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# Catamold® P.A.N.A.C.E.A.

## **Product Description**

Ready-to-mold granules for the production of sintered components in a Ni-free austenitic stainless steel using BASF system.

## **Standards**

X15 CrMnMoN 17 11 3

Corrosion resistance

## Typical composition after Sintering

C %	N %	Cr %	Ni %	Mo %	Mn %	Si %	Fe
≤0.2	0.75-0.90	16.5-17.5	≤0.1	3.0-3.5	10-12	≤1	Balance

## **Processing**

Molding on standard injection molding machines used for the thermoplastic polymers. Catalytic debinding according to BASF system. Sintering in a nitrogen/hydrogen atmosphere with subsequent heat treatment.

## **Characteristic Properties**

 $\geq$ 7,5 g/cm<sup>3</sup> Density Yield Strength  $R_{\rm p0,2}$  Tensile Strength  $R_{\rm m}$ ≥690 MPa ≥1090 MPa Elonation A<sub>10</sub> ≥35%

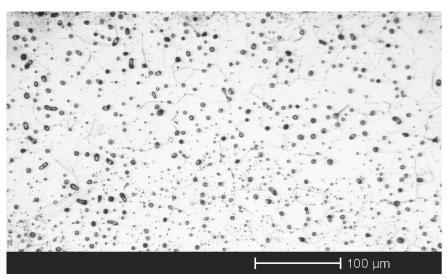
Hardness 270-300 HV10 Crevice corrosion resistance and resistance

against pitting better than for 316L

much below the limits established in the Nickel-release-rate

EU-guideline 94/27/EC

#### **Typical Microstructure**



Catamold P.A.N.A.C.E.A., sintered in  $N_2/H_2$  and soft annealed

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## **Applications**

Non-magnetic parts with excellent corrosion resistance, medium hardness and good ductility used for watches, jewellery and in the medical- and food-industry.

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