



Standard Specification for Copper-Aluminum-Silicon-Cobalt Alloy, Copper-Nickel-Silicon-Magnesium Alloy, Copper-Nickel-Silicon Alloy, Copper-Nickel-Aluminum-Magnesium Alloy, and Copper-Nickel-Tin Alloy Sheet and Strip¹

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This standard has been approved for use by agencies of the Department of Defense.

1. Scope*

1.1 This specification establishes the requirements for² Copper Alloy UNS Nos. C19002, C19010, C19015, C19020, C19025, C63800, C64725, C70250, C70260, C70265, and C70310 sheet and strip.

1.2 The values stated in either SI units or inch-pound units are to be regarded separately as standard. The values stated in each system may not be exact equivalents; therefore, each system shall be used independently of the other. Combining values from the two systems may result in non-conformance with the standard.

1.3 *This standard does not purport to address all of the safety concerns, if any, associated with its use. It is the responsibility of the user of this standard to establish appropriate safety and health practices and determine the applicability of regulatory limitations prior to use.*

2. Referenced Documents

2.1 The following documents of the issue in effect on date of material purchase form a part of this specification to the extent referenced herein:

2.2 *ASTM Standards:*³

B 248 Specification for General Requirements for Wrought

Copper and Copper-Alloy Plate, Sheet, Strip, and Rolled Bar

B 248M Specification for General Requirements for Wrought Copper and Copper-Alloy Plate, Sheet, Strip, and Rolled Bar (Metric)

B 846 Terminology for Copper and Copper Alloys

E 527 Practice for Numbering Metals and Alloys in the Unified Numbering System (UNS)

3. General Requirements

3.1 Material furnished to this specification shall be in accordance with the applicable requirements of the current edition of Specification **B 248**.

4. Terminology

4.1 *Definitions*—For definitions of terms related to copper and copper alloys, refer to Terminology **B 846**.

5. Ordering Information

5.1 Orders for material under this specification should include the following information:

5.1.1 Quantity (of each size),

5.1.2 Alloy: Copper Alloy UNS No. (Section 1),

5.1.3 Form of material (sheet or strip),

5.1.4 Temper (see 7.1),

5.1.5 Dimensions (thickness, width, length (if applicable),

5.1.6 How furnished (rolls, specific lengths with or without ends, stock lengths with or without ends),

5.1.7 Type of edge, if required (slit, sheared, sawed, square corners, rounded corners, rounded edges, or full-rounded edges (see 10.6),

5.1.8 Type of width and straightness tolerances, if required (slit-metal tolerances, square sheared-metal tolerances, sawed-metal tolerances, straightened or edge-rolled-metal tolerances) (Section 10), and

5.1.9 ASTM specification number and year of issue.

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² The UNS system for copper and copper alloys (see Practice **E 527**) is a simple expansion of the former standard designation system accomplished by the addition of a prefix “C” and a suffix “00.” The suffix can be used to accommodate composition variations of the base alloy.

³ For referenced ASTM standards, visit the ASTM website, www.astm.org, or contact ASTM Customer Service at service@astm.org. For Annual Book of ASTM Standards volume information, refer to the standard’s Document Summary page on the ASTM website.

5.2 In addition, when material is purchased for agencies of the U.S. government, it shall conform to the Supplementary Requirements as defined in Specification B 248 when specified in the contract or purchase order.

6. Chemical Composition

6.1 The materials shall conform to the compositions prescribed in Table 1.

6.2 These specification limits do not preclude the presence of other elements. Limits for unnamed elements may be established by agreement between manufacturer or supplier and purchaser.

6.3 When copper is listed as remainder, copper may be taken as the difference between the sum of all the elements analyzed and 100 %. When all the elements in Table 1 for Alloys C19002, C19010, C63800, C64725, C70250, C70260, C70265, and C70310 are analyzed, their sum shall be 99.5 % min. When all the elements in Table 1 for Alloy C19025 are analyzed, their sum shall be 99.7 % min. When all the elements in Table 1 for Alloys C19015 and C19020 are analyzed, their sum shall be 99.8 % min.

7. Temper

7.1 Tempers available under this specification are as designated in Tables 2-7.

8. Mechanical Properties

8.1 Copper Alloy UNS No. C63800 is a dispersion-strengthened alloy which does not require heat treatment. The annealed and rolled tempers shall conform to the tensile property requirements prescribed in Table 2.

8.2 Copper Alloy UNS No. C70250 is supplied in a mill-hardened, or cold-worked and precipitation heat-treated, or precipitation heat-treated or spinodal heat-treated, 1/2 Hd and stress-relieved tempers. The 0.2 % offset yield strength shall be the standard tests for these tempers and shall conform to the requirements specified in Table 3.

