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## **CuFe1P**

**UNS:C19200, C19210**

**EN:-**

### **Manufactures list:**

Aurubis (<http://www.aurubis.com/en/>) - CuFe1P

Wieland-Werke AG (<http://www.wieland.de/>) - K80

CuFe1P has a nominal copper content of 99.9%, CuFe1P has small amount of iron and phosphorus in chemical compositions, and is hardened by Fe<sub>2</sub>P precipitates in copper matrix. It is heat-treat hardenable copper alloys. High performance copper alloy with relatively high strength and electrical conductivity Its electrical conductivity is 80% IACS 20°C and it has good heat resistant characteristics. It has good hot forgeability and good capacity for being cold work. Its workability characteristics are good and it can be fabricated by a wide range of processes. It can be machined successfully and joined by a number of methods. This alloy has good resistance to softening and to stress corrosion cracking. In many environments its corrosion resistance is similar to that of copper. CuFe1P has higher strengths than many alloys found on the market today. CuFe1P retains much of the formability and conductivity that is often lost on the other copper alloys. This enables purchase a material that is superior in strength; allowing higher contact forces.

## Basic properties

| Basic properties   | Value     | Comments |
|--|-----------|----------|
| Density [g/cm <sup>3</sup> ]   | 8,86-8,92 |          |
| Specific heat capacity [J/(kg*K)]  | 385       |          |
| Temperature coefficient of electrical resistance (0...100°C) [10 <sup>-3</sup> /K] | 3,2       |          |
| Electrical conductivity [T=20°C, (% IACS)]   | 91        |          |
| Thermal conductivity [W/(m*K)]   | 350       |          |
| Thermal expansion coefficient 20...300°C [10 <sup>-6</sup> /K]                     | 17        | 20-100°C |
| [Ref: 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257]             |           |          |

*Electrical conductivity requirements according to standard ASTM B465*

| Temper | Electrical conductivity MS/m | Electrical conductivity % IACS | Source     |
|--------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------|
| O50    | min. 35                      | min. 60                        | [Ref: 260] |
| O60    | min. 35                      | min. 60                        |            |
| O61    | min. 35                      | min. 60                        |            |
| O62    | min. 35                      | min. 60                        |            |
| H01    | min. 35                      | min. 60                        |            |
| H02    | min. 35                      | min. 60                        |            |
| H03    | min. 35                      | min. 60                        |            |
| H04    | min. 35                      | min. 60                        |            |
| H06    | min. 35                      | min. 60                        |            |
| H08    | min. 35                      | min. 60                        |            |
| H10    | min. 35                      | min. 60                        |            |
| H14    | min. 35                      | min. 60                        |            |

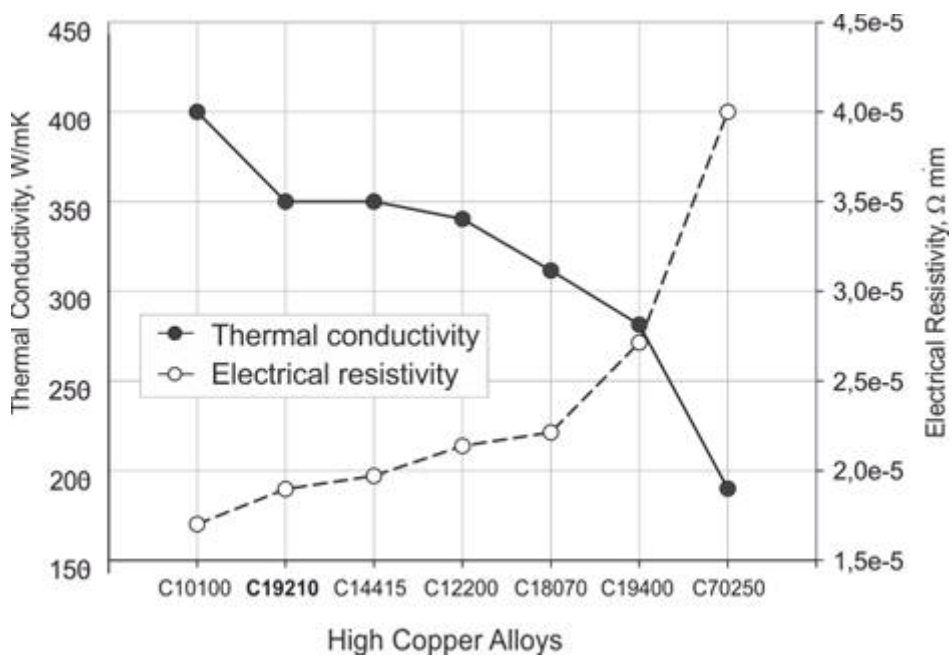
*Electrical requirements of CuFe1P of lead frames*

| Name of alloy    | Electrical conductivity MS/m | Electrical conductivity % IACS | Literature |
|------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------|
| Lead frame alloy | Min38                        | Min 60                         | [Ref: 252] |

*Electrical properties for different tempers of CuFe1P*

| Temper | Electrical conductivity MS/m | Electrical conductivity % IACS | Literature |
|--------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------|
|--------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------|

|      |      |    |            |
|------|------|----|------------|
| R290 | 46.4 | 80 | [Ref: 245] |
| R320 | 46.4 | 80 |            |
| R355 | 46.4 | 80 |            |
| R370 | 46.4 | 80 |            |
| R410 | 46.4 | 80 |            |
| R440 | 46.4 | 80 |            |
| R455 | 46.4 | 80 |            |



Thermal conductivity and electrical conductivity for CuFe1P (C19210) and different copper alloys [Ref: 261]

# Applications

## Main applications

Typical uses for CuFe1P comprise air conditioning and heat exchanger tubing. applications requiring resistance to softening and stress corrosion. automotive hydraulic brake lines. cable wrap. circuit breaker components. contact springs. electrical connectors and terminals. eyelets. flexible hose. fuse clips. gaskets. gift hollow ware and lead frames for QFP, QFN package and LED. Literature: [Ref: 245, 246, 247, 252, 254, 265, 266]

## Kinds of semi-finished products/final products

The common fabrication processes for copper alloy 19200 include blanking. coining. drawing. etching. forming and bending. heading. upsetting. hot forging and pressing. shearing. spinning. squeezing and stamping.

| Product         | Specification  |
|-----------------|----------------|
| Bar. Rolled     | ASTM B465      |
| Plate           | ASTM B465      |
| Sheet           | ASTM B465      |
| Strip           | ASTM B465      |
| Tube            | SAE J463. J461 |
| Tube. Condenser | ASME SB111     |
|                 | ASTM B111      |
| Tube. Finned    | ASME SB359     |
|                 | ASTM B359      |
| Tube. Seamless  | ASTM B469      |
| Tube. U-Bend    | ASME SB395     |
|                 | ASTM B395      |

## Chemical composition

| Chemical composition | Value       | Comments   |
|----------------------|-------------|------------|
| Cu [wt.%]            | 98,76-99,19 | Calculated |
| Fe [wt.%]            | 0,8-1,2     |            |
| P [wt.%]             | 0,01-0,04   |            |
| [Ref: 254, 265]      |             |            |

*Chemical composition of C19210* [Ref: 245, 254, 266]

| Chemical composition, weight percentage, |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |             |    |    |       |      |
|--|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----------|-------------|----|----|-------|------|
| Ag                                       | Mg | Sn | Ni | Si | Cr | Zr | Fe        | P           | Pb | Zn | other | Cu   |
| -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | 0.05-0.15 | 0.025 -0.04 | -  | -  | -     | 99.9 |

