

Aluminum 2024-T351 Technical Datasheet

Key Features

- Good machinability
- Surface finish capabilities
- High strength
- Adequate workability

Common Applications

- Aircraft fittings
- Gears and shafts
- Bolts
- Couplings
- Worm gears
- Fastening devices

Material Description

Aluminum 2024–T351 is a heat treatable alloy known for its high strength-to-weight ratio and excellent fatigue resistance. It is composed primarily of aluminum, with copper as its main alloying element, along with small amounts of magnesium and manganese. The "T351" designation indicates that the material has been solution heat-treated and artificially aged to achieve the T351 temper, which provides high mechanical strength while retaining good formability. Aluminum 2024–T351 is commonly used in aerospace applications, including aircraft structures and components, due to its exceptional strength and fatigue resistance. Its combination of strength, machinability, and corrosion resistance makes it suitable for various high-performance applications where lightweight materials are crucial. However, it should be noted that Aluminum 2024–T351 is not as corrosion-resistant as other aluminum alloys like 5052 or 6061.

Chemical Composition (%)											
	Al	Cr	Cu	Fe	Mg	Mn	Si	Ti	Zn		
Min.	90.7		3.8		1.2	0.3					
Max.	94.7	0.10	4.9	0.50	1.8	0.9	0.5	0.15	0.25		

Mechanical Properties

Ultimate Tensile Strength					
Tensile Yield Strength					
Hardness					
Elongation at Break					

 \geq 57,300 PSI \geq 37,700 PSI Rockwell B75 \geq 10%

Physical Properties

Density Thermal Conductivity Modulus of elasticity Melting Point 0.1 lb/in³ (2.78 g/cm³) 121W/m.K 10,600 KSI (73.1 GPa) 935 - 1,180°F (502 - 638 °C)

Technical Assistance

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