

EOS CaseHardeningSteel 20MnCr5
Material Data Sheet



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Case hardening steel with good hardenability reaching good wear resistance due to high surface hardness after heat treatment.

Main Characteristics:

- → Good wear resistance
- Excellent surface hardness after carburizing
- Material according to EN-10084 alloy number 1.7147
- Carburizable to achieve surface hardness of 60 HRC

Typical Applications:

- Automotive and general engineering applications
- → Gears, mechanical part

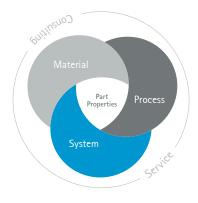
The EOS Quality Triangle

EOS uses an approach that is unique in the AM industry, taking each of the three central technical elements of the production process into account: the system, the material and the process. The data resulting from each combination is assigned a Technology Readiness Level (TRL) which makes the expected performance and production capability of the solution transparent.

EOS incorporates these TRLs into the following two categories:

- Premium products (TRL 7-9): offer highly validated data, proven capability and reproducible part properties.
- Core products (TRL 3 and 5): enable early customer access to newest technology still under development and are therefore less mature with less data.

All of the data stated in this material data sheet is produced according to EOS Quality Management System and international standards.



Powder Properties

EOS CaseHardeningSteel 20MnCr5 powder material is in accordance with EN-10084 alloy number 1.7147.

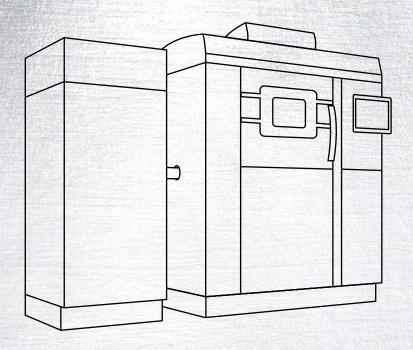
Powder chemical composition (wt.-%)

Element	Min.	Max.		
Fe	Bal	Balance		
Mn	1.10	1.40		
Cr	1.00	1.30		
С	0.17	0.22		
Si	-	0.40		
S	- 0.035			

Powder	particle	size
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Generic particle size distribution	15-55 μm





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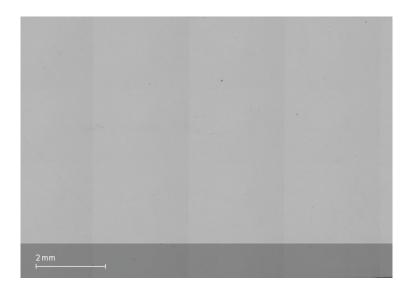
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Process Information

EOS M 290	
20MnCr5_040_CoreM291 1.X	
20MnCr5_040_CoreM291_100.eospar	
EOSPRINT 2.7 or newer EOSYSTEM 2.11 or newer	
9030-0004	
EOS ceramic blade	
EOS grid nozzle	
Nitrogen	
75 μm	
40 μm	
3.84 mm³/s	

Chemical and Physical Properties of Parts





Micrograph of polished surface

Defects	Result	
Porosity	< 0.5 %	

Typical part properties

	Yield strength R _{p0.2} [MPa]	Tensile strength	Elongation at break A [%]
Heat treated horizontal	1 265	1 480	9
Heat treated vertical	1 265	1 480	9

Heat Treatment



Hardening:

840 - 870 °C, hold time 30 min when thoroughly heated, water or oil quenching

Tempering:

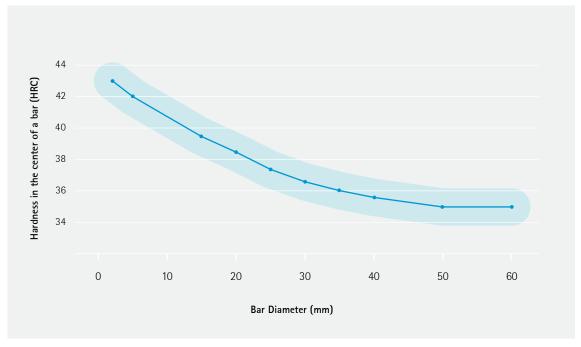
160 - 200 °C, hold time 2 h when thoroughly heated, air cooling

Optional softening treatment:

Normalizing 870 °C, hold time 1 h when thoroughly heated, air cooling

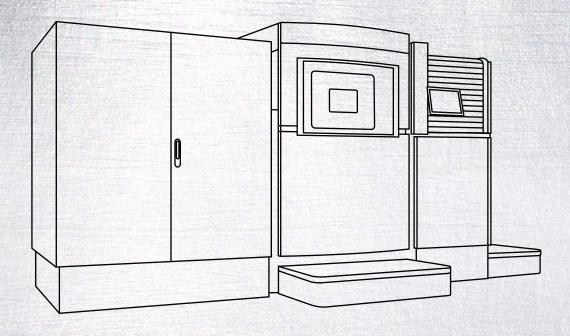
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Hardness



Hardness in the center of a bar as a function of its diameter





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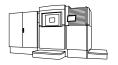
Process Information Physical Part Properties Heat Treatment Additional Data

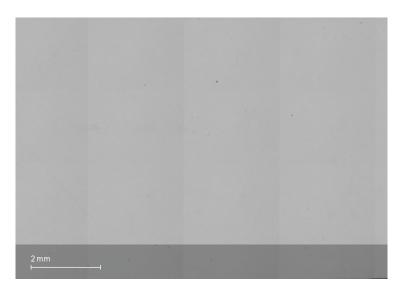
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Process Information

System set-up	EOS M 400-4		
EOS ParameterSet	20MnCr5_040_Core M404 1.X		
EOSPAR name	20MnCr5_040_CoreM404_100.eospar		
Software requirements	EOSPRINT 2.7 or newer EOSYSTEM 2.11 or newer		
Powder part no.	9030-0004		
Recoater blade	EOS ceramic blade		
Inert gas	Nitrogen		
Sieve	75 μm		
Additional information			
Layer thickness	40 μm		
Volume rate	4 x 3.84 mm³/s		

Chemical and Physical Properties of Parts





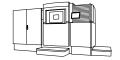
Micrograph of polished surface

Defects	Result	
Porosity	< 0.5 %	

Typical part properties

	Yield strength R _{p0.2} [MPa]	Tensile strength R _m [MPa]	Elongation at break A [%]
Heat treated horizontal	1 265	1 480	9
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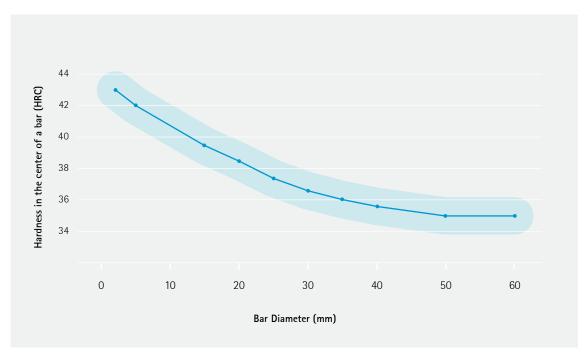
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