## Mechanical properties

| Mechanical properties     | Value   | Comments | Literature |
|---------------------------|---------|----------|------------|
| UTS [MPa]                 | 275-570 |          |            |
| YS [MPa]                  | 110-480 |          |            |
| Elongation [%]            | 2-30    |          |            |
| Hardness                  | 80-170  | [HV]     |            |
| Young's modulus [GPa]     | 130     |          |            |
| Kirchhoff's modulus [GPa] | 44      |          |            |
| Poisson ratio             | 0,34    |          |            |

*Mechanical properties of CuFe1P according copper.org*

| Kind of semiproduct | Temper | Tensile strength MPa | Yield strength MPa | Elongation 50. % | Rockwell Hrdenss. HRC |
|---------------------|--------|----------------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| Flat Products       | O60    | 310                  | 138                | 25               | 38                    |
| Flat Products       | H02    | 448                  | 310                | 18               | 55                    |
| Flat Products       | H06    | 483                  | 455                | 3                | 75                    |
| Flat Products       | H04    | 448                  | 414                | 7                | 72                    |
| Flat Products       | H08    | 510                  | 490                | 2                | 76                    |
| Flat Products       | H10    | 531                  | 510                | 2                | 77                    |
| Flat Products       | H01    | 345                  | 255                | 25               | 45                    |
| Tube                | O60    | 255                  | 76                 | 40               | -                     |
| Tube                | O50    | 290                  | 152                | 30               | -                     |

*Mechanical requirements according ASTM standards (different tempers)*

| Temper | Tensile strength. MPa | Yield strength 0.2% MPa | Elongation 50 % | Literature |
|--------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------|
| O61    | 190-290               | 110                     | 30              | [Ref: 250] |
| H01    | 300-365               | 135                     | 20              |            |
| H02    | 325-410               | 310                     | 5               |            |
| H03    | 355-425               | 345                     | 4               |            |
| H04    | 385-455               | 355                     | 3               |            |
| H06    | 410-480               | 400                     | 2               |            |

*Mechanical properties of flat products. 1 mm thick*

| Temper | Tensile strength MPa | Yield strength. 0.2% MPa | Elongation 50 mm. % | Literature |
|--------|----------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|------------|
|--------|----------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|------------|

|     |     |         |        |                     |
|-----|-----|---------|--------|---------------------|
| O60 | 310 | Min.140 | Min.25 | [Ref: 254, 258<br>] |
| O82 | 395 | 305     | 20     |                     |
| HO2 | 395 | 305     | 9      |                     |
| HO4 | 450 | 415     | 7      |                     |
| HO6 | 485 | 460     | 3      |                     |
| HO8 | 510 | 490     | Min.2  |                     |
| H10 | 530 | 510     | Min. 2 |                     |

*TUBING. 48mm outside diameter x 3 mm wall thickness*

| Temper   | Tensile strength MPa | Yield strength. 0.2% MPa | Elongation 50 mm. % | Hardness HRB | Literature |
|----------|----------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|--------------|------------|
| O50      | 290                  | 150                      | 30                  | 38           | [Ref: 254] |
| O60      | 255                  | 76                       | 40                  | -            |            |
| H80(40%) | 385                  | 360                      | 7                   | -            |            |

*Mechanical properties of CuFe1P according Wieland*

| Temper | Tensile strength MPa | Yield strength MPa | Elongation A10 % | Hardness HV | Literature |
|--------|----------------------|--------------------|------------------|-------------|------------|
| R300   | 300-380              | <=300              | >=10             | 80-110      | [Ref: 247] |
| R360   | 360-440              | >=260              | >=3              | 100-130     |            |
| R420   | 420-500              | >=350              | >=2              | 120-150     |            |

*Mechanical properties of CuFe1P*

| Temper | Tensile strength MPa | Yield strength MPa | Elongation A10 % | Literature |
|--------|----------------------|--------------------|------------------|------------|
| R290   | 290-370              | 135-240            | 20               | [Ref: 245] |
| R320   | 320-425              | 310-410            | 5                |            |
| R355   | 355-425              | 345-425            | 4                |            |
| R370   | 370-460              | 355-460            | 3                |            |
| R410   | 410-480              | 400-480            | 2                |            |
| R440   | Min440               | Min.425            | 1                |            |
| R455   | Min 455              | Min.440            | 1                |            |

*Mechanical properties of CuFe1P according SofiaMed*

| Temper | Tensile strength MPa | Yield strength MPa | Hardness Vickers HV | Elongation A10 % | Literature |
|--------|----------------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------------|------------|
|--------|----------------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------------|------------|



|                |         |      |         |     |            |
|----------------|---------|------|---------|-----|------------|
| 0/R300/HV80    | 300-380 | <300 | 80-110  | >15 | [Ref: 648] |
| H02/R360/HV100 | 360-440 | 280  | 110-130 | >6  |            |
| H04/R390/HV110 | 390-450 | 330  | 110-140 | >3  |            |
| H06/R415/HV130 | 415-480 | 380  | 120-145 | >3  |            |
| H08/R450/HV140 | 450-520 | 430  | 130-160 | <2  |            |

