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Tôles pour formage superplastique -  $a \leq 6$  mm

Luft- und Raumfahrt - Titanlegierung Ti-6Al-4V - Geglüht -  
Bleche für superplastisches Umformen -  $a \leq 6$  mm

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## Foreword

This document (EN 3354:2012) has been prepared by the Aerospace and Defence Industries Association of Europe - Standardization (ASD-STAN).

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## **Introduction**

This European Standard is part of the series of EN metallic material standards for aerospace applications. The general organization of this series is described in EN 4258.

This European Standard has been prepared in accordance with EN 4500-004.

## 1 Scope

This European Standard specifies the requirements relating to:

Titanium alloy Ti-6Al-4V  
Annealed  
Sheet for superplastic forming  
 $a \leq 6$  mm

for aerospace applications.

## 2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 2002-8, *Aerospace series — Metallic materials — Test methods — Part 8: Micrographic determination of grain size* <sup>1)</sup>

EN 2032-2, *Aerospace series — Metallic materials — Part 2: Coding of metallurgical condition in delivery condition*

EN 2338, *Aerospace series — Sheets, hot rolled in titanium and titanium alloys — Thickness 0,8 mm  $\leq a \leq 6$  mm — Dimensions*

EN 3114-004, *Aerospace series — Test method — Microstructure of ( $\alpha + \beta$ ) titanium alloy wrought products — Part 004: Microstructure of sheet for superplastic forming*

EN 4258, *Aerospace series — Metallic materials — General organization of standardization — Links between types of EN standards and their use*

EN 4500-004, *Aerospace series — Metallic materials — Rules for drafting and presentation of material standards — Part 004: Specific rules for titanium and titanium alloys*

EN 4800-001, *Aerospace series — Titanium and titanium alloys — Technical specification — Part 001: Plate, sheet and strip*

ISO 4288, *Geometrical Product Specifications (GPS) — Surface texture: Profile method — Rules and procedures for the assessment of surface texture*

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1	Material designation		Titanium alloy Ti-6Al-4V											
2	Chemical composition %	Element	Al	V	O	N	O + 2N	H	Fe	C	Y	Others		Ti
												Each	Total	
		min.	5,50	3,50	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
max.	6,75	4,50	0,20	0,03	0,25	0,008 0	0,30	0,08	0,005 0	0,10	0,40			
3	Method of melting		See EN 4800-001.											
4.1	Form		Sheet											
4.2	Method of production		Rolled											
4.3	Limit dimension(s)	mm	$a \leq 6$											
5	Technical specification		EN 2338 - EN 4800-001											

6.1	Delivery condition		Annealed										
	Heat treatment		$690\text{ °C} \leq \theta \leq 840\text{ °C} / t \geq 30\text{ min} / \text{AC}$ or cool in inert atmosphere										
6.2	Delivery condition code		U <sup>a</sup>										
7	Use condition		Delivery condition										
	Heat treatment		–										

Characteristics

8.1	Test sample(s)		See EN 4800-001.												
8.2	Test piece(s)		See EN 4800-001.												
8.3	Heat treatment		Use condition												
9	Dimensions concerned	mm	$a \leq 0,6$				$0,6 < a \leq 1,6$				$1,6 < a \leq 6$				
10	Thickness of cladding on each face	%	–				–				–				
11	Direction of test piece		L and LT				L and LT				L and LT				
12	Temperature	$\theta$	°C		Ambient				Ambient				Ambient		
13	Proof stress	$R_{p0,2}$	MPa		$\geq 870$				$\geq 870$				$\geq 870$		
14	T Strength	$R_m$	MPa		$925 \leq R_m \leq 1\ 180$				$925 \leq R_m \leq 1\ 180$				$925 \leq R_m \leq 1\ 180$		
15	Elongation	A	%		$A_{50\text{ mm}} \geq 6$				$A_{50\text{ mm}} \geq 8$				$A_{50\text{ mm}} \geq 10$		
16	Reduction of area	Z	%		–				–				–		
17	Hardness		–												
18	Shear strength	$R_c$	MPa		–										
19	Bending	k	–		L: 4,5 ; $\alpha = 105\text{ °}$ LT: 2,25 ; $\alpha = 105\text{ °}$				L: 5 ; $\alpha = 105\text{ °}$ LT: 2,25 ; $\alpha = 105\text{ °}$						
20	Impact strength		–												
21	Temperature	$\theta$	°C		–										
22	Time		h		–										
23	Stress	$\sigma_a$	MPa		–										
24	Elongation	a	%		–										
25	Rupture stress	$\sigma_R$	MPa		–										
26	Elongation at rupture	A	%		–										
27	Notes (see line 98)		a												



30	Microstructure	–	See EN 4800-001.		
		1	EN 3114-004		
		3	L-ST and LT-ST section		
		5	$\theta = 930 \text{ }^\circ\text{C} \pm 10 \text{ }^\circ\text{C} / t = 30 \text{ min} / \text{WQ}$		
		6	The microstructure shall show a two phase microstructure with primary $\alpha \geq 40 \%$		
		7	Acceptable microstructure	Unacceptable microstructure	
			4L1B to 4L7B	4L8B to 4L12B	
		No grain boundary $\alpha$ , blocky $\alpha$ , $\alpha$ stringers or $\beta$ fleck.			
34	Grain size	–	See EN 4800-001.		
		1	EN 2002-8		
		3	L-ST and LT-ST section		
		5	$\theta = 930 \text{ }^\circ\text{C} \pm 10 \text{ }^\circ\text{C} / t = 30 \text{ min} / \text{AC}$		
		7	$G \geq 10$		
44	External defects	–	See EN 4800-001.		
61	Internal defects	–	See EN 4800-001.		
63	Superplastic forming capability	–	To be agreed between manufacturer and purchaser		
64	Surface condition roughness	–	See EN 4800-001.		
		1	ISO 4288		
		2	Each sheet, "capability clause" applies		
		7	$R_a \leq 0,6 \text{ } \mu\text{m}$		
74	Surface contamination	–	See EN 4800-001.		
95	Marking inspection	–	See EN 4800-001.		
96	Dimensional inspection	–	See EN 4800-001.		
98	Notes	–	<sup>a</sup> According to EN 2032-2.		
99	Typical use	–	–		

100	-	Product qualification	-	See EN 4800-001.
				Qualification programme to be agreed between manufacturer and purchaser.



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