

EOS CopperAlloy CuCrZr

Copper alloy CuCrZr has a favorable combination of electrical and thermal conductivity accompanied with good mechanical properties. This alloy reaches its good properties during heat treatment.

Main Characteristics:

- High productivity 10.9 mm³/s with 80 µm layer thickness
- Moderate to high conductivity in heat treated condition together with good mechanical properties
- Chemical composition corresponds to C18150 and CW106C

Typical Applications:

- Rocket engine parts
- → Heat exchangers
- Induction coils

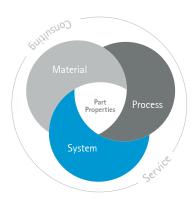
The EOS Quality Triangle

EOS uses an approach that is unique in the AM industry, taking each of the three central technical elements of the production process into account: the system, the material and the process. The data resulting from each combination is assigned a Technology Readiness Level (TRL) which makes the expected performance and production capability of the solution transparent.

EOS incorporates these TRLs into the following two categories:

- Premium products (TRL 7-9): offer highly validated data, proven capability and reproducible part properties.
- Core products (TRL 3 and 5): enable early customer access to newest technology still under development and are therefore less mature with less data.

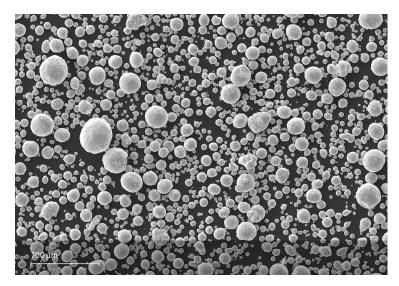
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Powder Properties

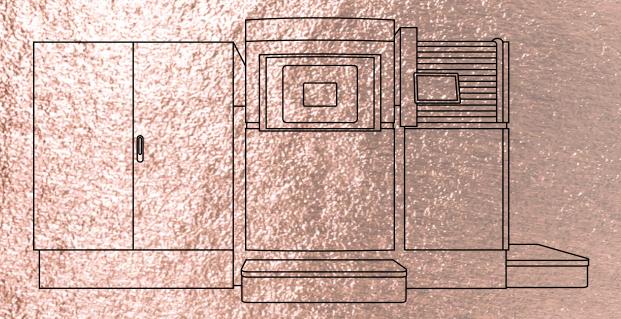
Powder chemical composition (wt%)			
Element	Min.		Max.
Copper		Ва	lance
Chromium	0.45		1.15
Zirconium	0.05		0.25
Silicon	-		0.1
Iron	-		0.08





SEM image of powder





EOS CopperAlloy CuCrZr for EOS M M400-1 I 80 μm

Process Information
Chemical and Physical Part Properties
Heat treatment
Additional Data

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System set-up	EOS M 400-1		
EOSPAR name	CuCrZr_080_CoreM400		
Software requirements	EOSPRINT 2.11 or newer EOSYSTEM 2.15 or newer		
Powder part no.	9030-0003		
Recoater blade	HSS or brush		
Inert gas	Argon		
Sieve	90 μm		

Additional information	
Layer thickness	80 μm
Volume rate	10.9 mm³/s
Minimal wall thickness	0.8 mm

Heat Treatment

Two different heat treatments are recommended for EOS CopperAlloy CuCrZr - one conductivity optimized and one tensile properties optimized.

Conductivity optimized HT:

temperature is under 100°C

Step 1 - Solution: 0,5h hold in 980°C under inert gas flow/atmosphere.

Quenching in water straight from the furnace

Step 2 - Ageing: 3h hold in 430°C under inert gas flow/atmosphere.