# Exploitation properties

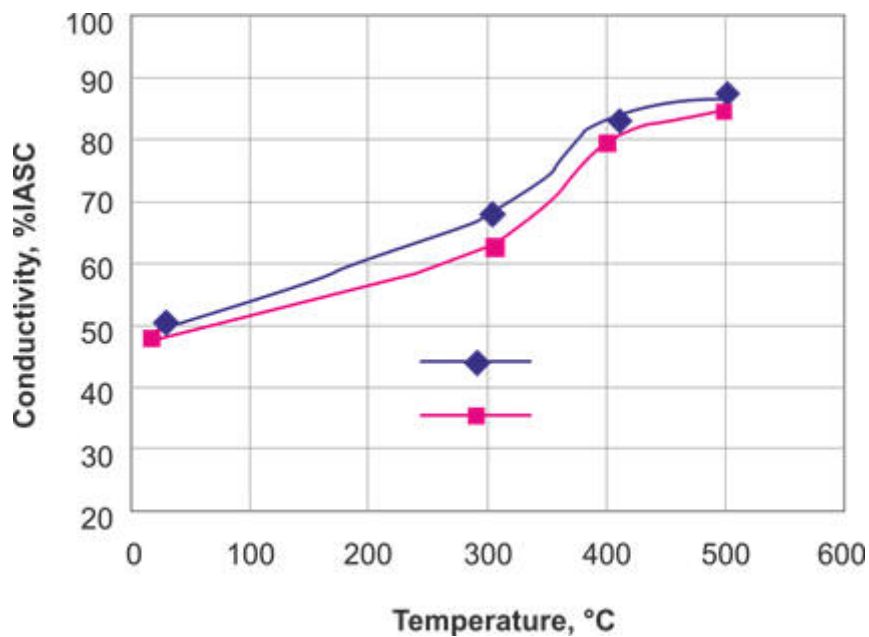
## Heat resistance

### Mechanical and electrical properties vs temperatures

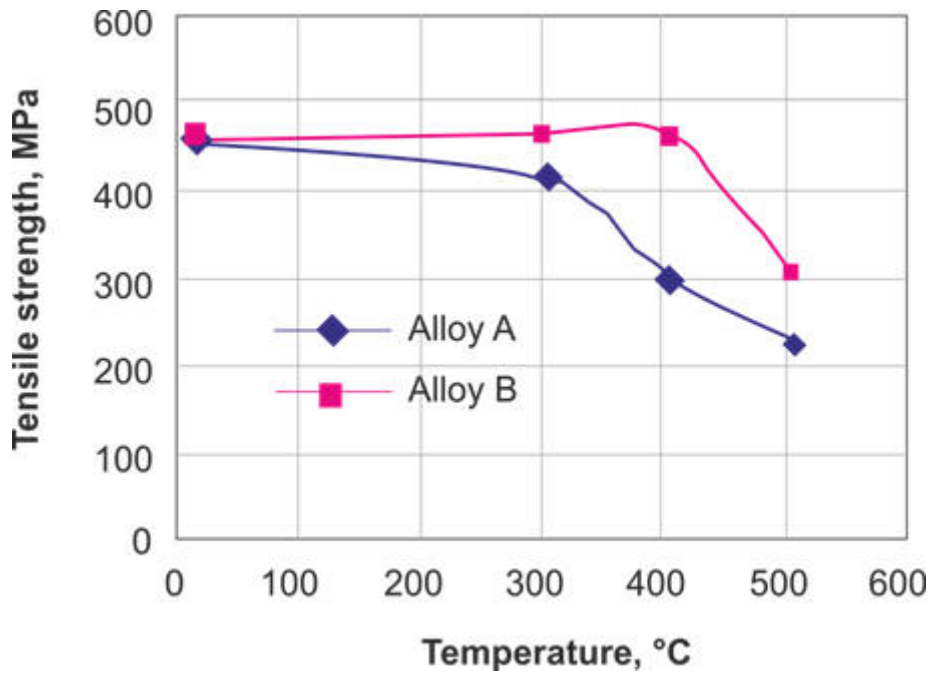
The cast CuFe1P were hot rolled into bars of 22mm diameter and solution treated for 70min at 900 °C in a furnace full of nitrogen atmosphere. followed by water quenching. These solution treated bars were cold rolled by about 50% into rods. Then the rods were machined into tensile samples of 10mm diameter and cut into conductivity test samples 2 mm in diameter and 200mm in length [Ref: 267]

Chemical composition of CuFe alloys A and B [Ref: 267]

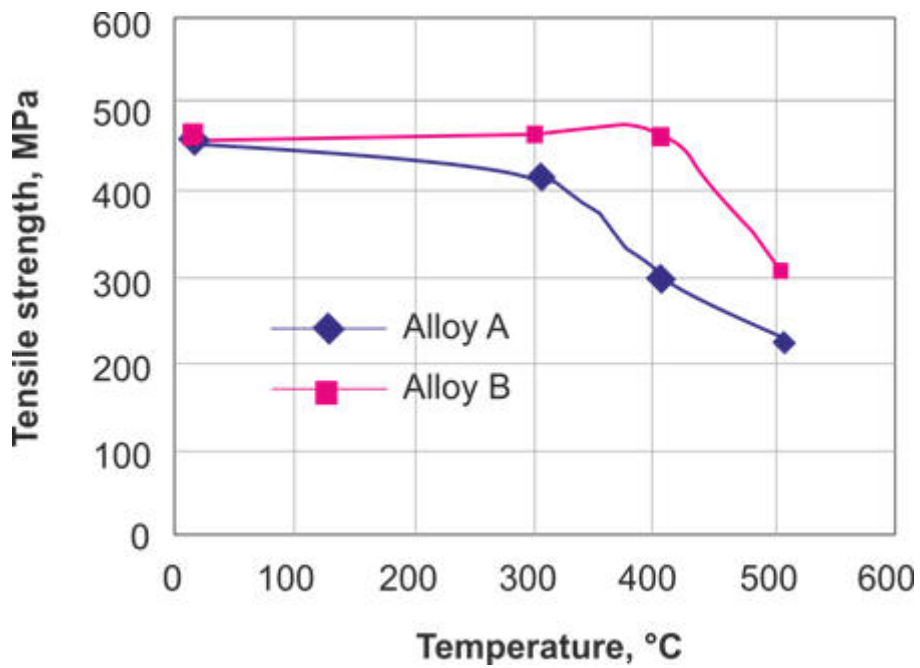
| Alloy   | Chemical composition, wt% |      |      |      |      |
|---------|---------------------------|------|------|------|------|
|         | Fe                        | P    | B    | Ce   | Cu   |
| Alloy A | 0.22                      | 0.06 | -    | -    | Rest |
| Alloy B | 0.22                      | 0.06 | 0.02 | 0.05 | Rest |



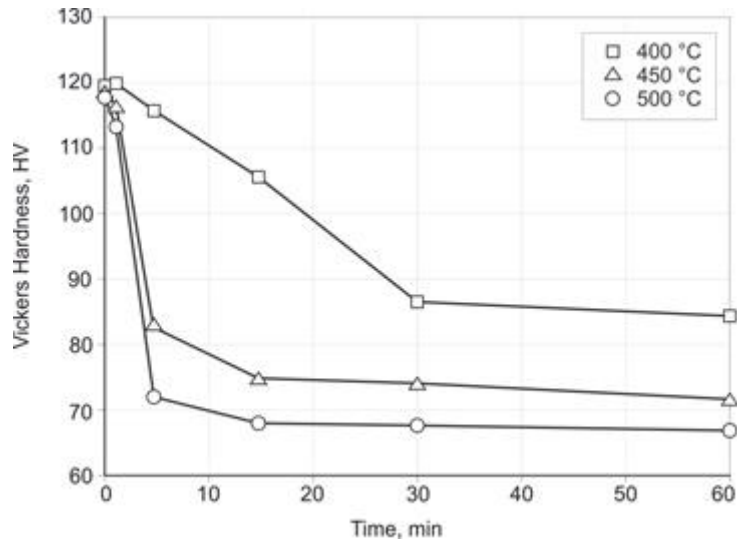
Electrical conductivity vs annealing temperature of CuFe1P [Ref: 267]



Tensile strength vs annealing temperature of CuFe1P [Ref: 267]

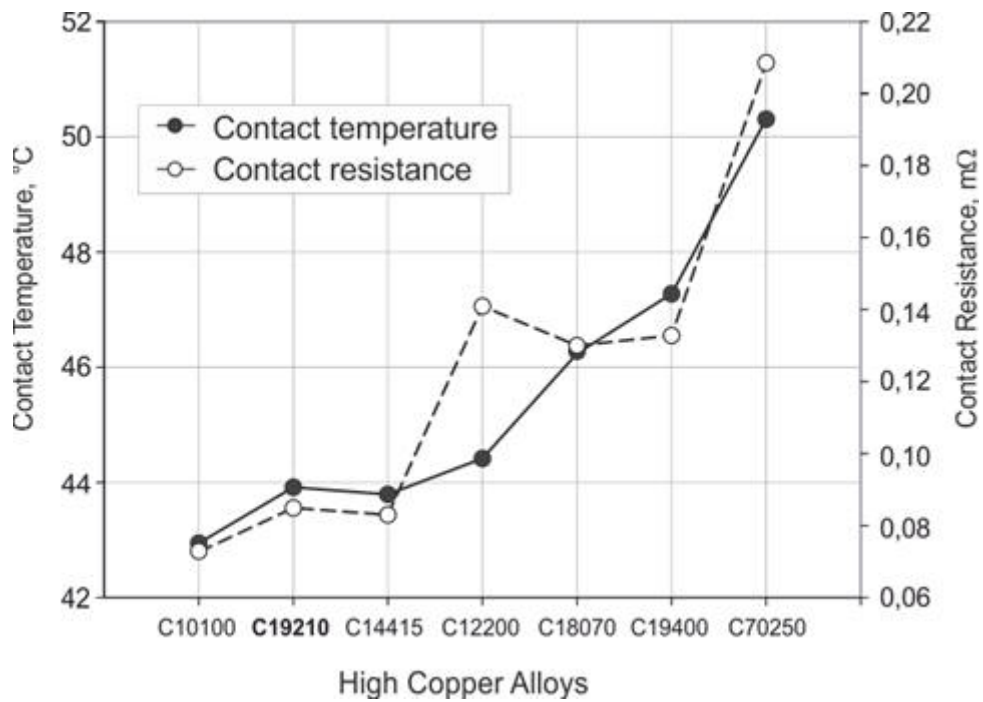


Yield strength vs annealing temperature of CuFe1P [Ref: 267]

