Hardenable Copper Alloys for Tooling Industry From prototype to serial production

Vacuum brazing technology for customized material combinations

Vacuum Brazing&Hardening Additive Manufacturing Electron Beam Welding CNC-Machining Engineering







Sophisticated temperature management by use of hardenable copper alloys

Competence:

Listemann Technology AG is a leading service-contractor in Europe in the field of joining technology, especially vacuum brazing. By means of a newly developed heat treatment process tool components can be joined consisting of high-strength copper alloys **and** a tool steel.

Customer benefit:

Application oriented use of materials where it has to be used. High-strength, hardenable copper alloys with maximum thermal conductivity are combined with wear resistant tool steels. Leak tight components with a heat resistant metallurgical joint realized by vacuum brazing.

Material combinations and Rockwell hardness (after joining process):

- K220 with1.2714;180-200 HB / 46-51 HRC
- K220 with1.2767;180-200 HB / ca. 45 HRC

Services:

- Brazing specific support during design phase
- vacuum brazing and hardening of the tool inserts
- consultation and training on site

Hardened, high-strength, high-thermal conductive copper alloys can be combined with tool steels by vacuum brazing, with a minimum loss in hardness of the copper alloy.



Comparison	Mechanical properties at 20°C			Physical properties at 20°C	
pure copper	Brinell hardness		Tensile Strength	Thermal conductivity	CTE
with	[HB]		[MPa]	[W/m⋅K]	[10 ⁻⁶ /K]
Hovadur®	as delivered	after brazing	as delivered		
Copper (ECu58)	45-70	weich	200-250	350-370	16,5
Hovadur [®] K220	220	180-200	650-800	190-240	16,2





Intelligence + quality for moulds and dies

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