

Wieland-N35

CuNi15Zn23Pb2 | Nickel silver (leaded)

Material designation

EN not standardized UNS not standardized

Chemical composition* Cu 61 % Ni 15 %

Material properties and typical applications

Wieland-N35 is a silver-coloured material especially developed for tips for ballpoint pens and is, meanwhile, used by wellknown manufacturers of writing utensils. This alloy combines good machinability with good cold working properties. Tips made out of Wieland-N35 have a good resistance to wear and corrosion and result in a beautiful type face.

Physical properties*

Electrical MS/m 3.5 %IACS 6 conductivity Thermal conductivity W/(m·K) 50 Thermal expansion coefficient 18 (0-300 °C) 10⁻⁶/K 8.69 Density g/cm³ 135 Modulus of elasticity GPa

Types of delivery

The BU Extruded Products supplies bars, wire, sections and tubes. Please get in touch with your contact person regarding the available delivery forms, dimensions and tempers.

Fabrication properties

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Forming*		Surface treatment		
Machinability (CuZn39Pb3 = 100 %)	70 %	Polishing mechanical	good	
Capacity for being	good	elektrolytic	fair	
cold worked	good	Electroplating	good	
Capacity for being	poor			
hot worked				

Corrosion resistance

Nickel silver generally exhibits good corrosion resistance to atmospheric influences, organic substances (perspiration, environmental influences) as well as alkaline and neutral saline solutions.

Joining		
Resistance welding (butt weld)	good	
Inert gas shielded arc welding	fair	
Gas welding	poor	
Hard soldering	fair	
Soft soldering	excellent	

Heat treatment	
Melting range	935-1060 °C
Hot working	850-925 °C
Soft annealing	500-700 °C 1-3 h
Thermal stress relieving	200-300 °C 1-3 h

Product standards

not standardized

Trademarks



Further information is provided in our brochure scriptoline.

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Pb 2 % Zn balance

^{*} Reference values in % by weight

^{*} Reference values at room temperature