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METALLIC POWDERS FOR ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING
POLVERI METALLICHE PER ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING

OLEGOR[®]

Founded in 1979, today Legor Group is a multinational company from Vicenza [Italy], run by Massimo Poliero, son of the founder Gianni, specialized in metallurgy and chemicals for the fashion, jewelry and industrial sectors.

Structured in business units, the company provides to its Clients all the advantages of a multidisciplinary approach in the metals transformation process: from the research and production of alloys, to the design and production of a wide variety of plating solutions.

For several years this specialization has been guaranteeing to the Group the leadership over the supply of gold alloys: more than 40% of the gold jewelry in the world is produced with Legor alloys; it is also the first supplier for casting alloys of brass and bronze for the Fashion Industry.

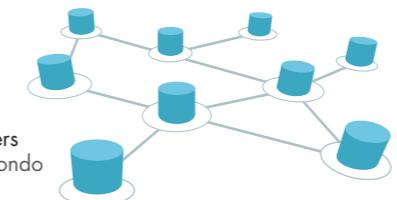
For a widespread service to its Partners, Legor Group is present in the world with a consolidated network of dealers and 6 direct branches in Turkey, Russia, Thailand, Hong Kong, China and the USA.

Legor Group has always lived for innovation and the development of new internal processes and services, into the long-experienced metallurgy and chemical worlds. For this reason the metallic powders business unit for SLM or ESF technology was born, under the POWMET brand.

LEGOR NUMBERS

7
Branches
Filiali

50
Worldwide dealers
Rivenditori nel mondo



40%

Worldwide gold jewels produced with LEGOR alloys / Gioielli in oro nel mondo prodotti con le leghe LEGOR

10%

Worldwide jewels and fashion accessory items treated with LEGOR plating solutions / Gioielli e accessori moda nel mondo trattati con soluzioni galvaniche LEGOR



170+
Group Employees
Collaboratori del Gruppo

MASTER ALLOY

Product lines dedicated to the transformation of metal from a raw material to a finished product. ■ Linee di prodotto dedicate alla trasformazione del metallo da materia prima a prodotto finito.



Quality selection of professional tools and consumables for goldsmiths and silversmiths. A Legor Group S.p.A. brand.
La miglior selezione di utensili professionali e materiali di consumo per orafi e argentieri. Brand di Legor Group S.p.A.

PLATING

Processes for jewellery surface coating for both protection and decoration. ■ Processi galvanici per il rivestimento superficiale dei metalli sia a fini protettivi sia a fini decorativi.



THE LEGOR LAB

RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT

Thanks to its internal laboratory, equipped with advanced technologies and highly specialized technicians, Legor Group endorses its Clients in the development of the production processes, to guarantee superior quality results.

Legor Group laboratory also provides the following **analysis services**: Granulometric distribution, Morphology, Chemical composition, O/N elemental analysis, C/S elemental analysis, Flowability, Apparent density, Tap density, Melting point, Color measurement, Microhardness, Roughness, Porosity, Bulk density, Mechanical test.

TECHNOLOGIES

- SEM/EDX, scanning electron microscope with microanalysis probe
- ICP-OES inductively coupled plasma optical emission spectrometer
- TG/DTA for thermal and gravimetric analysis
- Titrator for potentiometric determination of silver in compliance with the UNI EN 314227:1997 standard
- Vickers microdurometer
- Tensile test machine
- Facilities for metallographic preparation
- Metallographic microscopes
- Spectrophotometer for colorimetric analyses
- Elementary analysers for determination of single elements (O, N, C, S)
- Climatic chambers for corrosion resistance tests
- Laser granulometer for determining granulometric profile of powders



RICERCA & SVILUPPO

Con il supporto di un laboratorio dotato di tecnologie sofisticate e tecnici altamente specializzati, Legor Group affianca attivamente i suoi Clienti nella messa a punto dei loro processi produttivi, per prodotti di qualità superiore.

