

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

(Composition similar to UNS S30400)

RATIONALE

AMS 5857B is a Five Year Review and update of this specification.

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 International, 400 Commonwealth Drive, Warrendale, PA 15096-0001, Tel: 877-606-7323 (inside USA and Canada) or 724-776-4970 (outside USA), www.sae.org.

AMS 2241	Tolerances, 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
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

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2.2 ASTM Publications

Available from ASTM International, 100 Barr Harbor Drive, P.O. Box C700, West Conshohocken, PA 19428-2959, Tel: 610-832-9585, www.astm.org.

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 ksi	Yield Strength at 0.2% Offset ksi	Elongation in 4D %	Reduction of Area %
Up to 0.750, incl	125	100	12	35
Over 0.750 to 1.000, incl	115	80	15	35
Over 1.000 to 1.250, incl	105	65	20	35
Over 1.250 to 1.500, incl	100	50	28	45
Over 1.500 to 1.750, incl	95	45	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.

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 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 5857B, size, product form, and quantity.

4.5 Resampling and Retesting

Shall be in accordance with AMS 2371.