



High Alloy Steel ASTM A743 Gr. CF8

Standard Specification for Castings, Austenitic, for Pressure-Containing Parts

MATERIAL DATASHEET

GROUP
Ferrous Stainless Steel Alloys**SUB GROUP**
ASTM A743 / A743M**INDUSTRY**
Investment Casting

This classic austenitic chromium-nickel casting grade delivers well-rounded corrosion resistance and solid mechanical properties across a broad spectrum of industrial environments, serving as the cast equivalent of widely used 304 stainless steel. Its balanced chromium content of 18-21% and controlled nickel levels provide dependable resistance to oxidizing acids, atmospheric corrosion, and general chemical attack encountered in food processing, petrochemical, and general engineering industries. Solution annealing produces a stable, uniform austenitic microstructure, making it one of the most versatile and globally recognized grades for corrosion-resistant general-application castings.



CHEMICAL COMPOSITION

ELEMENT	SYMBOL	COMPOSITION
Carbon	C %	0.080 max.
Silicon	Si %	2.000 max.
Manganese	Mn %	1.500 max.
Phosphorus	P %	0.040 max.
Sulphur	S %	0.040 max.
Chromium	Cr %	18.000 - 21.000
Nickel	Ni %	8.000 - 11.000
Iron	Fe %	Balance



MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS

Tensile Strength **485**
Minimum Value MPa**Yield Strength** **205**
Minimum Value MPa**Elongation** **35**
Minimum Value %**HEAT TREATMENT**
Solution Annealing

INDUSTRY APPLICATIONS

API process valves



Refinery pumps



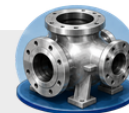
Chemical process equipment



Industrial piping



Corrosion-resistant castings



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