

## Technical Data Sheet AMPCO® 18.23 Centrifugal Castings

## Nominal composition:

 Aluminium
 (Al)
 10.5%

 Iron
 (Fe)
 3.5%

 Others
 max. 0.5%

 Copper
 (Cu)
 balance

Mechanical and physical properties	Units	Nominal Values
Tensile strength R <sub>m</sub>	MPa	758
Yield strength Rp <sub>0.5</sub>	MPa	386
Elongation A <sub>5</sub>	%	16
Brinell hardness	HBW 10/3000	207
Rockwell hardness	HRB	95
Reduction of area ψ	%	16
Proportional limit R <sub>p</sub>	MPa	214
Compressive strength R <sub>mc</sub>	MPa	1034
Compressive strength, 0.1 % perm. set	MPa	345
Proportional limit in compression R <sub>pc</sub>	MPa	310
Shear strength R <sub>cm</sub>	MPa	421
Modulus of elasticity E	GPa	110
Charpy <sub>aK</sub>	J	16.3
Izod <sub>aK</sub>	J	24
Fatigue (100'000'000 cycles) $\sigma_N$	MPa	248
Density ρ	g / cm³	7.45
Coefficient of expansion α	10 <sup>-6</sup> / K	16.2
Thermal conductivity λ	W/m·K	59
Electrical conductivity γ	m / Ω · mm²	7.5
Electrical conductivity	% I.A.C.S.	13
Specific heat c <sub>p</sub>	J/g·K	0.42

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This heat-treated alloy is the ultimate in high-strength bronzes requiring good bearing characteristics and exceptional wear resistance.

It has greater toughness than grade AMPCO<sup>®</sup> 18.22 and better physical properties than grades AMPCO<sup>®</sup> 18 or AMPCO<sup>®</sup> 18.136. Its exceptional proportional limit gives it a maximum resistance to distortion, enabling the designer to take full advantage of its high physical properties.

## **APPLICATIONS:**

AMPCO<sup>®</sup> 18.23 gives a successful performance under heavy loads and impact conditions and makes it a preferred material for heavy-duty worm gears and similar applications.