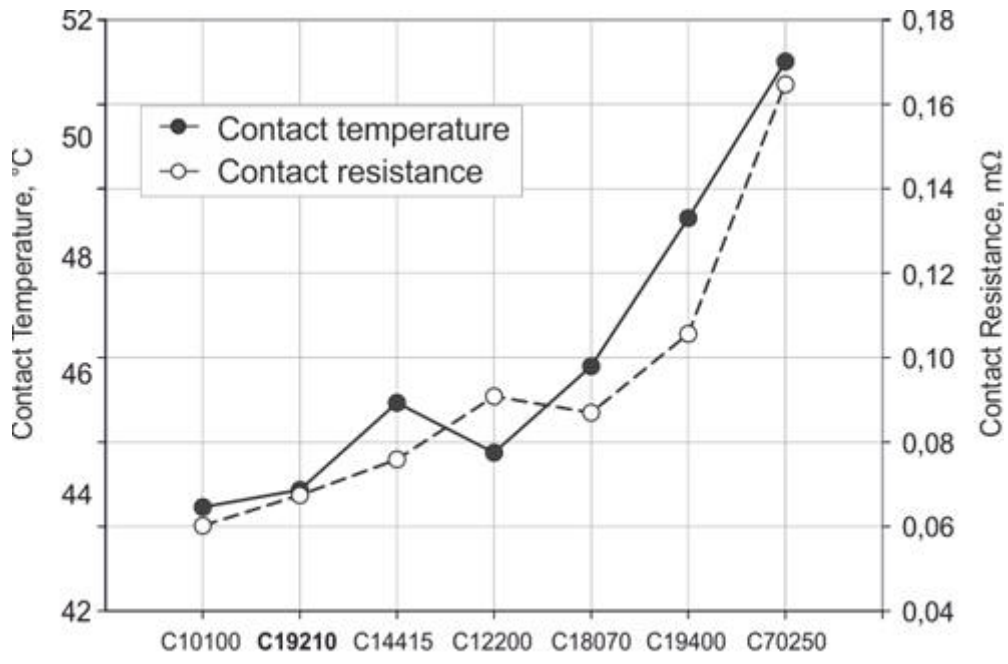


C19210 Vickers hardness vs annealing time in 400,500 and 500°C [Ref: 259]

One of the major difficulties of the use of power automotive connectors is the increase of their electrical contact resistance in the running time.



Contact temperature and contact resistance for all the tested material at 1500 seconds  $F_c=50\text{ N}$ ,  $I=100\text{ A}$  [Ref: 261]

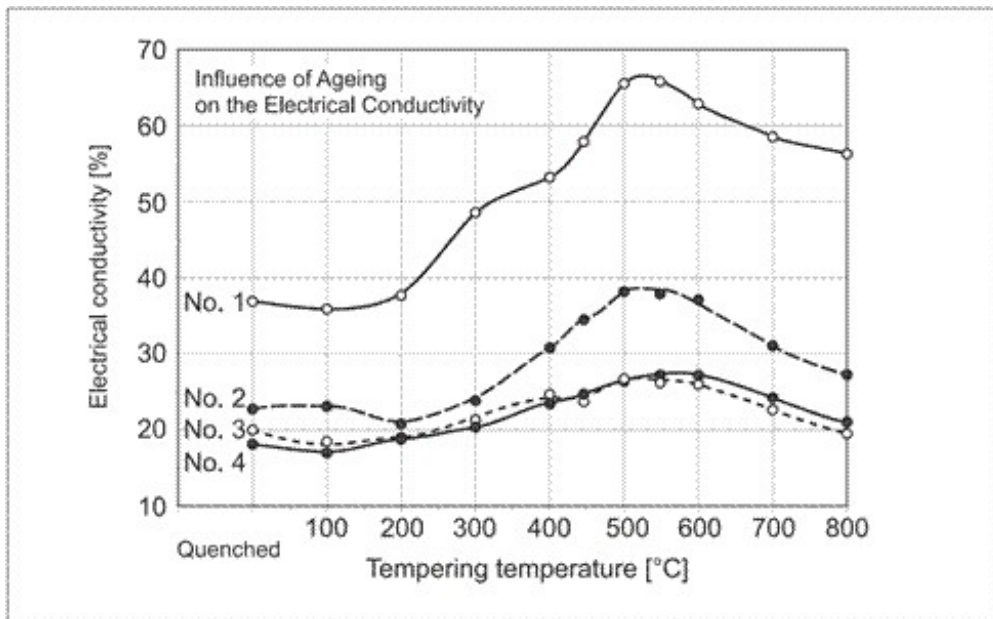


**High Copper Alloys**

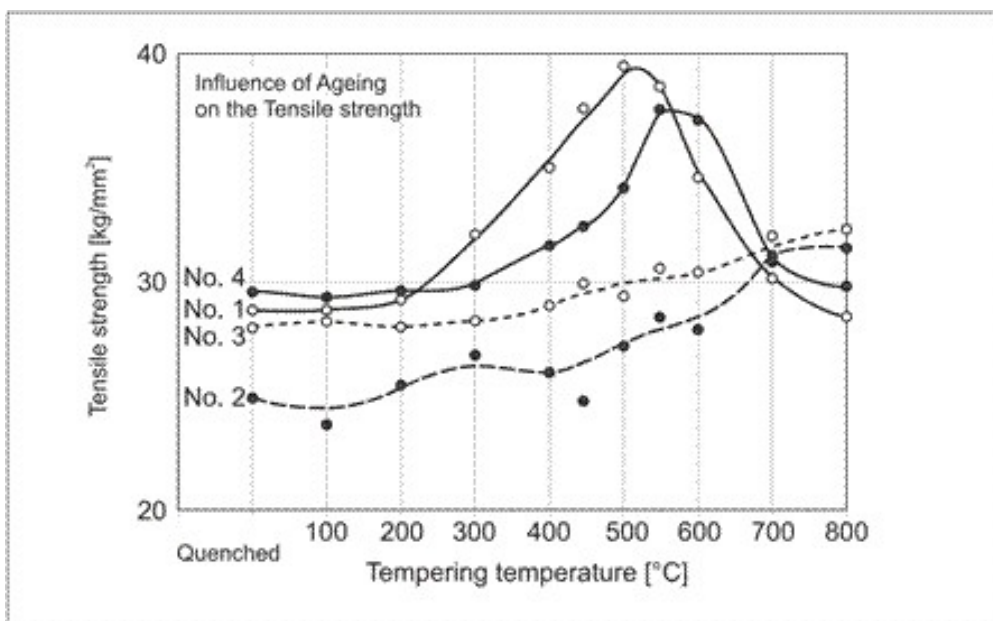
Contact temperature and contact resistance for all the tested material at 1500 seconds  
 $F_c=100\text{ N}$ ,  $I=100$  [Ref: 261]

