

COMMERCIAL METALS AND ALLOYS

This table gives typical values of mechanical, thermal, and electrical properties of several common commercial metals and alloys. Values refer to ambient temperature (0 to 25°C). All values should be regarded as typical, since these properties are dependent on the particular type of alloy, heat treatment, and other factors. Values for individual specimens can vary widely.

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Common name	Thermal conductivity W/cm K	Density g/cm ³	Coeff. of linear expansion 10 ⁻⁶ /°C	Electrical resistivity μΩ cm	Modulus of elasticity GPa	Tensile strength MPa	Approx. melting point °C
Ingot iron	0.7	7.86	11.7	9.7	205	–	1540
Plain carbon steel AISI-SAE 1020	0.52	7.86	11.7	18	205	450	1515
Stainless steel type 304	0.15	7.9	17.3	72	195	550	1425
Cast gray iron	0.47	7.2	10.5	67	90	180	1175
Malleable iron		7.3	12	30	170	345	1230
Hastelloy C	0.12	8.94	11.3	125	200	780	1350
Inconel	0.15	8.25	11.5	103	200	800	1370
Aluminum alloy 3003, rolled	1.9	2.73	23.2	3.7	70	110	650
Aluminum alloy 2014, annealed	1.9	2.8	23.0	3.4	70	185	650
Aluminum alloy 360	1.5	2.64	21.0	7.5	70	325	565
Copper, electrolytic (ETP)	3.9	8.94	16.5	1.7	120	300	1080
Yellow brass (high brass)	1.2	8.47	20.3	6.4	100	300-800	930
Aluminum bronze	0.7	7.8	16.4	12	120	400-600	1050
Beryllium copper 25	0.8	8.23	17.8	7	130	500-1400	925
Cupronickel 30%	0.3	8.94	16.2		150	400-600	1200
Red brass, 85%	1.6	8.75	18.7	11	90	300-700	1000
Chemical lead	0.35	11.34	29.3	21	13	17	327
Antimonial lead (hard lead)	0.3	10.9	26.5	23	20	47	290
Solder 50-50	0.5	8.89	23.4	15	–	42	215
Magnesium alloy AZ31B	1.0	1.77	26	9	45	260	620
Monel	0.3	8.84	14.0	58	180	545	1330
Nickel (commercial)	0.9	8.89	13.3	10	200	460	1440
Cupronickel 55-45 (constantan)	0.2	8.9	18.8	49	160	–	1260
Titanium (commercial)	1.8	4.5	8.5	43	110	330-500	1670
Zinc (commercial)	1.1	7.14	32.5	6	–	130	419
Zirconium (commercial)	0.2	6.5	5.85	41	95	450	1855