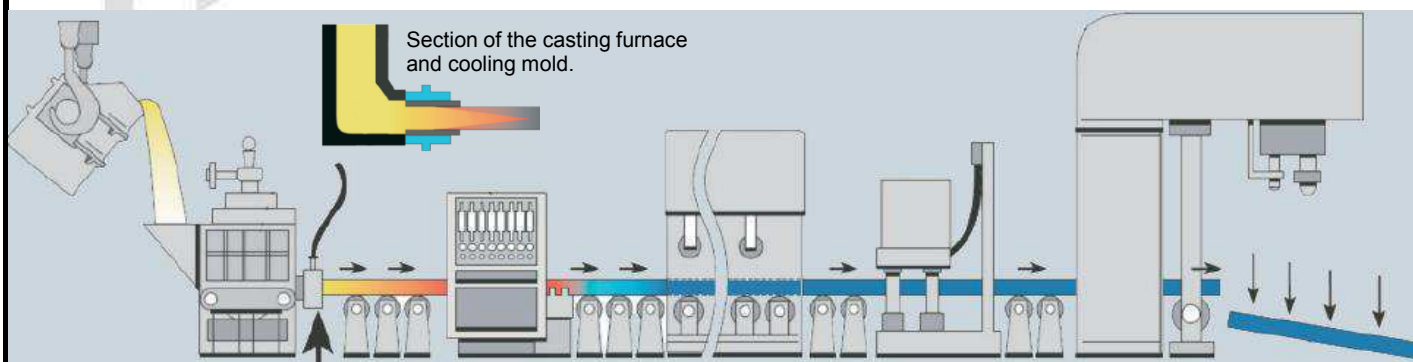


CAST IRON

- **TECHNICAL AND
PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**
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OPERATING PRINCIPLE OF THE PLANT FOR THE PRODUCTION OF CONTINUOUS CAST IRON



TECHNICAL PECULIARITIES OF THE CONTINUOUS CAST IRON

The production of the continuous casting is made by melting the metal in a melting furnace, with subsequent pouring of the liquid metal into the casting furnace (see sketch above). In the casting furnace, the exit point of the bars is situated horizontally and in the lowest part of the furnace, therefore during the production the bar receives a continuous supply of liquid metal, able to compensate the shrinkage caused by the cooling of the cast iron in an optimal way (*continuous feed*). Any other potential cause of defects, such as the presence of refractory material from the furnace or gas bubbles, are naturally pushed upwards and eliminated as slags due to their lower specific weight, avoiding the risk of inclusions or blowholes as it may happen in the castings produced by sand molding. Should gas or slags pass accidentally through the casting point, they would be in any case pushed upwards (*for the same above explained reasons*) and remain trapped in the external skin of the bar (see the machining allowance recommended) leaving the internal part perfectly intact and compact.

The cooling of the bar takes place in a forced manner, through a graphite mold which determines the section of the bar (see the section of the casting furnace and the cooling mold, above mentioned). Inside, this mold is in direct contact with the metal while outside it is inserted in a cavity with forced passage of coolant to facilitate the heat dissipation; this confers to the continuous cast iron bars a better compactness of the structure compared to the castings produced by sand molding, in fact, thanks to the forced cooling, the graphite in solution does not have "the time" required to form cores of large sizes. This "forced cooling" confers to the bar another of the typical characteristics of the continuous casting that is the "Double Structure". Looking at the section of a bar in continuous casting, a thin outer ring (approximately between 5 and 20 mm., in proportion to the sizes of the bar) and an inner area with a different color will be clearly noticed; this difference is given by the external mainly ferritic structure and the internal mainly pearlitic structure which is formed as a result of the quick cooling of the outside and the "annealing" effect that the inside metal, still liquid, exerts on the outside already solidified metal.

Advantages of the continuous casting compared to the castings in sand molding

- 1 - Absence of irregular shrinkages due to poor feed.
- 2 - Absence of gas porosities or inclusions of sand or slag.
- 3 - Concentration of any eventual defect of blowholes or inclusions on the external area of the bar, normally removed during the machining.
- 4 - Better compactness of the structure due to the forced colling and the strong ferrostatic pressure of the liquid metal inside the furnace.
- 5 - Very short delivery times, as the material is normally ready in stock in standard sizes and grades.

CONTINUOUS CAST IRON BARS - (page 02)

Classification and General Technical Features of the Cast Iron.

