

# AEROSPACE MATERIAL SPECIFICATION



AMS 5857A

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Steel, Corrosion Resistant, Bars and Wire  
19Cr - 10Ni (SAE 30304)  
High Yield Strength  
Solution Heat Treated and Cold Worked

UNS S30400

## 1. SCOPE:

### 1.1 Form:

This specification covers a corrosion-resistant steel in the form of cold worked bars and wire.

### 1.2 Application:

These products have been used typically for parts, such as high strength bolts, requiring corrosion and heat resistance up to 700 °F (371 °C), but usage is not limited to such applications. Product should not be subjected to temperatures exceeding 700 °F (371 °C) during fabrication or in service.

## 2. APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS:

The issue of the following documents in effect on the date of the purchase order forms a part of this specification to the extent specified herein. The supplier may work to a subsequent revision of a document unless a specific document issue is specified. When the referenced document has been canceled and no superseding document has been specified, the last published issue of that document shall apply.

### 2.1 SAE Publications:

Available from SAE, 400 Commonwealth Drive, Warrendale, PA 15096-0001.

AMS 2241 Tolerances, Corrosion and Heat Resistant Steel, Iron Alloy, Titanium, and Titanium Alloy Bars and Wire

MAM 2241 Tolerances, Metric, Corrosion and Heat Resistant Steel, Iron Alloy, Titanium, and Titanium Alloy Bars and Wire

AMS 2248 Chemical Check Analysis Limits, Corrosion and Heat Resistant Steels and Alloys, Maraging and Other Highly-Alloyed Steels, and Iron Alloys

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## 2.1 (Continued):

AMS 2371 Quality Assurance Sampling and Testing, Corrosion and Heat Resistant Steels and Alloys, Wrought Products and Forging Stock

AMS 2806 Identification, Bars, Wire, Mechanical Tubing, and Extrusions, Carbon and Alloy Steels and Corrosion and Heat Resistant Steels and Alloys

## 2.2 ASTM Publications:

Available from ASTM, 100 Barr Harbor Drive, West Conshohocken, PA 19428-2959.

ASTM A 262 Detecting Susceptibility to Intergranular Attack in Austenitic Stainless Steels

ASTM A 370 Mechanical Testing of Steel Products

ASTM E 353 Chemical Analysis of Stainless, Heat-Resisting, Maraging, and Other Similar Chromium-Nickel-Iron Alloys

## 3. TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS:

## 3.1 Composition:

Shall conform to the percentages by weight shown in Table 1, determined by wet chemical methods in accordance with ASTM E 353, by spectrochemical methods, or by other analytical methods acceptable to purchaser:

TABLE 1 - Composition

Element	min	max
Carbon	--	0.08
Manganese	--	2.00
Silicon	--	1.00
Phosphorus	--	0.040
Sulfur	--	0.030
Chromium	18.00	20.00
Nickel	8.00	12.00
Molybdenum	--	0.75
Copper	--	0.75

3.1.1 Check Analysis: Composition variations shall meet the applicable requirements of AMS 2248.

## 3.2 Condition:

Solution heat treated and cold worked.

## 3.3 Properties:

Bars and wire shall conform to the following requirements:

## 3.3.1 Tensile Properties: Shall be as shown in Table 2, determined in accordance with ASTM A 370.

TABLE 2A - Minimum Tensile Properties, Inch/Pound Units

Nominal Diameter or Least Distance Between Parallel Sides Inches	Tensile Strength psi	Yield Strength at 0.2% Offset psi	Elongation in 4D %	Reduction of Area %
Up to 0.750, incl	125,000	100,000	12	35
Over 0.750 to 1.000, incl	115,000	80,000	15	35
Over 1.000 to 1.250, incl	105,000	65,000	20	35
Over 1.250 to 1.500, incl	100,000	50,000	28	45
Over 1.500 to 1.750, incl	95,000	45,000	30	45

TABLE 2B - Minimum Tensile Properties, SI Units

Nominal Diameter or Least Distance Between Parallel Sides Millimeters	Tensile Strength MPa	Yield Strength at 0.2% Offset MPa	Elongation in 4D %	Reduction of Area %
Up to 19.05, incl	862	689	12	35
Over 19.05 to 25.40, incl	793	552	15	35
Over 25.40 to 31.75, incl	724	448	20	35
Over 31.75 to 38.10, incl	689	345	28	45
Over 38.10 to 44.45, incl	655	310	30	45

## 3.3.2 Susceptibility to Intergranular Attack: The product, after solution heat treatment and prior to cold working, shall pass the intergranular corrosion test performed in accordance with ASTM A 262, Practice E.

### 3.4 Quality:

The product, as received by purchaser, shall be uniform in quality and condition, sound, and free from foreign materials and from imperfections detrimental to usage of the product.

### 3.5 Tolerances:

Shall conform to all applicable requirements of AMS 2241 or MAM 2241.

## 4. QUALITY ASSURANCE PROVISIONS:

### 4.1 Responsibility for Inspection:

The vendor of the product shall supply all samples for vendor's tests and shall be responsible for the performance of all required tests. Purchaser reserves the right to sample and to perform any confirmatory testing deemed necessary to ensure that the product conforms to specified requirements.

### 4.2 Classification of Tests:

All technical requirements are acceptance tests and shall be performed on each heat or lot as applicable.

### 4.3 Sampling and Testing:

Shall be in accordance with AMS 2371.

### 4.4 Reports:

The vendor of bars and wire shall furnish with each shipment a report showing the results of tests for chemical composition of each heat and for tensile properties and susceptibility to intergranular attack of each lot, and stating that the product conforms to the other technical requirements. This report shall include the purchase order number, heat and lot numbers, AMS 5857A, size, and quantity.

### 4.5 Resampling and Retesting:

Shall be in accordance with AMS 2371.

## 5. PREPARATION FOR DELIVERY:

### 5.1 Sizes:

Except when exact lengths or multiples of exact lengths are ordered, straight bars and wire will be acceptable in mill lengths of 6 to 20 feet (1.8 to 6.1 m) but not more than 10% of any shipment shall be supplied in lengths shorter than 10 feet (3 m).