

# Rhenium, Annealed | MECHANICAL AND PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

|                               | Metric               | English                   |
|-------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>Physical Properties</b>    |                      |                           |
| Density                       | 21.03 g/cc           | 0.7598 lb/in <sup>3</sup> |
| Molar mass                    | 186.207 g/mol        |                           |
| Melting Point                 | 3,182°C              | 5,759°F                   |
| Boiling Point                 | 5,597°C              | 10,110°F                  |
| <b>Chemical Properties</b>    |                      |                           |
| Atomic Number                 | 75                   | 75                        |
| Thermal Neutron Cross Section | 86 barns/atom        | 86 barns/atom             |
| X-ray Absorption Edge         | 0.17311 Å            | 0.17311 Å                 |
|                               | 0.99009 Å            | 0.99009 Å                 |
|                               | 1.03645 Å            | 1.03645 Å                 |
|                               | 1.1772 Å             | 1.1772 Å                  |
| Electronegativity             | 1.9                  | 1.9                       |
| Ionic Radius                  | 0.560 Å              | 0.560 Å                   |
|                               | 0.720 Å              | 0.720 Å                   |
| <b>Mechanical Properties</b>  |                      |                           |
| Hardness, Brinell             | 165                  | 165                       |
| Hardness, Rockwell A          | 52                   | 52                        |
| Hardness, Rockwell B          | 85                   | 85                        |
| Hardness, Vickers             | 170                  | 170                       |
| Tensile Strength, Ultimate    | 1070 MPa             | 155000 psi                |
|                               | 410 MPa              | 59500 psi                 |
|                               | @Temperature 1200 °C | @Temperature 2190 °F      |
|                               | 620 MPa              | 89900 psi                 |
|                               | @Temperature 800 °C  | @Temperature 1470 °F      |
| Tensile Strength, Yield       | 290 MPa              | 42100 psi                 |
| Elongation at Break           | 15 - 25 %            | 15 - 25 %                 |
| Modulus of Elasticity         | 469 GPa              | 68000 ksi                 |
| Poissons Ratio                | 0.296                | 0.296                     |
| Shear Modulus                 | 176 GPa              | 25500 ksi                 |

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| Electrical Properties                     |                      |                                   |
|---|----------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Electrical Resistivity                    | 0.0000193 ohm-cm     | 0.0000193 ohm-cm                  |
|   | @Temperature 20.0 °C | @Temperature 68.0 °F              |
|   | 0.0000254 ohm-cm     | 0.0000254 ohm-cm                  |
|   | @Temperature 100 °C  | @Temperature 212 °F               |
|   | 0.0000400 ohm-cm     | 0.0000400 ohm-cm                  |
|   | @Temperature 300 °C  | @Temperature 572 °F               |
|   | 0.0000526 ohm-cm     | 0.0000526 ohm-cm                  |
|   | @Temperature 500 °C  | @Temperature 932 °F               |
|   | 0.0000630 ohm-cm     | 0.0000630 ohm-cm                  |
|   | @Temperature 700 °C  | @Temperature 1290 °F              |
|   | 0.0000725 ohm-cm     | 0.0000725 ohm-cm                  |
|   | @Temperature 900 °C  | @Temperature 1650 °F              |
|   | 0.0000805 ohm-cm     | 0.0000805 ohm-cm                  |
|   | @Temperature 1100 °C | @Temperature 2010 °F              |
|   | 0.0000870 ohm-cm     | 0.0000870 ohm-cm                  |
|   | @Temperature 1300 °C | @Temperature 2370 °F              |
|   | 0.0000930 ohm-cm     | 0.0000930 ohm-cm                  |
|   | @Temperature 1500 °C | @Temperature 2730 °F              |
|   | 0.0000985 ohm-cm     | 0.0000985 ohm-cm                  |
|   | @Temperature 1700 °C | @Temperature 3090 °F              |
|   | 0.000103 ohm-cm      | 0.000103 ohm-cm                   |
|   | @Temperature 1900 °C | @Temperature 3450 °F              |
|   | 0.0001065 ohm-cm     | 0.0001065 ohm-cm                  |
|   | @Temperature 2100 °C | @Temperature 3810 °F              |
|   | 0.000109 ohm-cm      | 0.000109 ohm-cm                   |
|   | @Temperature 2300 °C | @Temperature 4170 °F              |
| Magnetic Susceptibility                   | 3.63E-07             | 3.63E-07                          |
| Critical Magnetic Field Strength, Oersted | 195 – 205            | 195 – 205                         |
| Critical Superconducting Temperature      | 1.691 – 1.703 K      | 1.691 – 1.703 K                   |
| Thermal Properties                        |                      |                                   |
| Heat of Fusion                            | 178 J/g              | 76.6 BTU/lb                       |
| CTE, linear                               | 6.12 µm/m-°C         | 3.40 µin/in-°F                    |
|   | @Temperature 500 °C  | @Temperature 932 °F               |
|   | 6.20 µm/m-°C         | 3.44 µin/in-°F                    |
|   | @Temperature 20.0 °C | @Temperature 68.0 °F              |
|   | 6.20 µm/m-°C         | 3.44 µin/in-°F                    |
|   | @Temperature 250 °C  | @Temperature 482 °F               |
|   | 6.65 µm/m-°C         | 3.69 µin/in-°F                    |
|   | @Temperature 1000 °C | @Temperature 1830 °F              |
| Specific Heat Capacity                    | 0.134 J/g-°C         | 0.0320 BTU/lb-°F                  |
|   | @Temperature 500 °C  | @Temperature 932 °F               |
|   | 0.138 J/g-°C         | 0.0330 BTU/lb-°F                  |
|   | @Temperature 25.0 °C | @Temperature 77.0 °F              |
|   | 0.150 J/g-°C         | 0.0359 BTU/lb-°F                  |
|   | @Temperature 1000 °C | @Temperature 1830 °F              |
|   | 0.161 J/g-°C         | 0.0385 BTU/lb-°F                  |
|   | @Temperature 1000 °C | @Temperature 1830 °F              |
|   | 0.177 J/g-°C         | 0.0423 BTU/lb-°F                  |
|   | @Temperature 1500 °C | @Temperature 2730 °F              |
|   | 0.199 J/g-°C         | 0.0476 BTU/lb-°F                  |
|   | @Temperature 2000 °C | @Temperature 3630 °F              |
| Thermal Conductivity                      | 39.6 W/m-K           | 275 BTU-in/hr-ft <sup>2</sup> -°F |
| Melting Point                             | 3180 °C              | 5760 °F                           |
| Maximum Service Temperature, Inert        | 2380 °C              | 4320 °F                           |