The reference Standard which defines the grades and technical features of the Continuous Cast Iron is UNI EN 16482:2014

CAST IRON with LAMELLAR GRAPHITE and CAST IRON with SPHEROIDAL GRAPHITE

The cast iron is an iron-carbon alloy with a carbon content over 2,1%.

The carbon, in solution in a liquid state, solidifies in the form of graphite. According to the shape of the solidified graphite the cast iron is divided into two main groups: **Lamellar Cast Iron** and **Spheroidal Cast Iron**. These two main groups are then further divided into two subgroups, according to the shape in which the iron matrix solidifies (ferrite or pearlite), therefore there will be **Ferritic Cast Iron** or **Pearlitic Cast Iron** both Lamellar and Spheroidal.

Ferritic Cast Iron and Pearlitic Cast Iron

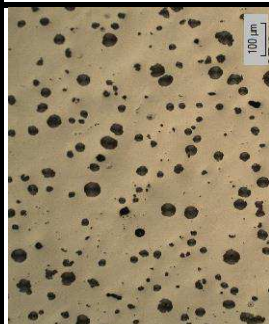
The **ferritic cast iron** is characterized by poor wear resistance by rubbing, lower hardness, higher dimensional stability in contact with the heat, more malleability (spheroidal cast iron) and better heat dissipation. The totally ferritic cast iron is obtained by heat treatment of solution of the pearlite (treatment of complete ferritization).

The **pearlitic cast iron** has better wear resistance, higher hardness, better rigidity and higher mechanical properties compared to the ferritic cast iron.



Cast Iron with Lamellar Graphite - GJL -

The primary characteristic of this material is given by the shape of the graphite which solidifies in the form of lamellae, generating a discontinuity of the ferrous part of the alloy. This provides an improvement of the "self-lubricating" effect of the graphite (the "seizure" effect is extremely reduced), the crushing into small chips during the machining (no need to "deburr" the machined parts) and the lack of deformability (fragility, lack of elongation before the breaking) of this material.



Cast Iron with Spheroidal Graphite - GJS -

The primary characteristic of this material is given by the shape of the graphite which solidifies in the form of spheroids, maintaining continuity in the ferrous part of the alloy. This provides a higher tensile strength compared to the lamellar cast iron, a significant elongation before the breaking but it remarkably limits the "self-lubricating" effect of the graphite and there is the formation of small chips during the machining, however there is no need to "deburr" the machined parts as in the case of steel.

Nomenclature of the cast iron according to UNI EN 16482: 2014

Lamellar Cast Iron: EN-GJL-XXXX	Ghise Sferoidali: EN-GJS-XXX-YYC
EN = European Norm	EN = European Norm
GJL = Cast Iron with Lamellar Graphite	GJS = Cast Iron with Spheroidal Graphite
XXX = Value of tensile strength Rm (expressed in Mpa)	XXX = Value of tensile strength Rm (expressed in Mpa)
C = Produced in Continuous Casting	YY = Percent Elongation
	C = Produced in Continuous Casting

Standard length of the bars

The standard length of the bars is normally 3.000 mm. with tolerance of -0 / + 150 mm.

The cutting of the bars is done by breaking therefore the surface of the cutting section on the raw bars will always be irregular. Over Ø 400 mm. and over 250 x 250 mm. the lengths may change and be 1'000, 1'880 and 3'000 mm., therefore it is recommended to check the effective length when placing the order. Special lengths can be produced on demand.

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Machining Allowance, Dimensional Tolerance and Areas of Sample-Taking for test pieces

Minimum machining allowance

The machining allowance is the superficial layer which has to be removed from the bar produced in continuous casting, in order to eliminate eventual surface defects such as: the outer ring with different structure, exfoliations, eventual surface imperfections typical of the production in continuous casting like ovalizations or growths.

