

SHP 834 Ultimate

Product Data Sheet

Enhancing Performance

SHP 834 Ultimate is a titanium product which takes performance to another level

Designed originally for use in the aerospace sector, SHP 834 Ultimate is a high-performance alloy which is also highly suitable for motorsport applications. Our product offers improved temperature capability when compared to 6242 titanium.

Titanium is a product that can be modified by alloying to offer different performance characteristics. In the case of SHP 834 Ultimate (near-alpha alloy), small amounts of beta-phase stabilisers; Niobium, Molybdenum and Silicon and increased alpha stabilisers; Aluminium, Zirconium and Carbon, introduced during the alloying process, change the performance characteristics of the material. Increases in tensile strength, creep resistance and fatigue resistance is the result.

SHP 834 Ultimate undergoes solid-solution strengthening and precipitation strengthening to achieve its performance characteristics which are superior to 6242. During production, the material also benefits from heat treatment high in the alpha plus beta phase field. Resulting features include increased creep resistance (up to 110° F (600° C)) and an overall increase in tensile strength. Fatigue resistance is also much improved when compared to 6242 titanium. Properties of this alloy are maintained to a reasonable level up to bar thicknesses of 75mm (3 inches) - in greater diameters, a small reduction in overall strength may be observed.

About Smiths High Performance

Smiths High Performance is a leading stockholder and supplier of high-performance engineering materials to the global motorsport sector. We are supply partners in a range of specialist motorsport markets including Formula 1, Formula E, NASCAR, MOTO GP, WEC & WRC.



Other Characteristics

SHP 834 Ultimate can be welded using well-established welding techniques specific to titanium products.

Motorsport Applications:

- High-performance racing engine parts
- Applications where good tensile strength combined with good creep and fatigue resistance is essential
- Exhaust valves

Further technical data available on the reverse of this Datasheet

Chemical Composition

| | Min | Max |
|--------------------------|-----------|-------|
| Aluminium | 5.50 | 6.10 |
| Tin | 3.00 | 5.00 |
| Zirconium | 3.00 | 5.00 |
| Niobium | 0.50 | 1.00 |
| Molybdenum | 0.25 | 0.75 |
| Silicon | 0.20 | 0.60 |
| Carbon | 0.04 | 0.08 |
| Iron | - | 0.05 |
| Oxygen | 0.075 | 0.15 |
| Nitrogen | - | 0.03 |
| Hydrogen | - | 0.006 |
| Residual elements, each | - | 0.05 |
| Residual elements, total | - | 0.20 |
| Titanium | Remainder | |

Physical Properties

| Property | Values | |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| Density | 0.164lb in ⁻³ | 4.55g cm ⁻³ |
| Beta Transus | 1913°F | 1045°C |
| Thermal Conductivity* | 4.08 Btu hr ⁻¹ ft ⁻¹ °F ⁻¹ | 7.06 W m ⁻¹ K ⁻¹ |
| Magnetic Permeability | Nonmagnetic | |
| Mean Coefficient of Thermal Expansion | | |
| 68-392°F (20-200°C) | 5.9 x 10 ⁻⁶ in in ⁻¹ °F ⁻¹ | 10.6 x 10 ⁻⁶ mm ⁻¹ °C ⁻¹ |
| 68-752°F (20-400°C) | 6.1 x 10 ⁻⁶ in in ⁻¹ °F ⁻¹ | 10.9 x 10 ⁻⁶ mm ⁻¹ °C ⁻¹ |
| 68-1112°F (20-600°C) | 6.1 x 10 ⁻⁶ in in ⁻¹ °F ⁻¹ | 10.9 x 10 ⁻⁶ mm ⁻¹ °C ⁻¹ |
| Elastic Modulus* | ~17.4Msi | ~120 GPa |

* Typical values at room temperature of about 68-78°F (20-25°C)

Mechanical Properties (minima)

| Test Temperature | UTS ksi (MPa) | 0.2% YS ksi (MPa) | Elongation 5D %in | Reduction Area % | Notched Tensile Strength K _t =3 | Fracture Toughness K _{1c} ksi√in (MPa√m) |
|------------------|------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|---|--|
| 68°F (20°C) | 149 (1030) | 132 (910) | 6 | 15 | 1.45 x actual tensile strength | 40 (45) |
| 1112°F (600°C) | 85 (585) | 65 (450) | 9 | 20 | - | - |

Availability

We stock SHP 834 Ultimate in bar and forgings

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When you purchase high-performance materials from **Smiths High Performance**, you will be joining some of the biggest and best global engineering companies. We are a Tier 1 supply chain partner to the world's leading motorsport companies. Our unique business structure and ethos allows us to offer services which are otherwise unavailable in this market sector.