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MATERIAL
SPECIFICATION**

AMS-QQ-A-200/17A

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Superseded by ASTM B 241 and
ASTM B 221

Aluminum Alloy 6162, Bar, Rod, Shapes,
Tube, and Wire, Extruded

(Composition similar to UNS A96162)

RATIONALE

AMS-QQ-A-200/17 has been designated Cancelled and Superseded because equivalent technical requirements are provided by ASTM B 241 and ASTM B 221.

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AMS-QQ-A-200/17	Superseding Specification	Alloy
Type 1 Tubing	ASTM B 241, Aluminum and Aluminum-Alloy Seamless Pipe and Seamless Extruded Tube	6162
Type II Tubing and all other product	ASTM B 221, Aluminum and Aluminum-Alloy Extruded Bars, Rods, Wire, Profiles, and Tubes	6162

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The complete requirements for procuring aluminum alloy 6162 bar, rod, shapes, tube, and wire extruded described herein shall consist of this document and the latest issue of AMS-QQ-A-200.

1. SCOPE AND CLASSIFICATION:

1.1 Scope:

This specification covers the specific requirements for aluminum alloy 6162 bar, rod, shapes, tube, and wire produced by extrusion.

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1.2 Classification:

1.2.1 Tempers: Bar, rod, shapes, tube, and wire are classified in the following tempers as specified (See 6.2): T5, T5510, T5511, T6, T6510, and T6511. Definitions of tempers are specified in AMS-QQ-A-200.

1.2.2 Tubing: Tubing shall be additionally classified as follows:

<u>Type</u>	<u>Description</u>
I	- Tubing extruded from hollow billets using die and mandrel (See AMS-QQ-A-200)
II	- Tubing extruded from solid billets using a porthole or spider die or similar tooling (See AMS-QQ-A-200)

2. APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS:

See AMS-QQ-A-200.

3. REQUIREMENTS:

3.1 Chemical Composition:

The chemical composition shall conform to the requirements specified in Table I.

TABLE I. Chemical Composition 1/

Element	Percent	
	Minimum	Maximum
Zinc	--	0.25
Magnesium	0.7	1.1
Copper	--	0.20
Chromium	--	0.10
Manganese	--	0.10
Iron	--	0.50
Silicon	0.40	0.8
Titanium	--	0.10
Other Elements, each	--	0.05
Other Elements, total <u>2/</u>	--	0.15
Aluminum	Remainder	

1/ Analysis shall routinely be made only for the elements specifically mentioned in Table I. If, however, the presence of other elements is indicated or suspected in amounts greater than the specified limits, further analysis shall be made to determine that these elements are not present in excess of specified limits.

2/ The sum of those "Others" metallic elements 0.010 percent or more each, expressed to the second decimal before determining the sum.

3.2 Mechanical Properties:

3.2.1 Mechanical Properties of Material as Supplied: The mechanical properties in the direction of extrusion shall conform to requirements specified in Table II.

TABLE II. Mechanical Properties

Temper	Thickness, (bar and shapes); diameter, (rod and wire); wall thickness, (tube); Inches	Tensile Strength, Minimum ksi	Yield Strength at 0.2 percent Offset or at extension indicated		Elongation in 2 inches or 4 times D ^{1/} , ^{3/} Minimum percent
			Minimum ksi	Extension under load inch/inch	
T5, ^{2/} T5510, T5511	Up thru 1.000	37.0	34.0	0.0054	7
T6, ^{2/} T6510, T6511	Up thru 0.249 0.250 - 0.499	38.0 38.0	35.0 35.0	0.0053 0.0053	8 10

^{1/} "D" represents specimen diameter.

^{2/} For stress-relieved tempers, the characteristics and properties, other than those specified, may differ somewhat from the corresponding characteristics and properties of material in the basic temper.

^{3/} See AMS-QQ-A-200 for elongation requirement exceptions.

3.3 Internal Soundness:

When specified (See 6.2), extrusions shall be subjected to ultrasonic inspection in accordance with 4.2. Standards for acceptance shall be as agreed upon by the contractor and the procuring activity.

3.4 Marking:

In addition to the marking required by AMS-QQ-A-200, material in the T6, T6510, and T6511 tempers shall be identified by an inspection lot number marked in at least one location on each piece.