

Title (en)

Aluminium-based alloy with a high modulus and an increased mechanical strength and process for production.

Title (de)

Legierung auf Aluminiumbasis mit einem hohen Modul und mit einer erhöhten mechanischen Festigkeit und Verfahren zur Herstellung.

Title (fr)

Alliage à base d'A1 à haut module et à résistance mécanique élevée et procédé d'obtention.

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Abstract (en)

Al-based alloys of the 7000 series which have a high modulus ( $E \geq 74$  GPa), a high mechanical strength ( $R_{0.2} \geq 530$  MPa in the lengthwise direction), a good tenacity (KIC, lengthwise direction  $> 20$  MPa  $2\sqrt{m}$ ) and a good corrosion resistance under (O pressure  $\geq 250$  MPa in the short transverse direction, lifetime  $\geq 30$  days - ASTM Standard G 38-73). The alloy according to the invention corresponds to the following weight composition: from 5.5 to 8.45% of Zr from 2 to 3.5% Mg from 0.5 to 2.5% Cu up to 0.5% Fe up to 0.5% Si other elements  $\leq 0.05\%$  each and up to 0.15% in all with  $0.1 \leq Zr \leq 0.5\%$   $0.3 \leq Cr \leq 0.6\%$   $0.3 \leq Mn \leq 1.1\%$  It is preferably produced by the following process: a) a massive body which has the composition claimed above is formed by spray-deposition, b) this body is converted into a wrought product between 300 and 450 DEG C and then optionally when cold c) the wrought product is heat-treated by dissolving, quenching and annealing to a T6 or T7 state. <IMAGE>

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