm test blanks	Testing at room temperature (longitudinal)						Kcu	HB
	R	Rp 0.2	A%	Z%				
11	N/mm ²	N/mm ² min.	min.	min.	J min.			
11	1230-1520	980	9	-	32.5		363-432	
30	1080-1370	785	10	-	35		327-394	for information only
63	980-1270	735	10	-	42.5		295-373	for information only

Table of tempering values obtained at room temperature on rounds of Ø 10 mm after quenching oil at 840 °C

HB		426	421	421	415	409	404	385	381	357	327	301	271	250
HRC		45.5	45	45	44.5	44	43.5	42.5	41	38.5	35	32	28	24.5
R	N/mm ²	1490	1480	1470	1460	1440	1420	1360	1300	1200	1090	1000	910	840
Rp 0.2	N/mm ²		1300	1320	1330	1320	1300	1260	1200	1140	1050	960	830	720
A	%	12.0	12.0	11.8	11.2	10.4	10.0	10.6	11.5	12.8	14.6	16.8	20.0	21.8
Z	%	50	52	55	55	56	56	56	56	57	59	63	67	69
Kv	J	42	43	46	66	66	46	42	42	46	76	100	128	126
HRC carburizing		65	64.5	64	62	59	57	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tempering at °C		50	100	150	200	250	300	350	400	450	500	550	600	650

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Cold-drawn					Hot-rolled Peeled				
size mm		Testing at room temperature			Testing at room temperature				
from	to	R	Rp 0.2	A%	HB	R	Rp 0.2	A%	HB
		N/mm ²	N/mm ² min	min		N/mm ²	N/mm ² min	min	
No indications from reference standards					No indications from reference standards				

Forged UNI 8550: 1984. Use only as reference

size mm		Testing at room temperature					
from	to	R	Rp 0.2	A%	Kcu	HRC	HB
		N/mm ²	N/mm ² min	min (L)	J min (L)	<i>for information</i>	
	11	1225-1520	980	8	32.5	39-46	361-432
11	25	1130-1500	835	9	35	36.5-45.5	339-426
25	40	1030-1325	735	10	37	33-41.5	311-384
40	100	930-1275	685	10	40	29-40	278-373
100	150	835-1130	635	11	40	24.5-36.5	250-339

Mechanical properties obtained on test blanks after core hardening + stressrelieving
L = longitudinal

UNI 7846: 1978 **Jominy test HRC** grain size 5 min.

mm distance from quenched end	1.5	3	5	7	9	11	13	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50
min	42	41.5	41	40.5	40	39	38.5	38	36.5	35.5	34	33	32	31	30
max	48	48	48	47.5	47.5	47	47	46.5	45.5	44.5	44	43	42	41.5	41

Thermal Expansion	10 ⁻⁶ • K ⁻¹	
Mod. of Elasticity long.	GPa	210
Mod. of Elasticity tang.	GPa	80
°C	20	

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14NiCrMo13-4	16NiCrMo12			16NCD13		16HN3M	9314