ES Aktuell

Name: 40 CrMnMo 7

Material No.: 1.2311

Typical analysis in %: C Mn Cr Mo 0.4 1.5 1.9 0.2

Heat treatment data:

	Temperature	Duration	Cooling
Stress-relief annealing	max. 480°C	min. 4 h	furnace
We recommend stress-relie	f annealing for more tha	n 30% machining	hefore finish

As-supplied condition:

Characteristics:

Quenched and tempered to a hardness

of 280 to 325 HB (950 - 1100 N/mm²)

Quenched and tempered plastic mould

suitable for chromium plating, uniform

hardness throughout the cross section

up to a thickness of approx. 400 mm

steel, good polishability, nitridable,

machining.

Physical characteristics:

Coefficient of therma	l expansio	n: betw	een 20 °	°C and:			
<u>10-6 x m</u>	100	200	300	400	500	600	700 °C
m x K	11.1	12.9	13.4	13.8	14.2	14.6	14.9
Thermal conductivity:	W m x K	_ \	20 34.5	350 33.5	700°C 32.0		

Normal working hardness: Used in the as-supplied condition

Continuous time-temperature-transformation diagram



General fields of application:

Plastic moulds, mould frames for plastic and die casting moulds

Special note:

Can also be supplied in EST grade with improved grain and polishability.

If grained only ES Aktuell in EST grade should be used.

We recommend stress-relief annealing for more than 30% machining before finish machining.

For material cross sections over 400 mm we recommend ES Aktuell 1000 or ES Aktuell 1200 for their better through tempering.

Tempering curve

