



AEROSPACE MATERIAL SPECIFICATION

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Aluminum Alloy, Sheet
1.0Mg - 0.8Si - 0.8Cu - 0.50Mn (6013-T6)
Solution Heat Treated and Artificially Aged
(Composition similar to A96013)

RATIONALE

AMS4216C prohibits unauthorized exceptions (3.6), revises condition (3.2), reports (4.4), and identification (5.1.1), and results from a Five-Year Review and update of this specification.

1. SCOPE

1.1 Form

This specification covers an aluminum alloy in the form of sheet.

1.2 Application

This sheet has been used typically for structural parts requiring good strength, toughness, and fatigue properties and maximum corrosion resistance, but usage is not limited to such applications.

2. APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS

The issue of the following documents in effect on the date of the purchase order forms a part of this specification to the extent specified herein. The supplier may work to a subsequent revision of a document unless a specific document issue is specified. When the referenced document has been cancelled and no superseding document has been specified, the last published issue of that document shall apply.

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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

ARP1917 Clarification of Terms Used in Aerospace Metals Specifications

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2.2 ASTM Publications

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

2.3 ANSI Accredited Publications

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

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

ANSI H35.2 Dimensional Tolerances for Aluminum Mill Products

ANSI H35.2M Dimensional Tolerances for Aluminum Mill Products (Metric)

3. TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS

3.1 Composition

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

Table 1 - Composition

Element	Min	Max
Silicon	0.6	1.0
Iron	--	0.50
Copper	0.6	1.1
Manganese	0.20	0.8
Magnesium	0.8	1.2
Chromium	--	0.10
Zinc	--	0.25
Titanium	--	0.10
Other Elements, each	--	0.05
Other Elements, total	--	0.15
Aluminum	remainder	

3.2 Condition

Solution heat treated and artificially aged to the T6 temper in accordance with AMS2772 (refer to ANSI H35.1/H35.1M).

3.3 Tensile Properties

Sheet shall conform to the requirements shown in Table 2, determined on the mill product size in the long-transverse direction in accordance with AMS2355.

Table 2 - Minimum tensile properties

Property	Value
Tensile Strength	52.0 ksi (359 MPa)
Yield Strength at 0.2% Offset	46.0 ksi (317 MPa)
Elongation in 2 Inches (50.8 mm)	8%

3.4 Quality

Sheet, as received by purchaser, shall be uniform in quality and condition, sound, and free from foreign materials and from imperfections detrimental to usage of the sheet.

3.5 Tolerances

Shall conform to all applicable requirements of ANSI H35.2 or ANSI H35.2M.

3.6 Exceptions

Any exceptions shall be authorized by purchaser and reported as in 4.4.1.

4. QUALITY ASSURANCE PROVISIONS

4.1 Responsibility for Inspection

The producer of sheet shall supply all samples for producer's tests and shall be responsible for the performance of all required tests. Purchaser reserves the right to sample and to perform any confirmatory testing deemed necessary to ensure that the sheet conforms to specified requirements.

4.2 Classification of Tests

All technical requirements of this specification are acceptance tests and, except for composition, shall be performed on each inspection lot.

4.3 Sampling and Testing

Shall be in accordance with AMS2355.

4.4 Reports

The producer of the product shall furnish with each shipment a report stating that the product conforms to the composition, tolerances and showing the numerical results of tests on each inspection lot to determine conformance to the other technical requirements. This report shall include the purchase order number, inspection lot number(s), AMS4216C, size, and quantity. The report shall also identify the producer, the product form, and the size of the mill product.

4.4.1 When material produced to this specification has exceptions authorized by purchaser taken to the technical requirements listed in Section 3, the report shall contain a statement "This material is certified as AMS4216C(EXC) because of the following exceptions:" and the specific exceptions shall be listed.

4.5 Resampling and Retesting

Shall be in accordance with AMS2355.