

Quality	40CrMnNiMo8-6-4	Supply conditions:	<i>Technical card</i>
According to standards	UNI EN ISO 4957: 2002	Annealed HB max 235	Lucefina Group
Number	1.2738	Quenched and Tempered HB 290-340	<i>rev. 2018</i>

Chemical composition

C%	Si%	Mn%	P% max	S% max	Cr%	Mo%	Ni%
0,35-0,45	0,20-0,40	1,30-1,60	0,035	0,035	1,80-2,10	0,15-0,25	0,90-1,20
± 0.03	± 0.03	± 0.08	+ 0.005	+ 0.005	± 0.07	± 0.03	± 0.07

Product deviations are allowed
Upon agreement, the sulphur content can be increased to 0,05-0,10%

Temperature °C

Hot-forming	Normalizing +N	Quenching +Q	Tempering +T	Tempering +T	Pre-heating welding	Stress-relieving after welding
1050-850	850-890 air	840-860 oil or polymer (HRC ~ 52)	860-880 calm or forced air (HRC ~ 46)	500-600 calm air minimum 2 cycles	250-300	500 furnace cooling
Soft annealing +A		Stress-relieving +SR			Ac1	Ac3
710-740 furnace cooling max 20° h to 600, then air (HB max 235)		50° under the temperature of tempering			Ms	Mf
					705	215
					795	20

Mechanical properties

Heat treatment: quenching at 850 °C in oil, tempering at 600 °C *for information*

R	N/mm ²	Kv longitudinal J								HB at the depth mm								
		1020	900	18	20	25	35	40	50	75	340	340	340	336	330	310	HB	
Rp 0.2	N/mm ²	900	760															
Test at °C		20	200	0	20	40	60	80	100	120								

Tempering table values at room temperature on round of Ø 25 mm after quenching at 860 °C in oil

HB	512	512	504	482	475	468	448	432	409	390	353	319	286
HRC	52	52	51.5	50	49.5	49	47.5	46	44	42	38	34	30
R N/mm²	1880	1880	1850	1760	1730	1700	1600	1520	1430	1340	1180	1050	950
Kv +20 °C J	-	-	-	-	-	10	10	10	10	10	14	20	32
Tempering at °C	50	100	150	200	250	300	350	400	450	500	550	600	650
Thermal expansion	10 ⁻⁶ •K ⁻¹			►	12.8	13.0	13.4	13.8	14.0	14.2	14.2	14.5	
Modulus of elasticity long.	GPa				204		188		160				
Modulus of elasticity tang.	GPa				81		75		68				
Specific heat capacity	J/(Kg•K)				460		508		558				
Thermal conductivity	W/(m•K)				32.0		31.1		30.0				
Density	Kg/dm ³				7.83								
Specific electric resist.	Ohm•mm ² /m				0.19								
Electrical conductivity	Siemens•m/mm ²				5.26								
°C					20	100	200	250	300	400	500	600	700

The symbol ► indicates temperature between 20 °C and 100 °C, 20 °C and 200 °C ...

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EN	DIN	GB	JIS	IS	KS	GOST	AISI/SAE
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Tool steel for plastic moulding and extrusion

- it is obtained through a special production process which allows a high micro-purity level
- good suitability for nitriding, good wear resistance, excellent suitability for photo-engraving and polishing
- good weldability
- applications: *large and medium-sized moulds for the automotive and food industry, moulds for rubber pressing, pressure moulds for thermosetting compounds (SMC Sheet Moulding Compound, BMC Bulk Moulding Compound), bolsters*
- extrusion: *dies and gauges for PVC, mechanical parts for extrusion presses*