

# Aluminum 6061 Technical Datasheet

## **Key Features**

- Good corrosion resistance
- Good weldability
- Good wear resistance
- Good machinability
- Poor bending

# **Common Applications**

- Automotive industry
- Marine fitting & hardware
- Electrical fitting
- Coupling & valves
- Aircraft fitting
- Camera lens mounts
- Brake pistons
- Bike frames

### **Material Description**

Aluminum 6061 is a versatile and widely used aluminum alloy known for its excellent mechanical properties and good weldability. This alloy offers a high strength-to-weight ratio, making it ideal for structural applications. It exhibits good corrosion resistance, particularly in marine and industrial environments, and maintains good formability and machinability. Commonly available in various forms, including sheet, plate, bar, and tubing, Aluminum 6061 is often used in automotive, aerospace, marine, and general construction industries. Additionally, it can undergo various surface treatments, such as anodizing and plating, to enhance its appearance and durability.

Chemical Composition (%)											
	Al	Cr	Cu	Fe	Mg	Mn	Si	Ti	Zn		
Min.	95.8	0.04	0.15		0.8		0.4				
Мах.	98.6	0.35	0.4	0.7	1.2	0.15	0.8	0.15	0.25		

#### **Mechanical Properties**

Ultimate Tensile Strength 18,000 PSI
Tensile Yield Strength 8,000 PSI
Hardness Rockwell B60

Elongation at Break 25%

#### **Physical Properties**

Density 0.095 lb/in³ (2.63 g/cm³)

Thermal Conductivity 180W/m.K

Modulus of elasticity 10,000 KSI (68.9 GPa)

Melting Point 1080 - 1,205°F (582 - 651.7 °C)

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