Table Composition of specimens [Ref: 649]

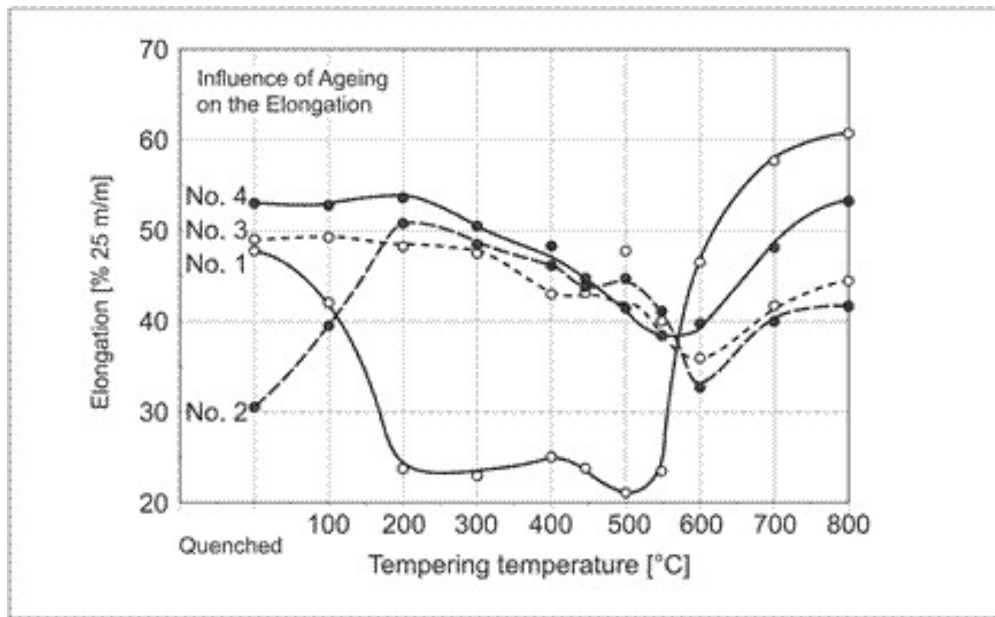
| Specimens No. | Compuund  | Fe    | P    | As  | Sb   | Si   | Cu   |
|---------------|-----------|-------|------|-----|------|------|------|
|               |           | % wt. |      |     |      |      |      |
| 1             | Fe2P -2%  | 1,58  | 0,42 |     |      |      | bal. |
| 2             | Fe2As -2% | 1,2   |      | 0,8 |      |      | bal. |
| 3             | FeSb -2%  | 0,64  |      |     | 1,36 |      | bal. |
| 4             | FeSi -2%  | 1,32  |      |     |      | 0,68 | bal. |



Influence of ageing on the electrical conductivity of specimens no 1,2,3 and 4 [Ref: 649]



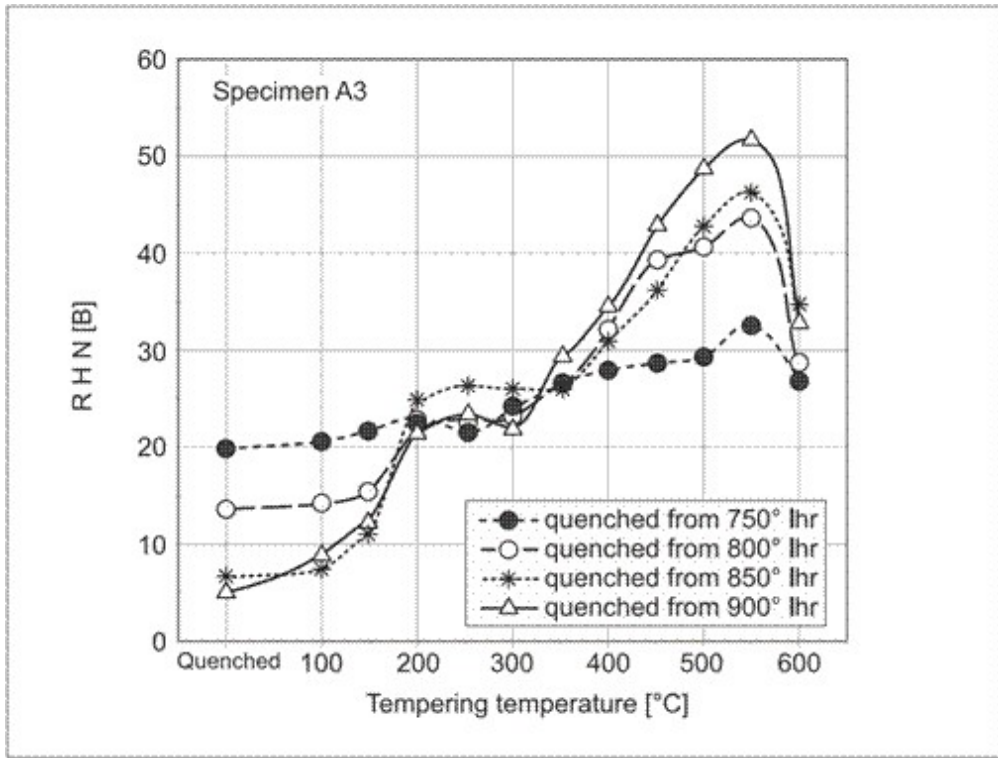
Influence of ageing on the tensile strength of specimens no 1,2,3 and 4 [Ref: 649]



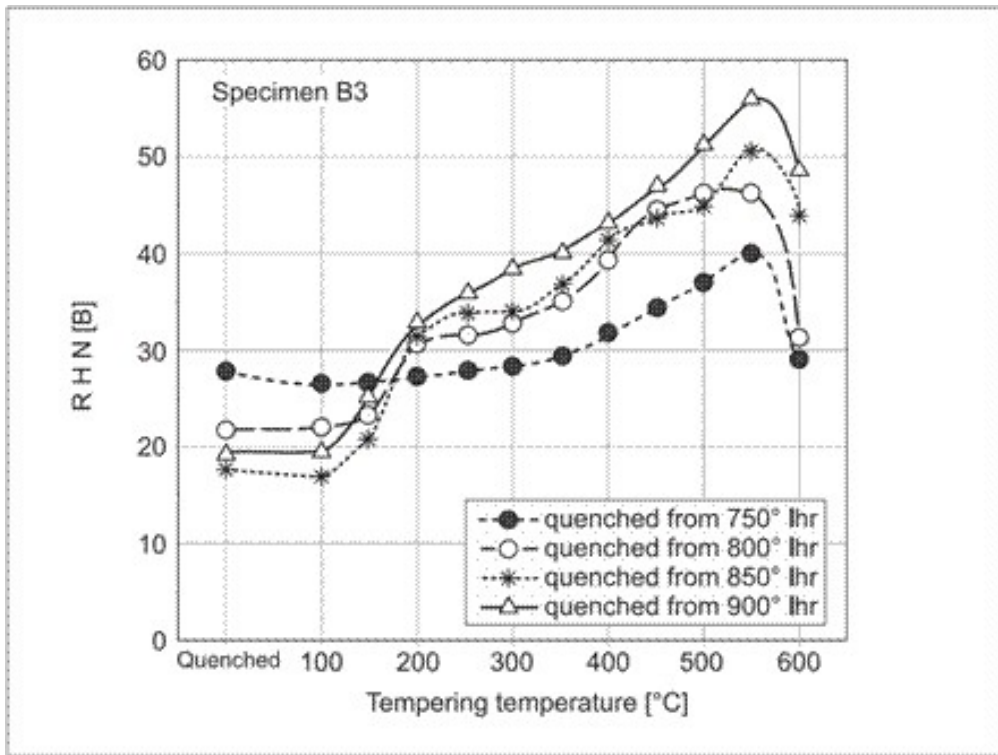
Influence of ageing on the elongation of specimens no 1,2,3 and 4 [Ref: 649]