Il laboratorio LEGOR GROUP offre inoltre i seguenti **servizi di analisi**: Distribuzione granulometrica, Morfologia, Composizione chimica, Analisi elementare O/N, Analisi elementare C/S, Scorrivolezza, Densità apparente, Densità Tap, Punto di fusione, Misura colore, Microdurezza, Rugosità, Porosità, Densità bulk, Test meccanici.

TECNOLOGIE

- SEM/EDX, microscopio elettronico a scansione con sonda per microanalisi
- ICP-OES, spettrometro ad emissione ottica con plasma ad accoppiamento induttivo
- TG/DTA per analisi termiche e gravimetriche
- Titolatore per la determinazione potenziometrica dell'argento secondo la norma UNI EN 314227:1997
- Microdurometro Vickers
- Banco per prove di trazione
- Facilities per preparazione metallografica
- Microscopi metallografici
- Spettrofotometro per analisi colorimetriche
- Analizzatori elementari per la determinazione di singoli elementi (O, N, C, S)
- Camere climatiche per test di resistenza alla corrosione
- Granulometro laser per la determinazione del profilo granulometrico di polveri

Powmet[®], THE LINE

Ultrapure metallic powders with a guaranteed title and extra-fine and homogenous particle size, specifically developed for additive manufacturing processes (3d print).

POWMET line powders are atomized via an exclusive process which allows to obtain perfectly spherical particles with uniform chemical composition and low impurities content. They are sieved to obtain a precise granulometric distribution suitable to maximize the material performance during the production process.

Thanks to investments in large-scale machineries and a proven expertise in metallurgy and in the production processes, Legor Group is able to cope with any requirements, guaranteeing constant quality in both small and large quantities.

Powders belonging to POWMET are: precious powders at title of platinum alloy, gold alloy and silver alloy; non-precious powders of copper, bronze, brass and steel.



POWMET ADDED VALUE

Using POWMET powders for additive manufacturing processes guarantees quality standards comparable to those obtained by using Legor Group's MASTER ALLOY products for the traditional production technics, such as microfusion and mechanical work.

Choosing POWMET for additive manufacturing means:

- more freedom in the product design and customizations
- time-to-market reduction
- easier prototyping stage
- easier process in case of small quantities/batches production

Polveri purissime con titolo garantito e granulometria finissima e omogenea, studiate appositamente per i processi di additive manufacturing (STAMPA 3D).

Le polveri della linea POWMET vengono prodotte con un esclusivo processo di atomizzazione per ottenere particelle perfettamente sferiche con una composizione chimica omogenea e un basso tenore di impurezze. La polvere viene vagliata per garantire una distribuzione granulometrica tale da massimizzare la performance del materiale durante il processo produttivo.

Grazie a importanti investimenti in macchinari su larga scala e alla lunga esperienza in metallurgia e nei processi produttivi, LEGOR GROUP è in grado di far fronte a qualsiasi fabbisogno e di garantire qualità costante sia nei piccoli sia nei grandi quantitativi.

Fanno parte della linea POWMET le polveri preziose a titolo in lega di platino, lega d'oro e lega d'argento, le polveri non preziose di rame, bronzo, ottone e acciaio.

IL VALORE AGGIUNTO DI POWMET

L'utilizzo delle polveri POWMET in processi di additive manufacturing garantisce una qualità paragonabile a quella ottenuta con l'utilizzo dei prodotti MASTER ALLOY di Legor Group nelle tecniche di produzione tradizionali, quali microfusione e lavorazione meccanica.

Scegliere POWMET per l'additive manufacturing si traduce in:

- maggiore libertà nel design di prodotto e nella personalizzazione
- riduzione del time-to-market
- semplificazione della fase di prototipazione
- semplificazione del processo in caso di produzione di piccole quantità e/o lotti



