



FeNi36

		EN	UNS (ASTM)	AISI	LMSA
Désignation	FeNi36	1.3912	≈ K93600	-	F240

Chemical composition

Fe	Ni	Si	Mn	С	Р	S	Cr	Со
Reste	35.0 - 37.0	≤ 0.40	≤ 0.60	≤ 0.15	≤ 0.025	≤ 0.025	≤ 0.25	≤ 0.50

Values (Weight %). In order to achieve maximum homogeneity and consistent quality, the actual manufacturing tolerances are tighter and more precisely than the composition indicated.

Main technical properties and features

Invar[®] (FeNi36) belongs to the family of iron-nickel alloys with a very low coefficient of thermal expansion. This alloy has a face-centered cubic structure with a content 36 % Nickel and 64 % Iron, approximately. Invar[®] alloy is well known for exhibiting an extremely low coefficient of thermal expansion, from absolute zero (-269 °C) to 200 °C. This alloy is mainly used in applications where a high dimensional stability is required over temperature variation, such as, laser systems, optical systems, OLED displays, thermostats, etc. In dry atmospheres and at room temperature FeNi36 alloy shows good corrosion resistance. However, its corrosion resistance declines in humid environments. This alloy has high ductility and toughness. It can be easily welded.

Lamineries MATTHEY produces the Alloy Invar® (FeNi36), in precision cold-rolled product forms (strip and sheet).

Typical uses

The main applications are: laser systems, optoelectronic industry, OLED screens, thermostats, components for the automotive industry, aircraft controls, physical measuring instruments, electronic devices, watchmaking, containers for LNG tankers, and cryogenic components.

Typical manufacturing range

		Thickness (mm)	Width (mm)	Length (mm)
Rolled products	Strip in coils ^[1]	0.010 - 0.400	1.5 - 200.0	-
	Strip as sheets [1]	0.015 - 0.400	10.0 - 200.0	100 - 3000

^[1] Not all our production possibilities are presented here. Other dimensions or product forms available upon request. Some combinations of thicknesses and widths are not possible.

Mechanical properties of strips

Temper		R _m (N/mm²)	A _{50mm} (%)	Hardness HV		
R400	H110	soft	400 - 550	-	110 - 170	
R600	H180	hard	600 - 800	-	180 - 260	
R900	H280	extra hard	900 min.	-	280 min.	



Physical properties

Modulus of elasticity	kN/mm ²	140
Density	g/cm ³	8.13
Melting point	°C	1450
Linear dilatation coefficient	10 ⁻⁶ ·/ ⁰C	1.8 (-240 to -18°C) / 1.1 (20 to 50°C) / 1.4 (20 to 100°C) 1.9 (20 to 150°C) / 2.5 (20 to 200°C) / 3.6 (20 to 250°C)
Thermal conductivity at 20°C	W/m °K	10.5
Electrical resistivity	μΩcm	75
Specific heat	J/(kg. K)	515
Curie temperature	°C	230

Tolerances (strip and foil)

	Thickness (mm)			Lamineries MATTHEY					
Thickness				LMS	LMSA L		MSA		LMSA
	≥	<		Stand	lard	Pre	ecision		Extreme
	-	0.025		-		-			± 0.001
	0.025	0.050		± 0.0	± 0.003		± 0.002		± 0.0015
The table shown is an outline of our	0.050 0.065		± 0.004 ±		0.003 ±		± 0.002		
typical thickness tolerances available.	0.065	0.100		± 0.006		±	± 0.004		± 0.003
They are tighter than industry	0.100	0.125		± 0.008 ±		0.006 ±		± 0.003	
standards.	0.125	0.150		± 0.008 ±		±	0.006		± 0.004
	0.150	0.250		± 0.010 ±		±	0.008		± 0.004
Our "LMSA Precision" and "LMSA	0.250	0.300		± 0.0	± 0.012		0.008		± 0.005
Extreme tolerances are available upon	0.300	0.400		± 0.0	12	±	0.009		± 0.005
Tequest.	0.400	0.500		± 0.0	15	±	0.010		± 0.006
	0.500	0.600		± 0.0	20	± 0.012			± 0.007
	0.600	0.800	0 ±)20 ±		0.014		± 0.007
	0.800	1.000	1.000		± 0.025 ±		0.015		± 0.009
	1.000	1.200	± 0.025		25	± 0.018			± 0.012
	1.200	1.250		± 0.030		± 0.020			± 0.012
	1.250	1.500		± 0.035		± 0.025			± 0.014
Width	Our width tolerances "Standard" is +0.2, -0.0 (or \pm 0.1 mm upon request). They are available for slit widths < 125 mm and thicknesses < 1.00 mm. Special tolerances upon request.								
Camber	Width (r	nm)		Camber max. (mm/m)					
				LMSA standard			LMSA extreme		treme
	>	≤	≤ ().5 mm	> 0.5 r	nm	≤ 0.5 m	m	> 0.5 mm
Our tolerance "LMSA Standard"	3	6		12	-		6		-
respects the EN Standard 1654 (Length	6	10		8	10		4		5
of measurement 1000 mm).	10	20		4	6		2		3
Other tolerances upon request.	20	250		2	3		1		1.5
Surface	Special surface	qualities up	on req	uest					
Flatness	Special requirement on the longitudinal or transversal flatness upon request								

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