Diameter "D" or Thickness "B" ^(a) in mm.	Minimum Machining Allowance to be removed, in mm. ^(b)			
	Lamellar Cast Iron - GJL -		Spheroidal - GJS -	
	Round Bars	Rectangular Bars	Round Bars	Rectangular Bars
$20 < (D \text{ o } B) \leq 50$	2,0 mm.	2,5 mm.	3,0 mm.	3,5 mm.
$50 < (D \text{ o } B) \leq 100$	3,0 mm.	3,5 mm.	4,0 mm.	4,5 mm.
$100 < (D \text{ o } B) \leq 200$	4,0 mm.	4,5 mm.	5,0 mm.	5,5 mm.
$200 < (D \text{ o } B) \leq 300$	6,0 mm.	6,5 mm.	7,0 mm.	7,5 mm.
$300 < (D \text{ o } B) \leq 400$	7,0 mm.	7,5 mm.	8,0 mm.	8,5 mm.
$400 < (D \text{ o } B) \leq 500$	9,0 mm.	9,5 mm.	10,0 mm.	10,5 mm.
$500 < (D \text{ o } B) \leq 650$	11,0 mm.	11,5 mm.	12,0 mm.	12,5 mm.

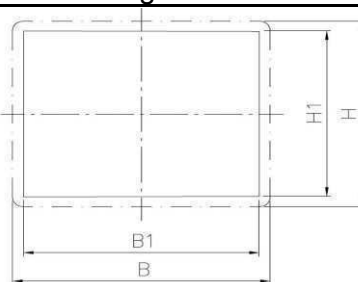
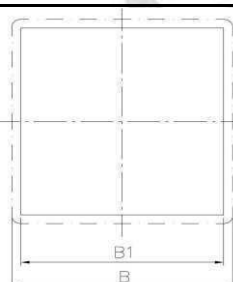
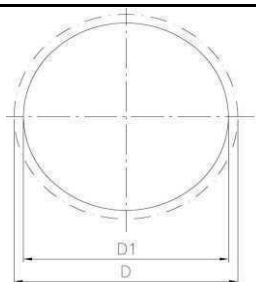
^(a) In the rectangular bars, the longest size "B" shall be considered as the thickness.

^(b) The machining allowance has to be considered on the radius (1/2 of "D") for the round bars and on half of the thickness "B" for the square or rectangular bars.

Dimensional Tolerance

Dimension	Tolerance
(D)-(H)-(B)	mm.
≤ 100	+/-1
$>100 \leq 150$	+/-1,5
$>150 \leq 300$	+/-2,0
>300	+/-3,0

The tolerance change from the beginning to the end of the casting.

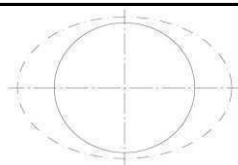


Maximum Ovalization on Round bars and maximum Growth on Rectangular bars

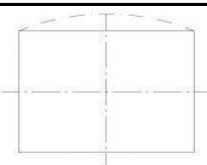
Diameter "D" mm. Thickness "B" mm.	Bars with Round section		Bars with Rectangular section	
	Lamellar Cast Iron	Spheroidal Cast Iron	Lamellar Cast Iron	Spheroidal Cast Iron
$20 < (D \text{ o } B) \leq 50$	<i>To be agreed before the order</i>		5,0 mm.	5,0 mm.
$50 < (D \text{ o } B) \leq 100$	1,0 mm.	2,0 mm.	7,0 mm.	7,0 mm.
$100 < (D \text{ o } B) \leq 200$	2,0 mm.	3,0 mm.	10,0 mm.	10,0 mm.
$200 < (D \text{ o } B) \leq 300$	4,0 mm.	4,0 mm.	12,0 mm.	12,0 mm.
$300 < (D \text{ o } B) \leq 400$	5,0 mm.	5,0 mm.	15,0 mm.	15,0 mm.
$(D \text{ o } B) > 400$	<i>To be agreed before the order</i>		<i>To be agreed before the order</i>	

All dimensions mentioned in this table are expressed in millimeters.

The **ovalization** is defined as the maximum measurable diameter on the round section.

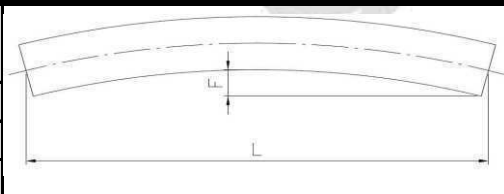


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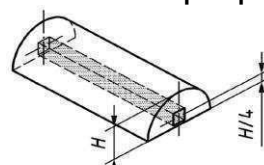
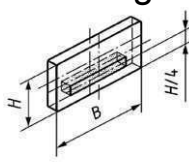
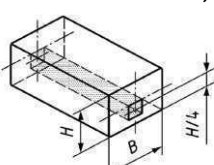
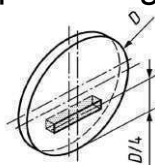
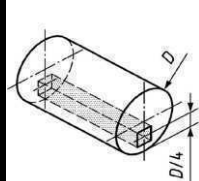


Tolerance on the straightness of the bars "F"

Length "L" (mm)	Unannealed	Annealed/ferritized
1'000	2 mm.	3 mm.
2'000	4 mm.	6 mm.
3'000	6 mm.	9 mm.



