# **Technical Datasheet**



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# **Typical Applications**

- Valve seats
- Marine hardware
- Thrust washers
- Worm gears
- High strength fasteners Heavy duty bushes & bearings
- Pump components
- Engine components

### **Product Description**

CA104 is one of the most commonly used aluminium bronzes and is known for its excellent resistance to corrosion and erosion in seawater as well as other chloride containing environments. It is the wrought version of the 10/5/5 aluminium bronze and is usually compared with BS1400 AB2 when a cast alternative is acceptable. CA104 is also known for its high strength and excellent shock and wear resistance whilst being able to retain its properties at cryogenic temperatures.

#### Weldability

Good.

# Related material specifications

CW307G

• BS B23

DTD197A

#### **Key features**

- Excellent corrosion and erosion resistance
- Good strength & toughness
- Excellent retention of properties at cryogenic temperatures
- Good resistance to shock loading
- High wear & abrasion resistance
- Good galling resistance

#### **Availability**

Round bar, hexagon, flat bar.

## Cut to size capability

There are thirty power saws within the Smiths group including a fully automated magazine feed CNC rod blanking line. We can economically cut from one off blanks to the largest production run for immediate or just in time deliveries.

#### **Corrosion Resistance**

Excellent

## Machinability

Good /fair.

Chemical Composition (weight %)						
	Cu	Al	Ni	Fe	Mn	Total Impurities
min	Rem	8.50	4.00	4.00		
max	Rem	11.00	5.50	5.00	0.50	0.50

#### **Mechanical Properties** Diameter 6-18mm incl. >18-80mm incl. >80-100mm >100mm (4") **UTS** 700 N/mm<sup>2</sup> 700 N/mm<sup>2</sup> 695 N/mm<sup>2</sup> 650 N/mm<sup>2</sup> 0.2% Proof Strength 320 N/mm<sup>2</sup> 400 N/mm<sup>2</sup> 385 N/mm<sup>2</sup> 385 N/mm<sup>2</sup> 0.1% Proof Strength 385 N/mm<sup>2</sup> 385 N/mm<sup>2</sup> 385 N/mm<sup>2</sup> 310 N/mm<sup>2</sup> Elongation 15% 15% 15% 15% Hardness 188-268 or 179-255

#### **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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