8.2.1 If ductility or formability requirements are desired, they shall be negotiated and agreed upon between manufacturer and purchaser.

8.3 Copper Alloys UNS No. C70260 and C70265 are supplied in a mill-hardened temper. The 0.2 % offset yield strength shall be the standard test for the mill-hardened tempers TM00, TM02, TM03, and TM04 and shall conform to the requirements specified in Table 4. The tensile strength shall be the standard test for the mill-hardened temper TM01 and shall conform to the requirements specified in Table 4.

8.3.1 If ductility or formability requirements are desired, they shall be negotiated and agreed upon between manufacturer and purchaser.

8.4 Copper Alloy UNS Nos. C19020 and C19025 are supplied in cold-worked, stress-relieved temper. These tempers shall conform to the tensile strength and elongation requirements in Table 5. The 0.2 % offset yield strength shall be the standard test for the mill-hardened tempers and shall conform to the requirements specified in Table 7 and Table 5, respectively.

8.4.1 If ductility or formability requirements are desired, they shall be negotiated and agreed upon between manufacturer and purchaser.

8.5 Copper Alloy UNS No. C19010 is supplied in either precipitation heat-treated (TM03 to TM08) tempers, or mill-hardened (H01 to H10) tempers. The 0.2 % offset yield strength shall be the standard test for the precipitation heat-treated and mill-hardened tempers and shall conform to the requirements specified in Table 6.

8.5.1 If ductility or formability requirements are desired, they shall be negotiated and agreed upon between manufacturer and purchaser.

8.6 Copper alloy C64725 is supplied in either mill-hardened temper (TM02–TM08) temper, or cold-worked, stress relieved (HR04) temper. Tempers shall conform to the 0.2 % offset yield requirements specified in Table 8.

8.6.1 If ductility or formability requirements are desired, they shall be negotiated and agreed upon between manufacturer and purchaser.

8.7 Copper alloy C19002 is supplied in the mill hardened temper (TM04–TM08) temper. Tempers shall conform to the 0.2 % offset yield requirements specified in Table 9.

TABLE 1 Chemical Requirements Composition %

Element	C19002	C19010	C19015	C19020	C19025	C63800	C64725	C70250	C70260	C70265	C70310
Nickel	1.4–1.7 ^A	0.8–1.8	0.50–2.4	0.50–3.0	0.80–1.2	0.20 max.	1.3–2.7 ^A	2.2–4.2 ^B	1.0–3.0 ^B	1.0–3.0 ^B	1.0–4.0 ^A
Silicon	0.20–0.35	0.15–0.35	0.10–0.40	...	...	1.5–2.1	0.20–0.8	0.25–1.2	0.20–0.7	0.20–0.7	0.08–1.0
Lead, max	0.05	...	...	...	...	0.05	0.01	0.05	...	0.05	0.05
Iron, max	0.10	...	...	...	0.10	0.20	0.25	0.20	...	...	0.10
Zinc, max	...	...	...	...	0.20	0.8	0.50–1.5	1.0	...	0.30	2.0
Aluminum	...	...	...	...	...	2.5–3.1	...	...	...	...	...
Copper ^A	remainder	remainder	remainder	remainder	remainder	remainder	95.0 min	remainder	remainder	remainder	remainder
Cobalt	...	...	...	...	...	0.25–0.55	...	...	...	...	...
Manganese, max	...	...	...	...	...	0.10	...	0.10	...	...	...
Magnesium	0.01	...	0.02–0.15	...	...	...	0.20 max	0.05–0.30	...	...	0.01
Tin	0.02–0.30	...	...	0.30–0.9	0.7–1.1	...	0.20–0.8	...	...	0.05–0.8	1.0
Phosphorus	.05	0.01–0.05	...	0.01–0.20	0.03–0.07	...	...	...	0.010 max	0.01 max	0.05
Calcium	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.01	...	...	...	...
Chromium	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.09	...	...	...	...
Silver	0.02–0.50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.02–0.50
Zirconium	0.005–0.05	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.005–0.05

^A Including silver.

^B Including cobalt.

TABLE 2 Tensile Property Requirements and Approximate Hardness Values for Copper Alloy UNS No. C63800

Temper		Tensile Strength		Elongation in 2 in. (50.8 mm), %	Approximate Rockwell Hardness ^A	
Designation	Name	ksi ^B	MPa ^C		Rockwell B	Superficial 30T
O60	soft anneal	78 max	540 max	37 min	...	...
O61	annealed	77–87	530–600	27–40	...	70–78
H01	¼ hard	90–102	620–705	...	92–96	76–80
H02	½ hard	100–112	690–775	...	95–98	79–81
H03	¾ hard	105–117	720–810	...	97–99	80–82
H04	hard	114–126	785–870	...	98–100	81–83
H06	extra hard	118–130	815–900	...	99–101	81–83
H08	spring	123–134	845–925	...	99–101	82–84
H10	extra spring	130 min	900 min	...	100 min	83 min

^A Hardness values shown apply only to direct determination, not converted values. They are for information only.