Sample-taking from the bar, for testing the technical properties



D = Diameter
B = Side
H = Height


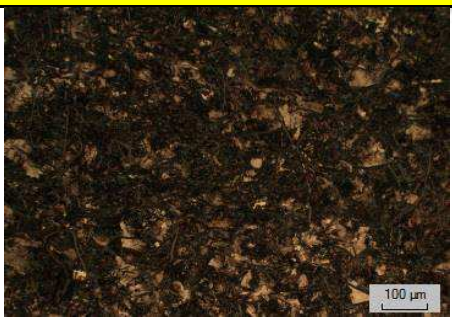

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Technical Properties of the Lamellar Cast Iron produced in continuous casting

Material Coding		Diameter of the Bar <i>D</i> in mm.	Min. Tensile Strength <i>Rm</i> in Mpa	Structure of the matrix (for information only)	*Hardness Brinell <i>HB</i>	
Designation	Number				min.	max.
EN-GJL-150C	5.1102	20< <i>D</i> ≤ 50	110	Ferritic. Obtained by annealing heat treatment of GJL-250C EN-	110	180
		50< <i>D</i> ≤100	100		Denomination	
Material produced by annealing of EN-GJL-250C		100< <i>D</i> ≤200	90		according to HB: EN-GJL-HB150	
		200< <i>D</i> ≤400	80			
EN-GJL-200C	5.1202	20< <i>D</i> ≤ 50	155	Ferritic Pearlitic	140	210
		50< <i>D</i> ≤100	140		Denomination	
Material produced only on specific demand.		100< <i>D</i> ≤200	125		according to HB: EN-GJL-HB175	
		200< <i>D</i> ≤400	115			
EN-GJL-250C	5.1203	20< <i>D</i> ≤ 50	195	Pearlitic Ferritic	170	240
		50< <i>D</i> ≤100	180		Denomination	
Identification color		100< <i>D</i> ≤200	165		according to HB: EN-GJL-HB200	
		200< <i>D</i> ≤400	155			
EN-GJL-300C	5.1308	20< <i>D</i> ≤ 50	220	Pearlitic prevalence	200	290
		50< <i>D</i> ≤100	205		Denomination	
Identification color		100< <i>D</i> ≤200	195		according to HB: EN-GJL-HB250	
		200< <i>D</i> ≤400	185			
Glass Mold Iron GMI		All sizes	170	Ferritic, obtained by annealing heat treatment	130	210
Identification color		Special cast iron for the construction of molds for contact with melted glass.				

* The hardness of the cast iron decreases with the increase of the diameter or thickness of the bar. In the lamellar cast iron, if the HB hardness has prevalent importance compared to the tensile strength, when placing the order the cast iron shall be required according to the specific classification for the hardness **EN-GJL-HBxxx**.

Microstructure of the Lamellar cast iron

EN-GJL-150C	EN-GJL-250C	EN-GJL-300C
		

In the surface zone of the bar the graphite structure is Type "I", Configuration "D" (max.15% E & A).
In the centre of the bar the graphite structure is Type "I", Configuration "A" (max.20% B,D & E).

G.M.I. Cast Iron (Glass Mold Iron)

On the whole section of the bar the graphite structure is Type "I", Configuration "D" and Dimension "6-8", in order to ensure high compactness. This Cast Iron, purposely developed for the construction of molds for the glass industry, has an extremely fine graphite, which allows the achievement of an excellent surface finishing (mirror), very good workability, good thermal conductivity and improves the metal-spray coating.

