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# NICKEL 200, UNS N02200

## Strip, Coil, Foil, Wire, ASTM B162

### Applications

Lead wires, battery components, transducers, sparking electrodes, and heat exchangers

### Description

Alloy 200 is a wrought commercially pure Nickel with a maximum carbon level of 0.15%. This alloy provides highly ductile mechanical properties across a wide temperature range. It provides corrosion resistance in neutral to moderately reducing environments. Nickel 200 is ferromagnetic. It provides high thermal and electrical conductivity in comparison to nickel-base alloys, stainless and low alloy steels. Nickel 200 is not recommended for service above 600 °F (316 °C) because long-time exposures in the 800 °F to 1200 °F range result in precipitation of a carbon containing phase and loss of ductility.

### Chemistry Typical

Nickel + Cobalt: 99.00 min

Carbon: 0.15 max

Manganese: 0.35 max

Silicon: 0.35 max

Sulfur: 0.010 max

Iron: 0.40 max

Copper: 0.25 max

### Physical Properties

Density: 0.321 lbs/in<sup>3</sup>, 8.89 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Specific Heat: BTU/lb/°F (J/kg•K):  
32 - 212 °F (0 - 100 °C): 0.12 (456)

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Thermal Conductivity, BTU/hr/ft<sup>2</sup>/ft/°F (W/m•K)

At 212 °F (100 °C): 38.8 (67.1)

At 400 °F (204 °C): 35.4 (61.3)

At 600 °F (316 °C): 36.5 (56.3)

Mean Coefficient of Thermal Expansion: in/in/°F (µm/m•K)

80 - 200 °F (27 - 93 °C):  $7.4 \times 10^{-6}$  (13.3)

80 - 400 °F (27 - 204 °C):  $7.7 \times 10^{-6}$  (13.9)

80 - 600 °F (27 - 316 °C):  $8.0 \times 10^{-6}$  (14.4)

Modulus of Elasticity, ksi (MPa)

$30.0 \times 10^3$  ( $207 \times 10^3$ )

Melting Range: 2615 - 2535 °F (1435 - 1445 °C)

## Forms

Coil – Strip, Foil, Ribbon

Wire – Profile, Round, Flat, Square

## Mechanical Properties at Room Temperature

### Properties: Annealed

Ultimate Tensile Strength: 55 KSI min (380 MPa min)

Yield Strength (0.2% offset): 15 KSI min (100 MPa min)

Elongation:

35% min: gauges  $\leq 0.0035$  inches

40% min: gauges  $> 0.0035$  inches

Hardness:

HV 117 max: gauges  $\leq 0.010$  inches

Rb 66 max: gauges  $> 0.010$  inches

### Properties: Tempered

Nickel 200 can be cold rolled to various tempers. Contact Ulbrich Technical Service for additional information.

## Additional Properties

### Corrosion Resistance

Refer to NACE (National Associate of Corrosion Engineers) for recommendations.

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## Finishes

#1 – Hot rolled annealed and descaled. It is available in strip, foil and ribbon. It is used for applications where a smooth decorative finish is not required.

#2D – Dull finish produced by cold rolling, annealing and descaling. Used for deep drawn parts and those parts that need to retain lubricants in the forming process.

#2B – Smooth finish produced by cold rolling, annealing and descaling. A light cold rolling pass is added after anneal with polished rolls giving it a brighter finish than 2D.

#BA – Bright annealed cold rolled and bright annealed

#CBA – Course bright annealed cold rolled matte finish and bright anneal

#2 – Cold Rolled

#2BA – Smooth finish produced by cold rolling and bright annealing. A light pass using highly polished rolls produces a glossy finish. A 2BA finish may be used for lightly formed applications where a glossy finish is desired in the formed part.

Polished – Various grit finish for specific polish finished requirements.

*\* Not All Finishes are Available for All Alloys – Consult Sales for Applicable Finishes.*

## Wire Finishes

XC – Extra Clean Bright Annealed or Bright Annealed and Cold Rolled

Grease – Ultra bright finish (for decorative applications)

Soap – Soap coating on tempered wire to act as lubricant

*\* Contact Ulbrich Wire with special wire finishes.*

## Heat Treatment

Nickel 200 is non hardenable by heat treatment.

## Welding

For best results refer to: SSINA's "Welding of Stainless Steels and Other Joining Methods".

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