

# CuMg0.1

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Comparable standards: UNS C15500 • JIS C1550  
 Aurubis designations: C155 • C155 • PNA 297

**Description** CuMg0.1 is an alloy hardened by the addition of magnesium. It shows increased strength and very good electrical conductivity (min. 86% IACS). Magnesium increases the wear resistance of copper, as well as the thermal stability and relaxation properties.

**Composition**

Cu	Mg	P	Ag
[%]	[%]	[%]	[%]
min 99.75	0.08-0.13	0.04-0.08	0.027-0.1

Composition of this alloy is in accordance with RoHS for electric & electronic components and ELV for the automotive industry.

**Physical properties**

Melting point	Density	c <sub>p</sub> @ 20°C	Young's modulus	Thermal cond.	Electrical cond.		α @20-300°C
					[MS/m]	[%IACS]	
[°C]	[g/cm <sup>3</sup> ]	[kJ/kgK]	[GPa]	[W/mK]			[10 <sup>-6</sup> /K]
1082	8.91	0.394	117	≥340	≥ 50	≥86	17.6

Note: The specified conductivity applies to the soft condition only.

c<sub>p</sub> specific heat capacity  
 α coefficient of thermal expansion

**Mechanical properties**

	Tensile Strength	Yield Strength	Elongation A <sub>50</sub>	Hardness HV	Bend ratio 90° [r]		Bend ratio 180° [r]	
					[MPa]	[MPa]	[%]	[-]
R235	235-300	≥105	≥30	-	0	0	0	0
R300	300-360	≥250	≥ 28	90-125	0	0	0	0.5
R360	360-420	≥320	≥ 13	120-140	0	0.5	1	2
R420	420-460	≥380	≥ 5	130-150	0.5	1	2	2.5
R460	≥460	≥420	≥ 3	≥140	1	2	3	5

r = x \* t (thickness t ≤ 0.5mm)  
 GW bend axis transverse to rolling direction. BW bend axis parallel to rolling direction.

**Fabrication properties**

Cold formability	excellent
Hot formability	excellent
Soldering	excellent
Brazing	excellent
Oxyacetylene welding	not recommended
Gas shielded arc welding	not recommended
Resistance welding	fair
Machinability	not recommended

**Electrical conductivity**

The electrical conductivity depends on chemical composition, the level of cold deformation and the grain size. A high level of deformation as well as a small grain size decrease the conductivity.

**Corrosion  
Resistance**

CuMg0.1 is resistant to: Natural and industrial atmospheres as well as maritime air, drinking and service water, non oxidizing acids, alkaline solutions and neutral saline solutions.  
CuMg0.1 is not resistant to: Ammonia, halogenide, cyanide and hydrogen sulfide solutions and atmospheres, oxidizing acids and sea water (especially at high flow rates).

**Typical uses**

Components of electrical engineering, connectors, lead frames

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