

Technical Data Sheet **AMPCO[®] 26** Forgings

Nominal composition:

(not published)

Mechanical and physical properties	Units	Nominal Values
Brinell hardness	HBW 10/3000	420
Rockwell hardness	HRC	44
Compressive strength R _{mc}	MPa	1608
Compressive strength, 0.1 % perm. set	MPa	715
Density ρ	g / cm³	6.84
Coefficient of expansion α	10 ⁻⁶ / K	16
Thermal conductivity λ	W / m · K	33
Electrical conductivity γ	m / $\Omega \cdot mm^2$	4
Electrical conductivity	% I.A.C.S.	8
Specific heat c _p	J/g·K	0.42

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AMPCO[®] 26 is a patented hard grade aluminium bronze. Its exceptional hardness makes it a unique material. However, this extreme hardness means fragility and machinability difficulties. This alloy has very limited uses and machinability, but it gives exceptional results.

APPLICATIONS:

Stainless steel drawing dies, forming rolls under great stresses and extreme pressures are the most typical applications for this alloy.