

# OSPREY® Ti-6AI-4V FOR METAL INJECTION MOLDING



## **GENERAL DESCRIPTION**

Osprey® TI-6AL-4V Grade 5 & Grade 23 powders are manufactured to the highest international standards by Electrode Inert Gas Atomization, using a state-of-the-art titanium powder plant that offers a high level of automation, ensuring even better reliability and consistency. Offering typically lower cost & higher capacity than plasma atomized powders. Designed for processing by Metal Injection Molding processes, including medical, aerospace, automotive and engineering applications that require significant weight saving while maintaining high performance.

## **CHEMICAL COMPOSITION**

Osprey® Ti-6Al-4V Class 5\*, Chemical composition (nominal), wt%

Ti	Al	V	Fe	0	С	N	Н	Υ	Others, each	Other, each
Balance	5.50- 6.75	3.5-4.5	<0.30	<0.20	<0.08	<0.05	<0.015	<0.005	<0.10	<0.40

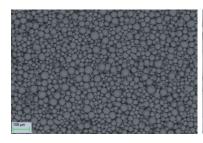
<sup>\*</sup>According to ASTM F2924-14

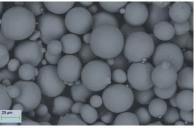
Osprey® Ti-6Al-4V Class 23\*\*

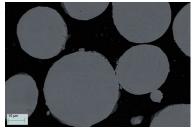
Ti	Al	V	Fe	0	С	N	Н	Υ	Others, each	Other, each
Balance	5.50- 6.75	3.5-4.5	<0.25	<0.13	<0.08	<0.05	<0.012	<0.005	<0.10	<0.40

<sup>\*\*</sup>According to ASTM F3001-14

## **POWDER MORPHOLOGY**







SEM micrographs of -63 +20  $\mu$ m powder with a spherical morphology (HS Circularity 0.95), smooth surface and low level of powder satellites (magnifications x100 & x250) and a section through the powder (magnification x1000), with no visible internal porosity.

# **MECHANICAL PROPERTIES**

Typical mechanical properties of Osprey® TI-6AL-4V Grade 23 powder L-PBF after solution annealing at 850°C for 2h, followed by air cooling and a combination of solution annealing with hot isostatic pressing (HIP) at 920°C for 2h with a pressure of 100 MPa, followed by furnace cooling.

## Metric units

Condition	Direction	Proof strength	Tensile strength	E-modulus	Elongation	Impact toughness	
		R <sub>p0.2</sub>	R <sub>m</sub>		Α		
		MPa	MPa	GPa	%	J	
Heat treated	Horizontal	957 ±7	1076 ±6	119 ±2	14.4 ±0.6	23 ±0.5	
	Vertical	997 ±6	1094 ±4	122 ±2	15.5 ±0.5	22 ±0.9	
HIP	Horizontal	906 ±2	1014 ±1	125 ±3	17.7 ±0.8	23 ±0.7	
	Vertical	915 ±8	1015 ±4	126 ±3	17.2 ±0.04	25 ±0.8	

## Imperial units

Condition	Direction	Proof strength	Tensile strength	E-modulus	Elongation	Impact toughness
		R <sub>p0.2</sub>	R <sub>m</sub>		Α	
		ksi	ksi	ksi	%	J
Heat treated	Horizontal	139 ±1	156 ±1	17,260 ±290	14.4 ±0.6	204 ±4
	Vertical	145 ±1	159 ±1	17,695 ±290	15.5 ±0.5	195 ±8
HIP	Horizontal	131 ±1	147 ±1	18,130 ±435	17.7 ±0.8	204 ±6
	Vertical	133 ±1	147 ±1	18,275 ±435	17.2 ±0.04	204 ±7

Typical Vicker's Hardness levels (ASTM E92, ISO 6507-1, JIS Z2244, GB/T 4340.1), of Osprey® TI-6AL-4V Grade 23 in the L-PBF heat-treated condition.

Condition	Direction	Hardness HV
Heat treated	Horizontal	344 ±4
	Vertical	346 ±4
HIP	Horizontal	329 ±4
	Vertical	329 ±4

Typical surface roughness (Ra), of Osprey® TI-6AL-4V Grade 23 in the L-PBF heat-treated condition.

Condition	Direction	Rougness Ra (µm)	
Heat treated	Horizontal	8.4 ±0.9	
	Vertical	9.0 ±0.2	

High cycle fatigue at 350MPa, of Osprey<sup>®</sup> TI-6AL-4V Grade 23 in the L-PBF heat-treated condition, at different build orientations and surface roughness conditions.



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