# 2124 Aluminium

## **Technical Datasheet**

# **High Strength Aluminium Alloy**

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# **Applications**

- Moderately elevated temperature applications
- Wing skins
- Use in high performance military aircraft
- Fuselage bulkheads

# **Product Description**

2124 Aluminium Alloy is a higher purity form of 2024 and was developed specifically for elevated temperature applications. The aerospace sector is a primary market for this alloy as fracture toughness of the material is guaranteed, and can be used in critical components such as the fuselage and wings. The fracture toughness of the material is superior to 2024. This alloy is also recommended for applications requiring improved shorttransverse ductility,

# **Key features:**

- Guaranteed fracture toughness
- Good strength retention
- Good creep resistance
- Fracture toughness higher than 2024

# Related Material Specifications

- AMS 4221
- ASTM B209
- QQ A-250/29
- QQ A250/9

### Corrosion Resistance

Resistance to atmospheric attack is poor. Excellent exfoliation corrosion resistance.

## **Availability**

Sheet, plate

# Machinability

Good

Chemical Composition (weight %)											
Weight (%)	Si	Fe	Cu	Mn	Mg	Cr	Zn	Ti	Al	Others	
min.			3.80	0.30	1.20					0.05	
max.	0.20	0.30	4.90	0.90	1.80	0.10	0.25	0.15	Bal	0.15	

Mechanical Properties								
Thickness	Tensile Strength	Yield Strength	Elongation					
(in.)	(ksi)	(ksi)	%					
1.001-2.00	66	57	5					
5.001-6.00	63	54	4					

### **Technical Assistance**

Our knowledgeable staff backed up by our resident team of qualified metallurgists and engineers, will be pleased to assist further on any technical topic.

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