#### **Nickel Chromium Alloy**



# **Typical Applications**

- Heat exchangers
- Furnaces
- Exhaust liners for aircraft
- Nuclear reactor components
- Production of caustic alkalis
- Chemical and food processing equipment
- Condensers
- Evaporator tubes

## **Product Description**

Alloy 600 is popular engineering material for applications where resistance to both heat and corrosion is required. The excellent mechanical properties of the alloy give this material high strength and good workability. Corrosion resistance is good, especially in alkaline environments, and can be used in both cryogenic and elevated temperature service.

#### Availability

Bar, tube, strip, plate, sheet

## **Material Specifications**

- For use in applications from cryogenic to elevated temperatures in the range of 1093 °C
- Good corrosion resistance
- Excellent toughness at sub-zero temperatures
- Good workability combined with high strength

#### **Corrosion Resistance**

Alloy 600 is resistant to a wide range of corrosives. The alloy provides excellent resistance to alkaline solutions and fair resistance to strongly oxidised acid solutions. It is particularly resistance to attack by dry chlorine or hydrogen chloride, even at temperatures up to 650°C.

## Weldability

Can be joined by standard resistance and fusion welding processes used for stainless steels.

#### **Heat Treatment**

Alloy 600 is not hardenable by heat treatment.

Chemical Composition (weight %)									
	Ni	Cr	Fe	С	Mn	Si	Cu	S	
Min	72.0	14.0	6.0						
Max	-	17.0	10.0	0.15	1.0	0.50	0.50	0.015	

Mechanical Properties								
Alloy and Condition	Tensile Strength		0.2% Yield	Strength	Elongation A5	Brinell Hardness		
	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	ksi	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	ksi	%	HB		
Alloy 600 annealed	550	80	240	35	30	≤195		

# **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.

UK Service Centre	es:		Quality & Testing:		
Smiths Belfast Smiths Biggleswade Smiths Birmingham Smiths Bristol Smiths Chelmsford Smiths Gateshead Smiths Horsham	02895 908 897 2 01767 604 704 0 0121 728 4940 0 117 971 2800 0 1245 466 664 0 191 469 5428 0 1403 261 981	Smiths Leeds Smiths Manchester Smiths Norwich Smiths Nottingham Smiths Redruth Smiths Verwood Main Office	0113 307 5167 0161 794 8650 01603 789 878 0115 925 4801 01209 315 512 01202 824 347 0845 527 3331	ISO 9001 Quality Management Systems CERTIFIED	UKAS UKAS TESTING 1930 nfo@smithmetal.com

All information in our data sheet is based on approximate testing and is stated to the best of our knowledge and belief. It is presented apart from contractual obligations and does not constitute any guarantee of properties or of processing or application possibilities in individual cases. Our warranties and liabilities are stated exclusively in our terms of trading. © Smiths Metal Centres 2023