

The king of corrosion, Tantalum fasteners exceed the resistance of zirconium and nickel alloys in the harshest environments. Tantalum is immune to numerous acids and chemicals, offering the resistance of glass, but with the mechanical properties of metal. Tantalum screws also offer high purity, radiopaque and biocompatibility attributes. Though they provide extreme high temperature stability in vacuum environments, tantalum bolts can become brittle in oxygen above 250°C.

#### Properties

| Ultimate Tensile Strength | 50 ksi Alloyed           |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|
|                           | 40 ksi Commercially Pure |
| Yield Strength at 0.2%    | 35 ksi Alloyed           |
|                           | 25 ksi Commercially Pure |
| Elongation %              | 25 Alloyed               |
|                           | 50 Commercially Pure     |
| Usable Temperature Limit  | 572°F / 300°C Air        |
|                           | 3600°F / 2000°C Vacuum   |

## **Chemistry & Specifications**

## Key Benefits

- The most extreme corrosion resistance

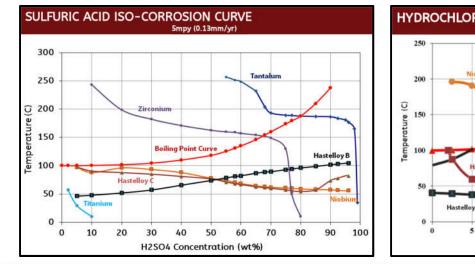
   far exceeding nickel alloys, zirconium and titanium.
- Inert to most acids and harsh chemicals
- Biocompatible and radiopaque
- Extreme high temperature stability in vacuum environments

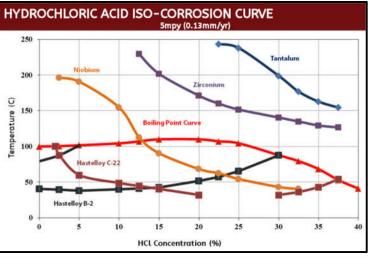
| Tantalum 2.5%W | Τα  | W   | Nb   | Мо    | 0     | Ti    | Ni    | Fe    | Ν     | С     | Si    | Н     |
|----------------|-----|-----|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Typical %      | Bal | 2.5 | 0.50 | 0.020 | 0.015 | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.005 | 0.002 |

| Tantalum (CP) | Τα     | Nb    | W     | Мо    | 0     | Ti    | Ni    | Fe    | Ν     | С     | Si    | Н     |
|---------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Max %         | >99.95 | 0.100 | 0.050 | 0.020 | 0.015 | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.010 |

SPECIFICATIONS: UNS R05252 (Alloyed Tantalum with 2.5% Tungsten: Ta-2.5W); UNS R05200 (Commercially Pure)

### **Material Data**





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