

Title (en)

High ductility, high hot tensile strength tungsten wire and method of manufacture

Title (de)

Hochumformbarer und Hochwarmfestiger Wolframdraht sowie Verfahren zur dessen Herstellung

Title (fr)

Fil de tungsten à haute ductilité et haute resistance a traction a chaud et son procédé de fabrication

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Abstract (en)

A method for manufacturing a high ductility and high hot tensile strength tungsten wire (9) for incandescent lamp filaments is disclosed. The method comprises the steps of preparing a tungsten alloy, swaging a tungsten rod from the alloy, and drawing the swaged rod to wire size in multiple drawing passes. In the method, the wire (9) is annealed between predetermined draws. It is proposed that an annealing is performed before the final drawing pass, by annealing the wire at a temperature between 1100-1300 DEG C. <??>There is also provided a tungsten wire (9) for incandescent lamp filament, which has high ductility and high hot tensile strength. The tungsten wire (9) of the invention has a cold tensile strength - hot tensile strength ratio not exceeding 3.5. <IMAGE>

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