Composition of CuFe1P specimens [Ref: 649]

| Specimens No | Fe   | P    | Fe+P | Cu   |
|--------------|------|------|------|------|
|              | %wt  |      |      |      |
| A1           | 1.02 | -    | 1.02 | bal. |
| A2           | 0.86 | 0.17 | 1.03 | bal. |
| A3           | 0.78 | 0.21 | 0.99 | bal. |
| A4           | 0.51 | 0.48 | 0.99 | bal. |
| A5           | -    | 0.98 | 6.98 | bal. |
| B1           | 2.03 | -    | 2.03 | bal. |
| B2           | 1.65 | 0.29 | 1.94 | bal. |
| B3           | 1.56 | 0.49 | 2.02 | bal. |
| B4           | 1.01 | 0.98 | 1.99 | bal. |
| B5           | 0.51 | 1.47 | 1.98 | bal. |
| B6           | -    | 1.97 | 1.97 | bal. |

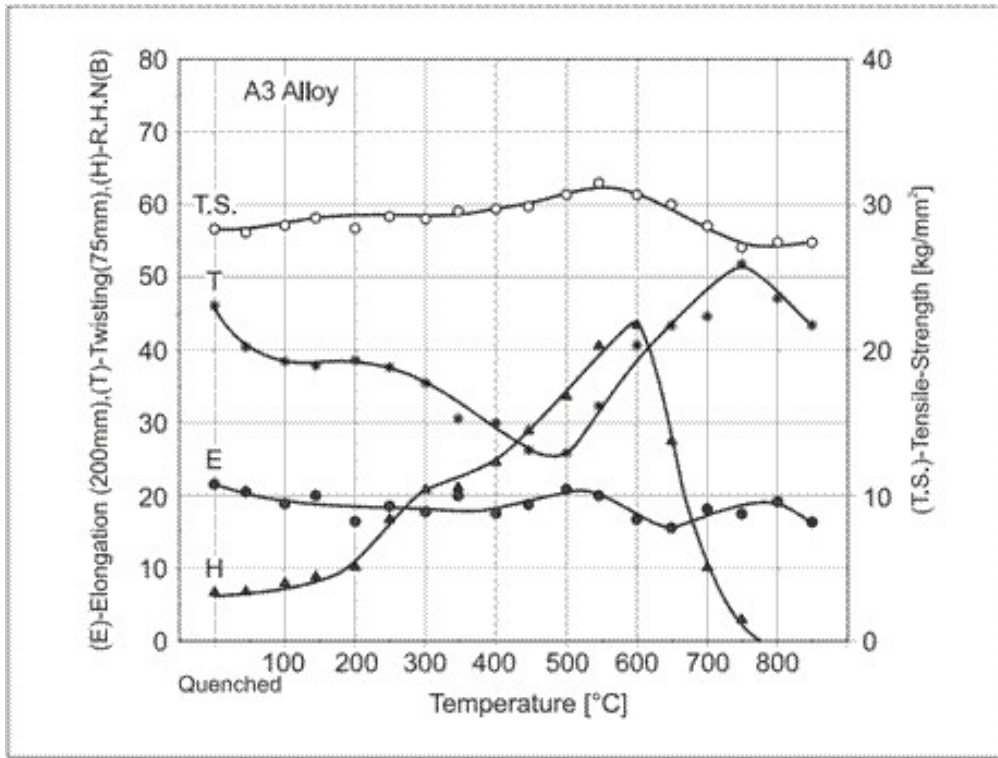


Age-hardening of several Cu-F2P alloys (specimen no A3) [Ref: 649]