^B ksi = 1000 psi.

^C See [Appendix X1](#).

TABLE 3 Yield Requirements for Copper Alloy UNS No. C70250

Temper Designation	Yield Strength at 0.2 % Offset	
	ksi ^A	MPa ^B
TM00	65–90	450–620
TM02	83–110	585–760
TM03	95–120	655–825
TR02	80 min	550 min
TH03	65–85	450–585

^A ksi = 1000 psi.

^B See [Appendix X1](#).

TABLE 4 Tensile and Yield Requirements for Copper Alloy UNS No. C70260 and C70265

Temper Designation	Yield Strength at 0.2 % Offset	
	ksi ^A	MPa ^B
TM00	65–85	450–585
TM02	90–100	620–690
TM03	95–115	653–790
TM04	100–120	687–825
Temper Designation	Tensile Strength	
	ksi ^A	MPa ^B
TM01	90–105	620–720

^A ksi = 1000 psi.

^B See [Appendix X1](#).

TABLE 5 Tensile Requirements for Copper Alloy UNS No. C19025

Designation	Tensile Strength		Elongation in 2 in. (50.8 mm) %
	ksi ^A	MPa ^B	
HR02	63–76	435–525	9–25
HR04	72–83	495–570	5–14
HR06	78 min	540 min	4–12

^A ksi = 1000 psi.

^B See [Appendix X1](#).

TABLE 6 Yield Requirements for Copper Alloy UNS No. C19010

Temper Designation	Yield Strength at 0.2 % Offset	
	ksi ^A	MPa ^B
TM03	50–65	340–450
TM04	60–75	410–515
TM06	64–79	440–545
TM08	74–89	510–610
H01	40–55	275–380
H02	54–69	370–475
H03	62–77	410–530
H04	66–81	435–555
H06	72–87	460–600
H08	78–93	520–640
H10	85–100	585–685

^A ksi = 1000 psi.

^B See [Appendix X1](#).

TABLE 7 Tensile Requirements for Copper Alloy UNS No. C19020

Designation	Tensile Strength		Elongation in 2 in. (50.8 mm), %
	ksi	MPa	
HR02	58–70	400–485	5 min
HR04	65–74	450–510	3 min
HR06	71–80	490–550	3 min
HR08	77 min	530 min	2 min

TABLE 8 Yield Requirements for Copper Alloy UNS No. C64725

Designation	Yield Strength	
	ksi ^A	MPa ^B
TM02	70–90	480–620
TM04	85–105	585–720
TM06	95–115	655–790
TM08	100–120	690–825
HR04	80–105	550–720

^A ksi = 1000 psi.

^B See [Appendix X1](#).

8.7.1 If ductility or formability requirements are desired, they shall be negotiated and agreed upon between manufacturer and purchaser.

8.8 Copper alloy C19015 is supplied in the mill hardened temper (TM04–TM08) temper. Tempers shall conform to the 0.2% offset yield requirements specified in [Table 10](#).

8.8.1 If ductility or formability requirements are desired, they shall be negotiated and agreed upon between manufacturer and purchaser.

8.9 Copper alloy C70310 is supplied in the mill hardened temper (TM04–TM08) temper. Tempers shall conform to the 0.2% offset yield requirements specified in [Table 11](#).

8.9.1 If ductility or formability requirements are desired, they shall be negotiated and agreed upon between manufacturer and purchaser.

TABLE 9 Yield Requirements for Copper Alloy UNS No. C19002

Designation	Yield Strength	
	ksi ^A	MPa ^B
TM04	65–75	448–517
TM06	75–85	517–586
TM08	82–92	565–634

^Aksi = 1000 psi.

^BSee Appendix X1.

TABLE 10 Tensile Requirements for Copper Alloy UNS No. C19015

Designation	Yield Strength	
	ksi ^A	MPa ^B
TM02	53–63	365–434
TM04	60–70	416–282
TM08	68 min	469 min

^Aksi = 1000 psi.

^BSee Appendix X1.

TABLE 11 Yield Requirements for Copper Alloy UNS No. C70310

Designation	Yield Strength	
	ksi ^A	MPa ^B
TM02	85–110	586–655
TM04	95–120	676–745
TM08	105–130	751–827

^Aksi = 1000 psi.

^BSee Appendix X1.

