

Reference Material Certificate

AS20/02

Aluminium Base (Type of Standard)

Certified Values

Element	Mass content [%]	Uncertainty [%]
Silicon (Si)	0.204	± 0.005
Iron (Fe)	0.310	± 0.010
Copper (Cu)	4.65	± 0.05
Manganese (Mn)	0.694	± 0.010
Magnesium (Mg)	1.57	± 0.02
Chromium (Cr)	0.104	± 0.002
Nickel (Ni)	0.052	± 0.001
Zinc (Zn)	0.201	± 0.005
Titanium (Ti)	0.0562	± 0.0015
Beryllium (Be)	0.00052	± 0.00005
Bismuth (Bi)	0.050	± 0.004
Calcium (Ca)	0.0006	± 0.0001
Cadmium (Cd)	0.0013	± 0.0002
Cobalt (Co)	0.0012	± 0.0002
Gallium (Ga)	0.016	± 0.002
Lithium (Li)	0.00055	± 0.00010
Sodium (Na)	(0.002)	
Lead (Pb)	0.051	± 0.005
Tin (Sn)	0.0125	± 0.0015
Vanadium (V)	0.0245	± 0.0015
Zirconium (Zr)	0.140	± 0.008

The uncertainty reported is the result of standard deviation of all results multiplied with a factor of two and represents approximately the 95% confidence interval.

Values in brackets () are not certified but given for information only.

Manufacturing

This standard is produced using six strand hot top vertical continuous casting out of single melt.

Homogeneity

Homogeneity testing is performed by means of spark emission spectroscopy. Tests involve making multiple measurements on individual samples taken at regular intervals along the entire length of each cast rod. Depending on the mass content of the element, the relative standard deviation of multiple measurements between discs or within one disc is typically found between 0.3% - 1% for alloying and other elements and 0.5% - 5% for trace elements.

Analysis

The values listed in this analysis certificate are the results of multiple analyses performed in our chemical analysis laboratory which is an accredited test facility for aluminium alloys according to the international standard ISO 17025. The analyses are based on established wet chemical procedures.

Description of Sample

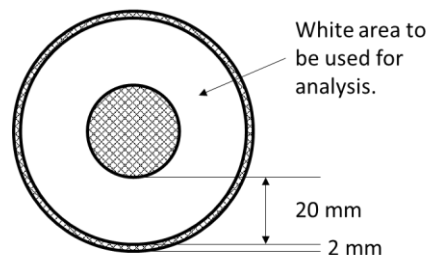
This reference material is available in the form of discs (approx. Ø 60 x 25 mm).

Intended use and Stability

This certified reference material is primarily intended for use in spark optical emission spectroscopy. Other applications are X-ray fluorescence spectrometry (XRF) and classical wet chemical procedures. The minimum sample size for wet chemical analysis is 0.2g. The material will remain stable for the period given below (certification validity) if it is stored in a dry and clean environment at room temperature.

Instructions for Use

Calibration measurements should be made within a ring between 2mm and 22mm from the edge of the CRM face. For wet chemical analysis chips have to be prepared by turning or milling of the sample surface.



Traceability

Traceability of the certified mass contents to the SI (Système International d'Unités) is ensured by calibration using certified standard solutions or pure metals or substances of known stoichiometry.

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