

# **Reference Material Certificate**

# 115/02

Aluminium Base (Type of Standard) Al pure (99.99-99.95% Al), Set 110

# **Certified Values**

Element	Mass content [%]	Uncertainty [%]
Silicon (Si)	0.0070	± 0.0003
Iron (Fe)	0.0067	± 0.0003
Copper (Cu)	0.0041	± 0.0003
Manganese (Mn)	0.0033	± 0.0003
Magnesium (Mg)	0.0040	± 0.0003
Chromium (Cr)	0.0027	± 0.0002
Nickel (Ni)	0.0032	± 0.0002
Zinc (Zn)	0.0034	± 0.0003
Titanium (Ti)	0.0006	± 0.0001
Silver (Ag)	0.0010	± 0.0002
Boron (B)	0.0006	± 0.0002
Barium (Ba)	<0.0001	
Beryllium (Be)	<0.0001	
Bismuth (Bi)	0.0015	± 0.0003
Calcium (Ca)	<0.0001	
Cadmium (Cd)	0.0022	± 0.0002
Cobalt (Co)	0.0031	± 0.0002
Gallium (Ga)	0.0021	± 0.0003
Indium (In)	0.0020	± 0.0002
Lithium (Li)	<0.0001	
Molybdenum (Mo)	0.0010	± 0.0002
Sodium (Na)	(<0.0001)	
Phosphorus (P)	0.0010	± 0.0002
Lead (Pb)	0.0010	± 0.0002
Antimony (Sb)	0.0011	± 0.0002
Tin (Sn)	0.0010	± 0.0002
Strontium (Sr)	<0.0001	
Vanadium (V)	0.0010	± 0.0002
Tungsten (W)	(0.001)	
Zirconium (Zr)	0.0025	± 0.0003

The uncertainty reported is the result of standard deviation of all results multiplied with a factor of two and represents approximately the 95% confidence interval.

Values in brackets () are not certified but given for information only.

### Manufacturing

This standard is produced using six strand hot top vertical continuous casting out of single melt.

#### Homogeneity

Homogeneity testing is performed by means of spark emission spectroscopy. Tests involve making multiple measurements on individual samples taken at regular intervals along the entire length of each cast rod. Depending on the mass content of the element, the relative standard deviation of multiple measurements between discs or within one disc is typically found between 0.3% - 1% for alloying and other elements and 0.5% - 5% for trace elements.

## **Analysis**

The values listed in this analysis certificate are the results of multiple analyses performed in our chemical analysis laboratory. The analyses are based on established wet chemical procedures.

## **Description of Sample**

This reference material is available in the form of discs (approx. Ø 60 x 25 mm).

### Intended use and Stability

This certified reference material is primarily intended for use in spark optical emission spectroscopy. Other applications are X-ray fluorescence spectrometry (XRF) and classical wet chemical procedures. The minimum sample size for wet chemical analysis is 0.2g. The material will remain stable for the period given below (certification validity) if it is stored in a dry and clean environment at room temperature.

#### **Instructions for Use**

Calibration measurements should be made within a ring between 2mm and 22mm from the edge of the CRM face. For wet chemical analysis chips have to be prepared by turning or milling of the sample surface.

# **Traceability**

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Traceability of the certified mass contents to the SI (Système

International d'Unités) is ensured by calibration using certified standard solutions or pure metals or substances of known stoichiometry.

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White area to

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analysis.

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