# Hastelloy C-22 Alloy

Hastelloy C-22 is a flexible alloy comprising of nickel, chromium, molybdenum and tungsten as the prime elements. It offers the higher resistance than the Nickel-Chromium-Molybdenum alloy. The **Hastelloy C-22 alloy** offers exceptionally high resistance to pitting, crevice corrosion and stress corrosion cracking. It offers superior resistance to oxidizing aqueous conditions as well as hydrates chlorine and nitric acid and other oxidizing acids and chlorine ions.



The material of C-22 wire is analyzed to measure the resistance to corrosion offered by the material. The alloy comes in the category of UNS number N06022 though with the limited composition to provide an enhanced functionality. The improvements are very important that the wire is highly patented in the whole world.

#### Chemical composition of Hastelloy C-22 Alloy

Ni	Со	Cr	Мо	W	Fe	Si	Mn	С	V
56	2.5	22	13	3	3	0.08	0.50	0.010	0.35

#### **Corrosion resistance**

The alloy offers superior resistance to reducing and oxidizing media offered in the process streams. Due to its large flexibility it can be subjected in the severe conditions that normally occur in the multifunctional plants. The alloy offers intense resistance to the various chemical processing conditions such as strong oxidizers like ferric and cupric chloride, hot solutions containing organic and inorganic acids, formic and acetic acids, acetic anhydride.

The high resistance C-22 alloy also resists the production of grain precipitates in the welded areas so it is best fit for using in the chemical processing in the welded applications.

#### Physical properties of Hastelloy C-22 Alloy

Density	75oF	0.314 lb/in.3	24oC	8.69 g/cm.3
Melting Range	2475-2550oF		1357-1399	
Thermal Conductivity	118oF	70 Btu-in./ft.2 hr°F	48oC	10.1 W/m-K
Specific Heat	1260F	0.099 Btu/lb°F	52oC	414 J/Kg-K

## Electrical and thermal properties of Hastelloy C-22 Alloy

Temp., oF	Temp.,	Electrical Resistivity	Mean Coeffi of thermal
	оС	microhm-in.	expansion, microinches/in°F
75	24	44.8	6.9
212	100	48.3	6.9

392	200	48.7	7.0
572	300	49.3	7.4
752	400	49.6	7.7
932	500	49.9	8.1
1112	600	50.2	8.5

### **Dynamic Modulus of Elasticity**

Form	Condition	Temperature		Modulus of e	elasticity
	Heat-treated	oF	oC	10-6 psi	GPa
Plate	at 2050°F or	200	93	29.4	
(1121°C) quick Quenched	400	204	29.4	203	
	quick	600	316	28.5	196
	Quenched	800	427	27.6	190
		1000	538	26.6	183
		1200	649	25.7	177

## Corrosion protection in the chemical processing house

Reactor	Alloy	Corrosion rate (mpy)	Output
Vessel 10-	316L Stainless Steel	>61	Sample Dissolved
15% Sulfuric	Carpenter 20Cb-3 <sup>®</sup> alloy	>57	Sample Dissolved
Acid + Solids	Alloy 825	>58	Sample Dissolved
/Impurities 212°F	HASTELLOY <sup>®</sup> B-2 alloy	>58	Sample Dissolved
(100°C) —	HAYNES <sup>®</sup> 625 alloy	29	Severe Corrosion Attack
12 Months	HASTELLOY C-276 alloy	28	Severe Corrosion Attack
	HASTELLOY C-22 <sup>®</sup> alloy	4.7	Severe Corrosion Attack

## Average tensile properties of Hastelloy C-22 Alloy

Form	Temp, oF	Tensile Strength,	Yield Strength,	Elongation, %
		ksi	ksi	
Sheet, 0.028 - 0.125 in	200	110	54	58
(0.71 - 3.2 mm) thick**	400	102	44	57
Plate, 1/4 - 3/4 in. (6.4 -	200	107	49	65
19.1 mm)	400	98	41	66
Bar, 1/2 - 2 in (12.7 -	200	105	45	73
50.8 mm diameter	400	96	38	74

## Rate of corrosion in Flue Gas Desulfurization (FGD)

Pulverized	Alloy	Pitting (in)	Crevice (in)
Coal Fired	316L Stainless Steel	0.011	0.015
Unit	Alloy 904L	0.010	0.005
4.8% Sulfur	Jessop JS700 <sup>®</sup> alloy	0.010	0.011
Outlet Duct	HAYNES 625 alloy	No Attack	0.005
129°F (54°C)	HASTELLOY C276 alloy	No Attack	0.007
— 27 Months	HASTELLOY C-22 alloy	No Attack	0.002

# Rate of corrosion in Refinery Industry

Coke Refinery	Alloy	Corrosion Rate (mpy)	Output
Vaporizer	316L Stainless Steel	139	Severe Crevice Attack

203°F (95°C) — 2	Carpenter 20Cb-3 <sup>®</sup> alloy	227	Partially Dissolved
Months	Avesta 254 SMO <sup>®</sup> alloy	83	Pitting, Crevice Attack
	Allegheny AL-6XN <sup>®</sup> alloy	60	Pitting, Crevice Attack
	HAYNES 625 alloy	29	Pitting, Crevice Attack
	HASTELLOY C-22 alloy	3.4	Pitting, Crevice Attack

### **Corrosion-Resistant Weld Filler Metal**

The welded alloys often suffer from corrosion. For reliable and economical solutions, Hastelloy C-22 filler metal is used. The following table shows the corrosion rate of different weld metals and base metals:

Medium	Base Metal	Filler Weld	Corrosion Rate
			(mpy)
3M NaCl+0.1M	625	625	100
FeCl3+0.1M NaF	625	Hastelloy C-22	94
167°F (75°C), pH = 1	Hastelloy C-22	Hastelloy C-22	0.17

## **Thermal Stability**

The weldments of alloy C-276 and C-22 are set into oxidizing sulfuric acid process solution.

The Hastelloy C-276 suffers from uncommon attack on the severe base metal, weld metal and heat affected area in this condition. It is found that only  $1/3^{rd}$  of heated alloy's thickness is corroded. The Hastelloy C-276 is rarely corroded in the other conditions.

The C-22 alloy is preferably chosen for its wider testing in the bleach water conditions. It has already provided prolonged performance of several years more than 10 without getting any corrosion. Apart of Hastelloy C-22 other 20 different samples were analyzed though all were failed. The C-22 alloy gives much more enhanced resistance to corrosion as compare to the original metal.

## Fabrication of Hastelloy C – 22 Alloy

The wrought C-22 alloy is prepared in the heat processed solution until it is recommended. The alloy is heat processed at 2050oF temperature or 1121oC and quickly quenched. The components that are hot forged or intensely cold forged must be solution heat processed before fabrication.

#### Applications

The range of applications of **Hastelloy C-22 alloy** is discussed below:

Acetic Acid/Acetic Anhydride Acid Etching, Cellophane Manufacturing, Chlorination Systems, Complex Acid Mixtures, Electro-Galvanizing Rolls, Expansion Bellows, HF Furnace Scrubbers, Nuclear Fuel Reprocessing, Incineration Scrubber Systems and SO2 Cooling Towers and more.

The electrogalvanizing finish rolls made of Hastelloy C-22 alloy are utilized in the steel finish manufacturing. The alloy decreases the defects on rolls that is essential to produce defect free galvanized steel in the automotive industry.

The solid rocket propellant effluents and salt air causes pitting and crevice corrosion attack to the stainless steel. The **Hastelloy C-22 alloy** is selected over 19 different alloys due to extensive resistance to corrosion.

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