Alloy Specification Sheet - 5083



Alloy 5083 is highly resistant to attack
by both seawater and industrial chemical
environments. It has the highest strength of the
non-treatable alloys.

Element	% Present		
Silicon	0.4		
Iron	0.4		
Copper	0.1		
Manganese	0.4 to 1.0		
Magnesium	4.0 to 4.9		
Zinc	0.25		
Titanium	0.15		
Chromium	0.05 to 0.25		
Aluminium	Balance		

Alloy 5083 is known for exceptional performance in extreme environments and retaining exceptional strength after welding.

Mechanical		
Property	H32	O/H111
Proof Stress		
0.2% (Mpa)	240	145
Tensile		
Strength		
(Mpa)	330	300
Shear		
Strength		
(Mpa)	185	175
Elongation		
A5 (%)	17	23
Hardness		
Vickers (HV)	95	75

Physical			
Property	Value		
Density	2.65 g/cm3		
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Melting Point	570°C		
Modulus of Elasticity	72 GPa		
Electrical Resistivity	0.058 x 10 - ⁶ Ωm		
Thermal Conductivity	121 W/mK		
Thermal Expansion	25 x 10 - ⁶ / K		

Fabrication Process Rating Workability - Cold Average Machinability Poor Weldability – Gas Average Weldability –Arc Excellent Weldability –Resistance Excellent Brazability Poor Solderability Poor

Alloy 5083 is not recommended for use in temperatures in excess of 65°C.

Applications:-

- Shipbuilding
- Pressure Vessels
- Mine skips and cages
 - Rail Cars
 - Tip Truck Bodies