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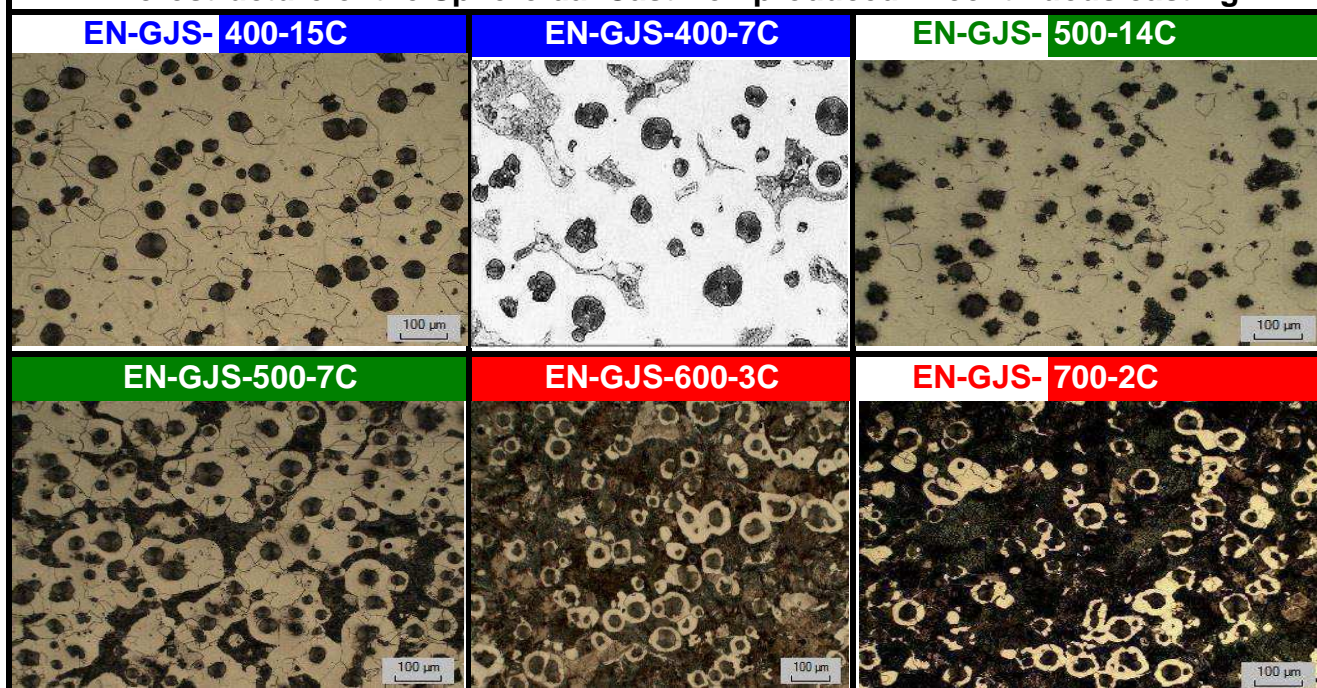
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Technical Properties of the Spheroidal Cast Iron produced in continuous casting

