

# **AEROSPACE** MATERIAL SPECIFICATION

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Aluminum Alloy Bars, Rods, and Wire, Rolled or Cold Finished 5.6Zn - 2.5Mg - 1.6Cu - 0.23Cr (7075-F) As Fabricated, or When Specified, Annealed (7075-O) (Composition similar to UNS A97075)

# **RATIONALE**

AMS4186E prohibits unauthorized revisions (3.6), revises properties (3.3.3, Table 2), reports (4.4), and identification (5.1.1), and results from a Five-Year Review and update of this specification.

## SCOPE

#### 1.1 Form

This specification covers an aluminum alloy in the form of bars, rods, and wire, in the sizes shown in 3.3.3, in the "as fabricated (F) temper" (see 8.5). When specified, product shall be supplied in the annealed (O) condition.

#### 1.2 Application

These products have been typically used for parts requiring forming and as stock for flash welded rings which are to be subsequently solution and precipitation heat treated, but usage is not limited to such applications.

Certain design and processing procedures may cause these products to become susceptible to stress-corrosion cracking after solution and precipitation heat treatment; ARP823 recommends practices to minimize such conditions.

# 2. APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS

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AMS2355 Quality Assurance, Sampling and Testing, Aluminum Alloys and Magnesium Alloy, Wrought

Products (Except Forging Stock), and Rolled, Forged, or Flash Welded Rings

AMS2772 Heat Treatment of Aluminum Alloy Raw Materials

ARP823 Minimizing Stress-Corrosion Cracking in Wrought Heat-Treatable Aluminum Alloy Products

ARP1917 Clarification of Terms Used in Aerospace Metals Specifications

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Available from ASTM International, 100 Barr Harbor Drive, P.O. Box C700, West Conshohocken, PA 19428-2959, Tel: 610-832-9585, www.astm.org.

ASTM B660 Packaging/Packing of Aluminum and Magnesium Products

ASTM B666/B666M Identification Marking of Aluminum and Magnesium Products

ASTM E10 Brinell Hardness of Metallic Materials

## 2.3 ANSI Accredited Publications

Copies of these documents are available online at <a href="http://webstore.ansi.org/">http://webstore.ansi.org/</a>.

ANSI H35.1/H35.1M Standard Alloy and Temper Designation System for Aluminum

ANSI H35.2 Dimensional Tolerances for Aluminum Mill Products

ANSI H35.2 Dimensional Tolerances for Aluminum Mill Products, Metric

# 3. TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS

# 3.1 Composition

Shall conform to the following percentages by weight shown in Table 1, determined in accordance with AMS2355.

Table 1 - Composition

Element	Min	Max
Silicon		0.40
Iron		0.50
Copper	1.2	2.0
Manganese		0.30
Magnesium	2.1	2.9
Chromium	0.18	0.28
Zinc	5.1	6.1
Titanium		0.20
Other Elements, each		0.05
Other Elements, total		0.15
Aluminum	remainder	