9. Electrical Properties

9.1 The electrical resistivity of Copper Alloys UNS Nos. C19002, C19010, C19015, C19025, C63800, C64725, C70250, C70260, C70310, and C70265 are listed in Table 12 for information only.

10. Dimensions and Permissible Variations

10.1 The dimensions and tolerances shall be as prescribed in the current edition of Specifications B 248 and B 248M:

10.2 *Thickness:*

10.3 *Width:*

10.3.1 *Slit Metal and Slit Metal with Rolled Edges*

10.3.2 *Square-Sheared Metal*

10.3.3 *Sawed Metal*

10.4 *Length:*

10.4.1 *Specific and Stock Lengths With and Without Ends*

10.4.2 *Schedule of Lengths (Specific and Stock) With Ends*

TABLE 12 Electrical Resistivity and Conductivity Equivalent

Copper Alloy UNS No.	Temper	Electrical Resistivity at 20°C (68°F), $\Omega \cdot \text{g}/\text{m}^2$	Equivalent Conductivity at 20°C (68°F), % IACS
C63800		1.5328	10
C64725	TM02	0.3832	40
C64725	TM04, TM06, TM08, HR04	0.4143	37
C70250	TR02, TM00, TM02	0.3832	40
C70250	TM03	0.4258	36
C70260	TM00, TM02, TM03, TM04	0.3832	40
C70260	TM01	0.3066	50
C70265	TM00, TM02, TM03, TM04	0.4379	35
C70265	TM01	0.3406	45
C19025	HR02, HR04, HR06	0.3832	40
C70250	TH03	0.3066	50
C70310	TM04, TM06, TM08	0.4033	38
C19002	TM04, TM06, TM08	0.3406	45
C19010	H08, H10	0.3193	48
C19010	TM03, TM04, TM06, TM08, H03, H04, H06	0.3066	50
C19010	H01, H02	0.2787	55 min
C19015	TM04, TM06, TM08	0.2358	
C19020	HR02, HR04, HR06, HR08	0.3066	50

10.4.3 *Length Tolerances for Square-Metal*

10.4.4 *Length Tolerances for Sawed Metal*

10.5 *Straightness:*

10.5.1 *Slit Metal or Slit Metal Either Straightened or Edge-Rolled*

10.5.2 *Square-Sheared Metal*

10.5.3 *Sawed Metal*

10.6 *Edges:*

10.6.1 *Square Edges*

10.6.2 *Rounded Corners*

10.6.3 *Rounded Edges*

10.6.4 *Full-Rounded Edges*

11. Keywords

11.1 copper-aluminum-silicon-cobalt alloy; copper-nickel-aluminum magnesium alloy; copper-nickel-silicon alloy; copper nickel-silicon-magnesium alloy; copper-nickel-tin alloy; sheet; strip; UNS No. C19002; UNS No. C19010; UNS No. C19015; UNS No. C19020; UNS No. C19025; UNS No. C63800; UNS No. C64725; UNS No. C70250; UNS No. C70260; UNS No. C70265; UNS No. C70310

APPENDIX

(Nonmandatory Information)

X1. METRIC EQUIVALENTS

X1.1 The SI unit for strength properties now shown is in accordance with the International System of Units (SI). The derived SI unit for force is the newton (N), which is defined as that force which when applied to a body having a mass of one kilogram gives it an acceleration of one metre per second squared ($N = kg \cdot m/s^2$). The derived SI unit for pressure or

stress is the newton per square metre (N/m^2), which has been named the pascal (Pa) by the General Conference on Weights and Measures. Since $1 \text{ ksi} = 6\,894\,757 \text{ Pa}$, the metric equivalents are expressed as megapascal (MPa), which is the same as MN/m^2 and N/mm^2 .

SUMMARY OF CHANGES

Committee B05 has identified the location of selected changes to this standard since the last issue (B 422 – 08) that may impact the use of this standard. (Approved Oct. 1, 2008.)

(1) Changed chromium level for C64725 from .20 % max to .09 % max.

Committee B05 has identified the location of selected changes to this standard since the last issue (B422 – 06) that may impact the use of this standard. (Approved May 1, 2008.)

(1) Added Copper UNS Alloys No. C19002, C19015, and C70310 to section 1.1.
 (2) Added 8.7, 8.7.1, 8.8, 8.8.1, and 8.9 and 8.9.1.
 (3) Added C19002, C19015, and C70310 to 9.1.
 (4) Added C19002, C19015, and C70310 to Keywords, Section 11.

(5) Added C19002, C19015, and C70310 to Table 1.
 (6) Added Tables 9-11.
 (7) Renumbered Electrical Resistivity and Conductivity Equivalent table to be Table 12.

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