Material Coding		Diameter of the Bar <i>D</i> in mm.	Yield point <i>R</i> _{p0,2} - Mpa	Tensile Strength <i>R</i> _m in Mpa	A % min	Structure of the matrix	*Hardness Brinell <i>HB</i> min. max.	
Designation	Number							
EN-GJS-350-22C-LT	5.3120	20 < <i>D</i> ≤ 60	220	350	22	Ferritic Heat treatment	-	170
		60 < <i>D</i> ≤ 120	210	330	18			
		#produced only on demand#	120 < <i>D</i> ≤ 400	200	320			
EN-GJS-350-22C-RT	5.3121	20 < <i>D</i> ≤ 60	220	350	22	Ferritic Heat treatment	-	170
		60 < <i>D</i> ≤ 120	220	330	18			
		#produced only on demand#	120 < <i>D</i> ≤ 400	210	320			
EN-GJS-350-22C	5.3122	20 < <i>D</i> ≤ 60	220	350	22	Ferritic Heat treatment	-	170
		60 < <i>D</i> ≤ 120	220	330	18			
		#produced only on demand#	120 < <i>D</i> ≤ 400	210	320			
EN-GJS-400-18C-LT	5.3123	20 < <i>D</i> ≤ 60	240	400	18	Ferritic Heat treatment	120	180
		60 < <i>D</i> ≤ 120	230	380	15			
		#produced only on demand#	120 < <i>D</i> ≤ 400	220	360			
EN-GJS-400-18C-RT	5.3124	20 < <i>D</i> ≤ 60	250	400	18	Ferritic Heat treatment	120	180
		60 < <i>D</i> ≤ 120	250	390	15			
		#produced only on demand#	120 < <i>D</i> ≤ 400	240	370			
EN-GJS-400-18C #produced on demand#	5.3125	20 < <i>D</i> ≤ 60	250	400	18	Ferritic Heat treatment	120	180
		60 < <i>D</i> ≤ 120	250	390	15			
		Identification color	120 < <i>D</i> ≤ 400	240	370			
EN-GJS-400-15C #produced on demand#	5.3126	20 < <i>D</i> ≤ 60	250	400	15	Ferritic Heat treatment	120	180
		60 < <i>D</i> ≤ 120	250	390	14			
		Identification color	120 < <i>D</i> ≤ 400	240	370			
EN-GJS-400-7C #produced on demand#	5.3202	20 < <i>D</i> ≤ 60	250	400	7	Ferritic/ Pearlitic	140	210
		60 < <i>D</i> ≤ 120	250	390	7			
		Identification color	120 < <i>D</i> ≤ 400	240	370			
EN-GJS-500-14C #produced on demand#	5.3129	20 < <i>D</i> ≤ 60	400	500	14	Ferritic	180	220
		60 < <i>D</i> ≤ 120	390	480	12			
		Identification color	120 < <i>D</i> ≤ 400	360	470			
EN-GJS-500-7C •normally in stock	5.3203	20 < <i>D</i> ≤ 60	320	500	7	Ferritic/ Pearlitic	150	240
		60 < <i>D</i> ≤ 120	300	450	7			
		Identification color	120 < <i>D</i> ≤ 400	290	420			
EN-GJS-600-3C •normally in stock	5.3204	20 < <i>D</i> ≤ 60	370	600	3	Pearlitic/ Ferritic	200	290
		60 < <i>D</i> ≤ 120	360	600	2			
		Identification color	120 < <i>D</i> ≤ 400	340	550			
EN-GJS-700-2C #produced on demand#	5.3303	20 < <i>D</i> ≤ 60	420	700	2	Mainly Pearlitic	210	310
		60 < <i>D</i> ≤ 120	400	700	2			
		Identification color	120 < <i>D</i> ≤ 400	380	650			
Austempered Ductile Iron - A.D.I.			#produced only on demand#			Identification color		
Designation	Yield Point <i>R</i> _{p0,2} - Mpa*	Tensile S. <i>R</i> _m -Mpa*	A %	Hardness HB min* max*		A.D.I. is an alloyed ductile iron with the addition of Cu, Ni and Mo. The heat treatment consists of full austenitizing followed by quenching at a temperature of 230-450°C. to obtain an ausferritic or bainitic structure which assures a good combination of toughness ultimate tensile strength and wear resistance (see the properties in the table).		
Grade 1	550	860	10	269	321			
Grade 2	700	1'050	7	302	363			
Grade 3	860	1'200	4	341	444			
Grade 4	1'070	1'400	1	388	477			
*The referenced values have been obtained after the austempering process.								

CONTINUOUS CAST IRON BARS - (page 06)

Microstructure of the Spheroidal Cast Iron produced in continuous casting



Other Technical Properties of the Cast Iron with Spheroidal Graphite.

Properties	Unit of measure	Type of material			
		GJS-500-7C	GJS-600-3C	GJS-700-2C	GJS-500-14C
Cutting Resistance	Mpa	450	540	620	not referenced
Torsion Resistance	Mpa	450	540	620	not referenced
Modulus of Elasticity E	GN/m ²	169	174	176	170
Poisson Coefficient ν	-	0,275	0,275	0,275	0,28 - 0,29
Fatigue Limit unnotched (Ø 10,6mm)	Mpa	224	248	280	225
Fatigue Limit notched (Ø 10,6mm)	Mpa	134	149	168	140
Compressive Strength	Mpa	800	870	1'000	not referenced
Heat Conductivity at 200°C.	W/ (K•m)	35,2	32,5	31,1	-
Specific Heat Capacity from 20° to 500°C.	J/ (Kg•K)	515	515	515	-
Coefficient of Linear Expansion from 20° to 400°C.	µm/ (m•K)	12,5	12,5	12,5	-
Resistivity	µΩ•m	0,51	0,53	0,54	not referenced

CAST IRON PRODUCED BY CHILL CASTING - (page 07)

Main characteristics and peculiarities:

To obtain a compactness in the structure of the cast iron even higher than the continuous casting, it is possible to realize bars cast in steel moulds (*shells*). With this method any type of cast iron can be produced.