Slow cooling in inert gas until

Tensile optimized HT:

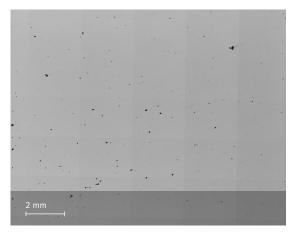
Ageing: 1h hold in 490°C under inert gas flow/atmosphere. Slow cooling in inert gas until temperature is under 100°C

Chemical and Physical Properties of Parts¹



Solid parts chemistry matches the powder chemistry

Defects	Result
Average defect percentage	0.2 %
Density, ISO3369	≥ 8.84 g/cm ³



Micrograph

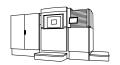
Mechanical properties

Heat treated	Yield strength R _{p0.2} [MPa]	Tensile strength R _m [MPa]	Elongation at break A [%]	Modulus of elasticity [GPa]
Horizontal Conductivity optimized HT	255	410	30	130 GPa
Vertical Conductivity optimized HT	230	350	35	115 GPa
Horizontal Tensile optimized HT	510	590	18	120 GPa
Vertical Tensile optimized HT	495	540	18	125 GPa

Tensile testing as per ISO 6892-1. Modulus of elasticity testing according to EN ISO 6892-1 Method A, Range 1 (0.00007 1/s).

Hardness as per ISO 6507-1		
Conductivity optimized HT	120 HV10	
Tensile optimized HT	190 HV10	

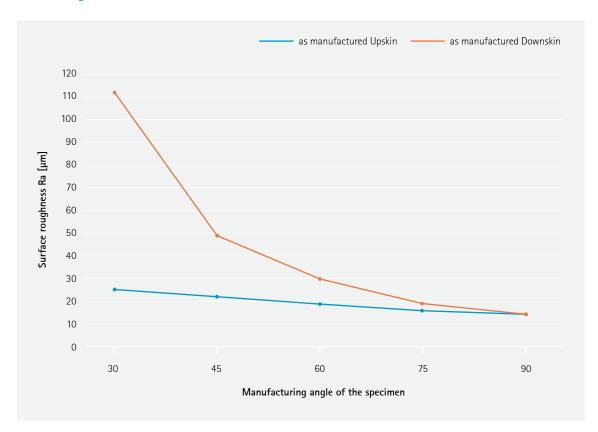
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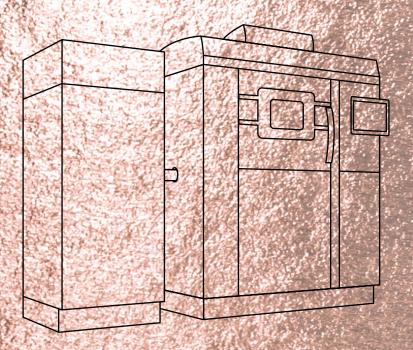
Electrical conductivity

According to ASTM E1004-17	Result	Samples
Heat treated - Conductivity optimized	88 %IACS	2 sample cubes, all measured from 5 surfaces
Heat treated -Tensile optimized	76 %IACS	3 sample cubes, all measured from 5 surfaces
As manufactured	23 %IACS	1 sample cube, measured from 5 surfaces

Surface Roughness







EOS CopperAlloy CuCrZr for EOS M 290 1kW l 80 μm

Process Information
Chemical and Physical Part Properties

EOS CopperAlloy CuCrZr for EOS M 290 1kW & AMCM M 290 1kW I 80 μm



Process Information

System set-up	EOS M 290 1kW	AMCM M 290 1kW		
EOSPAR name	CuCrZr_080_CoreM400	CuCrZr_080_CoreM291_1kW_100		
Software requirements	EOSPRINT 2.15 or newer EOSYSTEM 2.19 or newer	EOSPRINT 2.7 or newer EOSYSTEM 2.11 or newer		
Powder part no.	9030-0003			
Recoater blade	ŀ	HSS		
Inert gas	Argon			
Sieve	90	90 μm		

Additional information	
Layer thickness	80 μm
Volume rate	15.4 mm³/s

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Typical part properties

Heat treated	Yield strength R _{p0.2} [MPa]	Tensile strength R _m [MPa]	Elongation at break A [%]	Conductivity
As manufactured	160	210	40	> 20 % IACS
Heat treated	210	340	25	> 80 % IACS

Tensile testing as per ISO 6892-1. Conductivity tested acc. ASTM E1004-17.

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