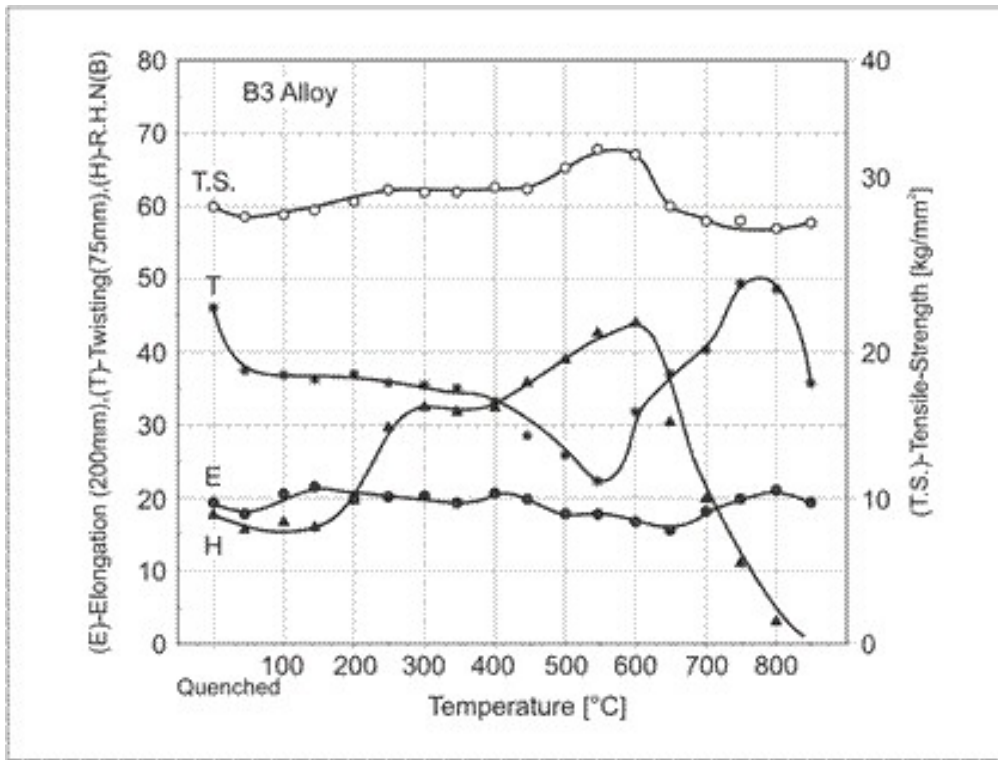


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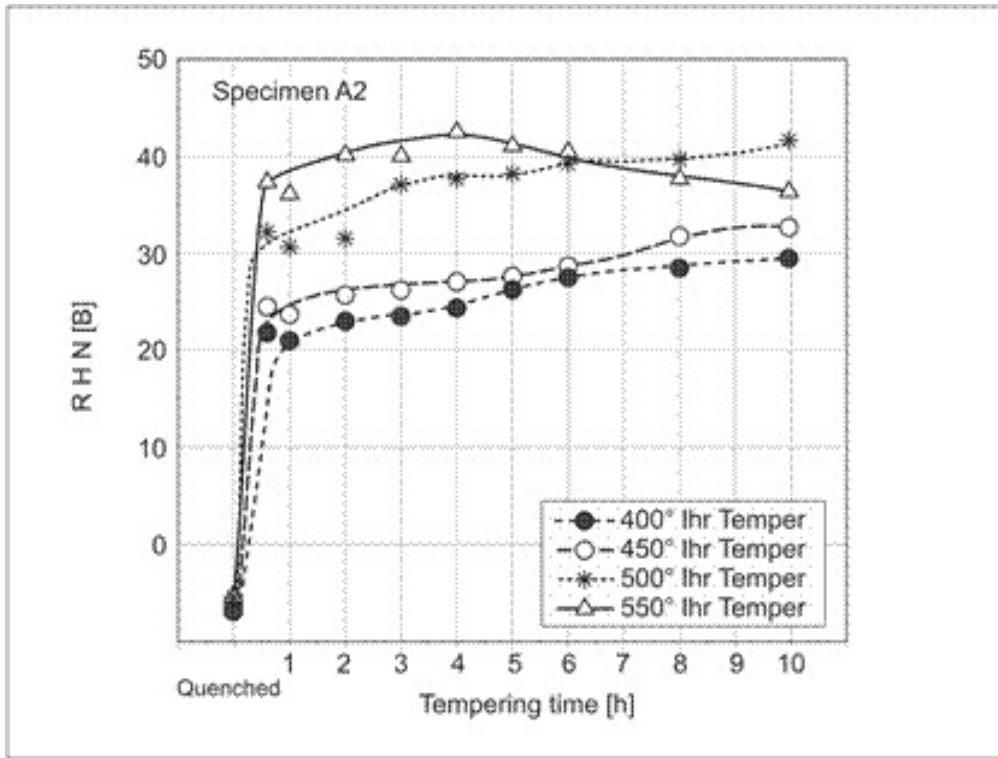




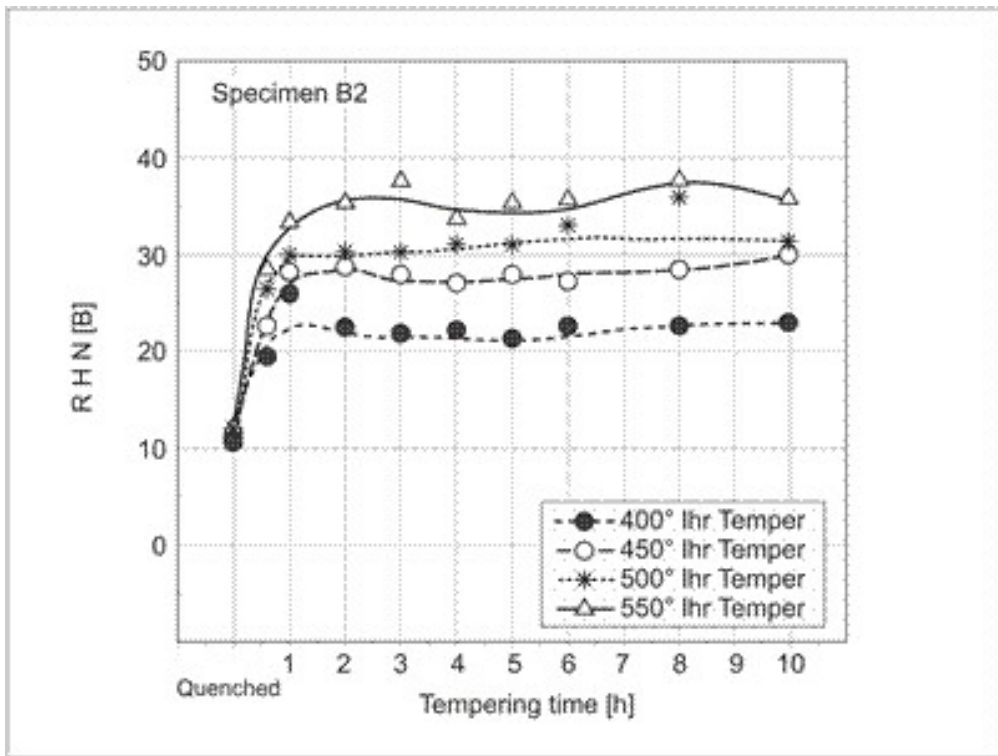
Change of mechanical properties of A3 alloy [Ref: 649]



Change of mechanical properties of B3 alloy [Ref: 649]



Influence of tempering time on the age -hardening of several Cu-Fe3P alloyd quenched from 900°C (Specimen no A2) [Ref: 649]



Influence of tempering time on the age -hardening of several Cu-Fe3P alloyd quenched from 900°C (Specimen no B2) [Ref: 649]

**Long-term heat resistance, e.g. Arrhenius curve**

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**Half- softening temperature**

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**Corrosion resistance****Hydrogen embrittlement resistance**

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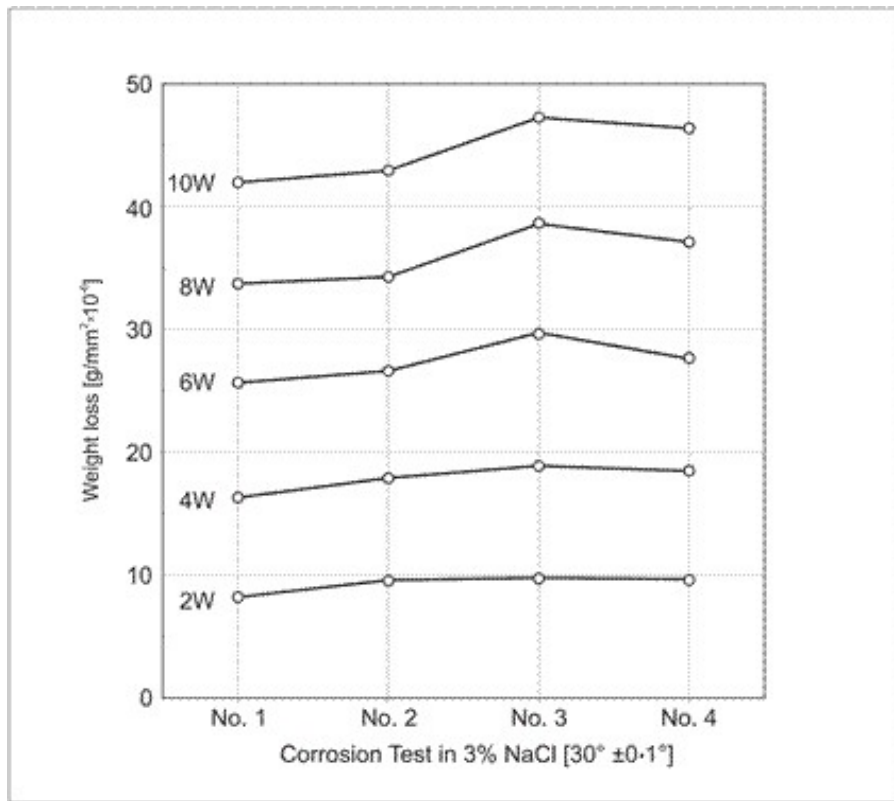
**Other kind of corrosion elements**

The corrosion resistance - closely copper in many environments. Good resistance to stress corrosion cracking. Alloy 19200 should not be used where there is prolonged contact with mercury compounds. oxidizing acids. cyanides. mois ammonia and strong bases.