The classification is the same as the cast iron produced in continuous casting, with the replacement of the letter " C " (continuous casting) with the letter " K " (chill casting) (i.e.: GJL-250K or GJS-500-7K). Normally this production method is used to manufacture blocks with big sizes, in order to take advantage of the distinctive features of this production system; with this casting technology, in fact, the cooling of the metal happens more quickly than the normal sand casting and in a more uniform way than the production in continuous casting, by giving a very homogeneous and compact structure to the cast iron, which allows to obtain even on large castings the following peculiarities:

- General improvement of the mechanical and technological properties, due to the better compactness of the structure.
- Improvement of the workability, thanks to the higher homogeneity of the casting.
- Particular predisposition towards surface treatments such as hardening and coatings (chrome plating, nickel plating, polishing etc ...) with achievement of the best possible performance in cast iron.
- Better compactness and homogeneity, which make these castings particularly suitable for applications in the hydraulic field, even for high pressures.

Indicatively, the feasible sizes are the following:

Round: from Ø 130 to Ø 660 mm. in length of 1'020 mm.
from Ø 680 to Ø 1'200 mm. in length of 550 mm. (*unless otherwise agreed*)

Tubes: max. outside Ø 1'170 mm. and min. internal Ø 250 mm. with max. length of 900 mm. and min. wall thickness of 40 mm.

Square: up to 500 x 500 x 1'020 mm.

Rectangles: up to 340 x 610 x 1'020 mm.

Blocks or Plates: up to 1'400 x 1'120 x 200 mm.

On demand it is also possible to manufacture different sizes than the above mentioned ones, therefore we recommend to consult our sales department to check the feasibility of the required dimensions.

Usually all bars or blocks are supplied pre-machined or milled on 4 sides, with a tolerance of +1 / +3 mm., and cut on the length (*on specific demand it is possible to have also the length as milled or turned*). In case of bushings, the tolerance on the inside Ø will be of -1 / -3 mm.

Delivery time and production:

Due to the wide range of sizes feasible with this method of production, normally only some sizes of round, square and rectangle are kept in stock, therefore we recommend to check the availability at every demand. In case the material is not ready in stock, the delivery times will be defined in the offer, as they can change according to the workload of the production facilities.

CAST IRON: DIMENSIONAL TABLES AND THEORETICAL WEIGHTS PER METER - (page 08)

Round Cast Iron				Rectangular Cast Iron			
Ø mm.	Kg/m.	Ø mm.	Kg/m.	≠ mm.	Kg/m.	≠ mm.	Kg/m.
20	2,3	410	959	40 x 20	6	150 x 90	98
30	5	420	1007	40 x 25	7	150 x 100	109
35	7	430	1056	50 x 30	11	160 x 60	70
40	9	450	1156	50 x 40	15	160 x 80	93
45	12	500	1428	60 x 30	13	160 x 100	116
50	14	530	1604	60 x 40	19	170 x 140	173
55	17	550	1727	70 x 30	15	180 x 60	79
60	21	600	2056	70 x 40	20	180 x 90	118
65	24	650	2412	70 x 50	26	180 x 100	131
70	28	Square Cast Iron		70 x 60	31	200 x 100	145
75	32			≠ mm.	Kg/m.	80 x 30	18
80	37	30 x 30	7	80 x 40	23	205 x 85	127
85	41	40 x 40	12	80 x 50	29	210 x 50	76
90	46	45 x 45	15	80 x 60	35	210 x 130	199
95	52	50 x 50	18	90 x 30	20	210 x 160	244
100	57	55 x 55	22	90 x 40	26	220 x 170	272
105	63	60 x 60	26	90 x 50	33	230 x 30	50
110	69	65 x 65	31	90 x 60	39	245 x 165	294
115	76	70 x 70	36	90 x 70	46	250 x 190	345
120	82	75 x 75	41	100 x 30	22	300 x 150	327
125	89	80 x 80	47	100 x 40	29	320 x 50	116
130	97	85 x 85	53	100 x 50	36	320 x 60	140
135	104	90 x 90	60	100 x 60	44	320 x 100	233
140	112	95 x 95	66	100 x 70	51	387 x 311	875
145	120	100 x 100	73	100 x 80	58	400 x 50	145
150	129	110 x 110	88	110 x 40	32	420 x 80	244
160	146	120 x 120	105	110 x 50	40	420 x 100	305
170	165	130 x 130	123	110 x 60	48	420 x 120	366
180	185	140 x 140	143	110 x 70	56	457 x 317	207
190	206	150 x 150	164	110 x 90	72	520 x 100	378
200	228	160 x 160	186	120 x 40	35	520 x 120	453
210	252	170 x 170	210	120 x 50	44	520 x 480	1815
220	276	180 x 180	236	120 x 60	52	551 x 501	2007
230	302	190 x 190	262	120 x 70	61	558 x 355	1440
240	329	200 x 200	291	120 x 80	70	558 x 406	1647
250	357	210 x 210	321	120 x 90	79	560 x 515	2097
260	401	220 x 220	352	130 x 50	47	570 x 530	2196
270	416	230 x 230	385	130 x 60	57	609 x 260	1151
280	448	240 x 240	419	130 x 70	66	610 x 410	1818
290	480	250 x 250	454	130 x 80	76	730 x 95	504
300	514	260 x 260	492	130 x 100	95	780 x 180	1021
310	549	280 x 280	570	140 x 50	51	Cast Iron 1/2 Round	
320	585	300 x 300	654	140 x 60	61		
330	622	330 x 330	792	140 x 70	71	90 x 48	25
340	660	360 x 360	942	140 x 100	102	94 x 52,5	29
350	700	470 x 470	1606	140 x 110	112	108 x 58	36
360	740	500 x 500	2199	150 x 30	33	115 x 63	42
370	782	The above mentioned sections are the most common; it is of course understood that other sections may be available in stock. For more detailed information, please contact our sales department. Bigger sizes can be realized by chill casting.					
380	825						
390	869						
400	914						

