



EMH-Brass Tubes in CuZn37Pb0,5

CuZn37Pb0,5 is a high-copper machining brass with excellent cold working properties and can still be machined. It is ideal for producing components which are primarily coined, riveted, crimped or flanged and, to a small extent, machined.

Chemical Composition *

Cu	63 %
Pb	0.3 %
Zn	balance

* Standard values in % by weight

Material Description

EN	CuZn37Pb0,5, CW604N
UNS	C33500
DIN*	CuZn37Pb0,5, 2.0332
BS*	not standardized
NF*	not standardized

* former national standards

Physical Properties *

Electrical conductivity

MS/m	14.7
% IACS	25

Thermal conductivity

W/(m*K)	113
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Thermal expansion coefficient

(0 – 300 °C) 10 ⁻⁶ /K	20.4
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Density

g/cm ³	8.44
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Modulus of elasticity

GPa	110
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* Standard values at room temperature
 1 GPa = 1 kN/mm²
 1 MS/m = 1 m/Ω · mm

Processing Properties

Forming

Machinability (CuZn39Pb3 = 100%)	60 %
Cold forming	good
Hot forming	good

Joining

Resistance welding	fair
Inert gas shielded arc welding	poor
Hard soldering	fair
Soft soldering	excellent

Surface Treatment

Polishing

mechanical	excellent
electrolytical	fair

Electroplating

	excellent
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Heat Treatment

Melting point	885 – 910 °C
Hot forming	720 – 820 °C
Soft annealing	450 – 650 °C, 1-3 h
Thermal stress-relieving	200 – 300 °C, 1-3 h

Corrosion Resistance *

Machining brass is generally quite resistant against organic substances as well as neutral or alkaline compounds.

* Stress corrosion cracking and dezincification in warm, acidic waters should be taken into account, especially in an ammoniacal atmosphere and whilst under mechanical stress.

Mechanical Properties (attainable values, depending on the dimension and form)

Standard values	from (soft)	to (hard)
R _m [MPa]	350	500
R _{p 0.2} [MPa]	130	460
A ₅ [%]	50	10
HB	80	140