*Numbers and compositions of CuFe1P alloys [Ref: 649]*

| Specimens No | Compound | Fe   | P    | As  | Sb   | Cu   |
|--------------|----------|------|------|-----|------|------|
| No 1         | Fe2P -2% | 1.58 | 0,42 | -   | -    | -    |
| No 2         | Fe2As-2% | 1.22 | -    | 0,8 | -    | -    |
| No 3         | FeSb-2%  | 0.64 | -    | -   | 1,36 | -    |
| No 4         | FeSi -2% | 1.32 | -    | -   | -    | 0,68 |

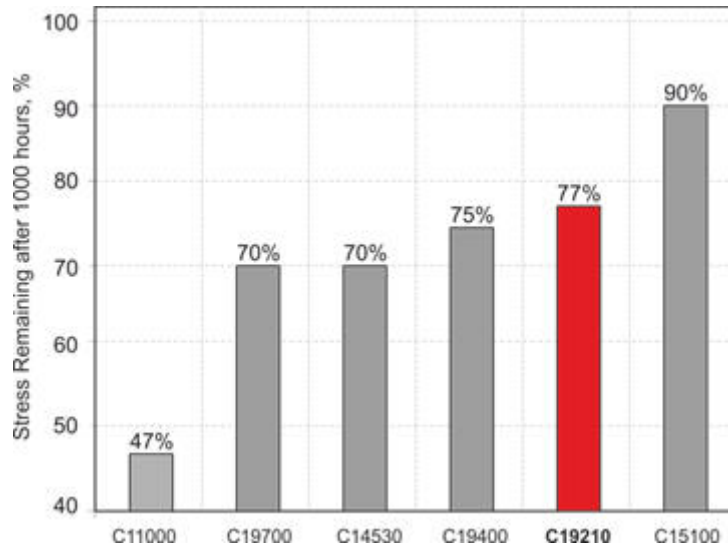
*Results of corrsion test of CuFe2P alloys (test in 3% NaCl - 30°C) [Ref: 649]*



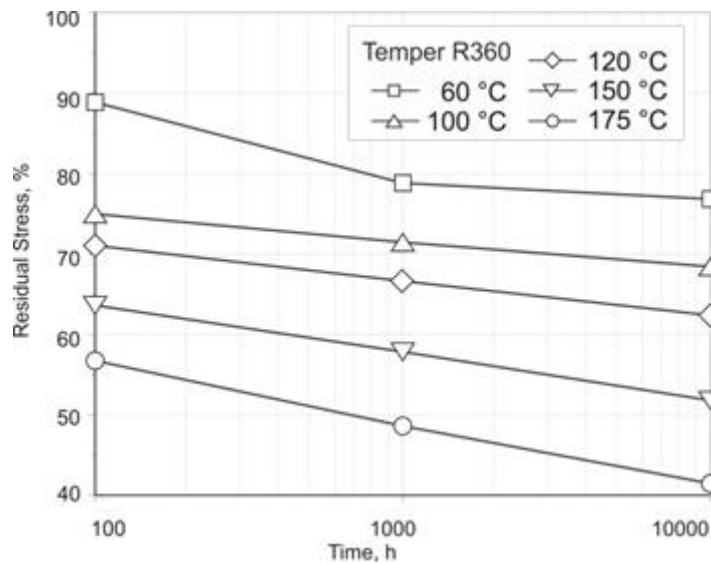
| Type of corrosion      | Suitability             | Literature |
|------------------------|-------------------------|------------|
| Atmospheric            | Good                    | [Ref: 254] |
| Marine environment     | Good                    |            |
| Stress crack           | Excellent (insensitive) |            |
| Hydrogen embrittlement | Not resistant           |            |
| Electrolytic           | Fair                    |            |

## Rheological resistance

### Stress relaxation



Stress relaxation resistance at 105°C of different copper alloys for lead frames [Ref: 253]



Stress relaxation characteristics CuFe1P (temper R360) [Ref: 247]

**Creep**

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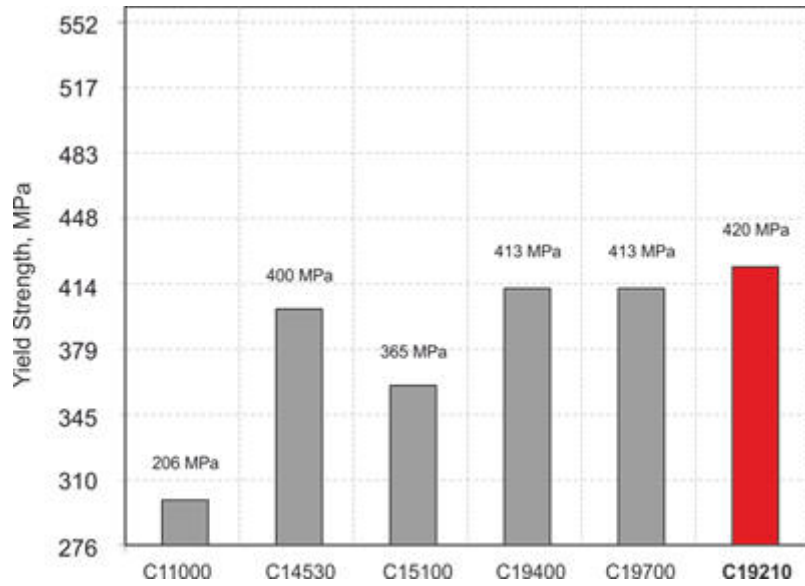
**Wear resistance**

**Friction resistance**

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**Fatigue resistance**

**Fatigue cracking**



Typical Yield strength available at 90 degree goodway bend (samples 15.5 mm) in width [Ref: 253]

Bend properties (sample 15.5 mm in width) [Ref: 253]

|                     | H01 | H02 | H03 | H04 | H06 | H08 |
|---------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Goodway - (min R/T) | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 1.0 | 1.5 |
| Badway - (min R/T)  | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.0 | 1.5 | 2.0 |

### Impact strength

NO DATA AVAILABLE

## Fabrication properties

| Fabrication properties   | Value           | Comments                           |
|--|-----------------|------------------------------------|
| Soldering  | Excellent       |                                    |
| Brazing  | Excellent       |                                    |
| Hot dip tinning  | Excellent       |                                    |
| Electrolytic tinning   | Excellent       |                                    |
| Electrolytic silvering   | fair            |                                    |
| Laser welding  | good            |                                    |
| Oxyacetylene Welding   | good            |                                    |
| Gas Shielded Arc Welding   | Not recommended |                                    |
| Coated Metal Arc Welding   | Not recommended |                                    |
| Resistance welding   | fair            |                                    |
| Spot Weld  | Not recommended |                                    |
| Seam Weld  | Not recommended |                                    |
| Butt Weld  | good            |                                    |
| Capacity for Being Cold Worked   | Excellent       |                                    |
| Capacity for Being Hot Formed  | Excellent       |                                    |
| Forgeability Rating  | 65              | 65% C37700 (forging brass)         |
| Machinability Rating   | 20              | 20% OF C36000 (free-cutting brass) |
| [Ref: 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 265, 266] |                 |                                    |

The common fabrication processes for CuFe1P include blanking. coining. drawing. etching. forming and bending. heading and upsetting. hot forging and pressing. piercing and punching. roll threading and knurling. shearing. spinning. squeezing and swaging. and stamping.

## Technological properties

| Technological properties           | Value              | Comments         |
|------------------------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| Melting temperature [°C]           | 1080-1090          |                  |
| Annealling temperature [°C]        | 450-550<br>700-800 | C19210<br>C19200 |
| Ageing temperature [°C]            | 500-700            |                  |
| Stress relievieng temperature [°C] | 300-400            |                  |
| Hot working temperature [°C]       | 825-950            |                  |
| [Ref: 254, 255, 266, 268]          |                    |                  |



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