Spheroidal Perlitic Cast Iron "WRI-100"

The spheroidal cast iron WRI-100 is an "out of standard", specifically studied and realized for the construction of core boxes, plates and models to use on high production green molding machineries. It can also be used for the realization of stamps in general.

The WRI-100 is essentially a spheroidal cast iron of the type GJS.700-2C conveniently modified, in a way to make it interchangeable with the steel 40CrMnMo7 (AISI P20), for determined applications.

Medium Chemical Analysis

C%	Si%	Mn%	P%	S%	Cu%	Ni%	Mo%	Mg%
3,3 3,8	2,5 3,1	0,3 max	0,08 max	0,02 max	0,1 max	0,10 max	0,1 max	0,03 0,05

Microstructure: mostly perlitic matrix

The core presents a matrix with over 80% of perlite and some ferrite.

the carbides are less than 5% and well dispersed.

Graphite of Form I and II (>80%) with dimension 5 - 8.

General Mechanical Properties

Thickness: Kg./dm³ 7,2

Brinell Hardness: HB. 230 - 300

Shear Strenght: Mpa 620

Traction Strenght: Mpa 700min.

Torsional strenght: Mpa 620

Allungamento percentuale: da 2% a 5%

Compression Strenght: Mpa 1'000

Thermal Conductivity at 200°C: W/(K*m) 31,1

Linear Expansion Coefficient (da 20°C a 400°C.): µm/(m*K) 12,5

Modulus of elasticity *E* (traction and compression): GN/m² 176

Rotating Fatigue Limit Unnotched (Ø 10,6mm.): Mpa 280

Rotating Fatigue Limit Notched (Ø 10,6mm.): Mpa 168



Example of application.

Main Technical Features of WRI-100:

Good firmness of the machine dsurface, thanks to the spheroidal graphite and the perlite.

Good wear resistance (superior to the P.20), thanks to the spheroidal cast iron features.

Good corrosion and thermal fatigue resistance, thanks to the GJS properties.

Great utensile machinability (if compared to P.20 steel), therefore lesser production costs.

No faults inside the material guarantee, since it is produced in continuous cast.

Opportunity of thermal quenching treatment with reaching hardnesses up to 55 - 60 HRC

Availble sections on request:

380 x 260 x 2'300mm.	500 x 100 x 2'000mm.	650 x 100 x 2'250mm.	650 x 200 x 2'250mm.
575 x 90 x 2'000mm.	610 x 410 x 2'250mm.	650 x 140 x 2'250mm.	Other sections to be defined

The informations reported on this table are to be considered of general nature.