

Title (en)
HIGH STRENGTH, HIGH TOUGHNESS ROTATING SHAFT MATERIAL

Title (de)
HOCHFESTES, HOCHZÄHES DREHSCHAFTMATERIAL

Title (fr)
MATÉRIAU D'ARBRE ROTATIF À TÉNACITÉ ÉLEVÉE, À RÉSISTANCE ÉLEVÉE

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Abstract (en)
[origin: US2009004041A1] An age hardenable, martensitic steel alloy that provides high strength, high toughness, and good low cycle fatigue life and a method of making same are disclosed. The alloy comprises a matrix having a weight percent composition consisting essentially of about
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