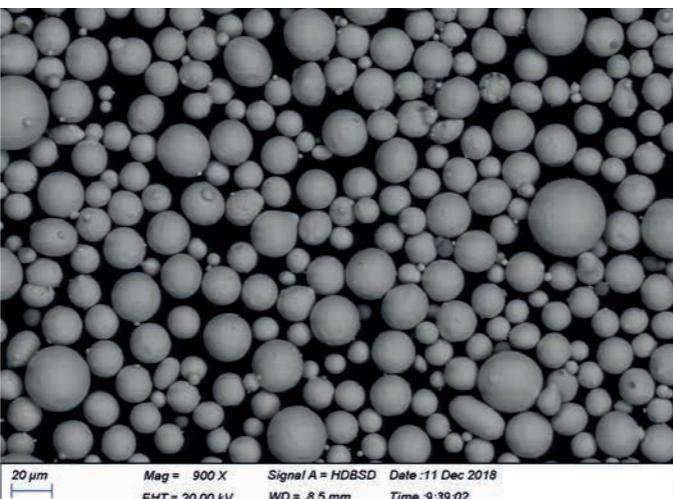
PM-AU999P, PURE GOLD POWDER

Powmet 999‰ (24 KT) GOLD powder, -30+10µm

Technical datasheet

PM-AU999P is a gas atomized gold alloy powder at title 999‰ (24 Kt), specifically developed for laser melting applications. PM-AU999P is carefully prepared by using high purity gold (99.99%) and through a special atomizing process, which guarantees spherical powder particle geometry and maximized powder quality. Composition and size distribution (-30+10µm) have been designed to maximize energetic absorption from laser beam during the laser melting process. PM-AU999P can be used with success in all the laser melting machines. The powder offers excellent flowability; the as cast items produced are clean from oxide scales. It has extremely high shininess and lustrous color after finishing.

Powder Type	
Material	Metallic Powder
Typology	Gold-based
Production	Gas-atomization
Nominal size	-30+10µm
Morphology	Spherical
Color	Gold
Application	Add. Manuf.



Scanning electron microscopy (SEM) image of the powder (SE, 900x).

Chemical Composition (%wt.)	
Au	99.9

Size Distribution	
d_{10} (µm)	approx. 10
d_{50} (µm)	approx. 21.4
d_{90} (µm)	approx. 34.5

Physical Properties	
Bulk density (g/cm³)	NC
App. Density (g/cm³)	---
Tap. Density (g/cm³)	---
Flowability (sec./50g)	---

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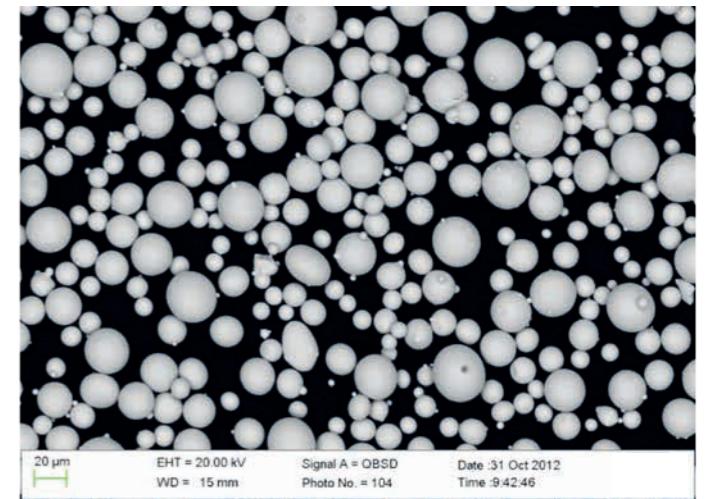
PM-AU131P

Powmet 750‰ (18 KT) WHITE GOLD (Ni-free) powder, -30+10µm

Technical datasheet

PM-AU131P is a gas atomized white gold alloy powder at title 750‰ (18 Kt), specifically developed for laser melting applications. PM-AU131P is carefully prepared by using high purity gold (99.99%) and through a special atomizing process, that guarantees spherical powder particle geometry and maximizing the powder quality. Composition and size distribution (-30+10µm) have been designed to maximize energetic absorption from laser beam during the laser melting process. PM-AU131P can be used with success in all the laser melting machines. The powder offers excellent flowability; the as cast items produced are clean from oxide scales. It has extremely high shininess and lustrous color after finishing.

Powder Type	
Material	Metallic Powder
Typology	Gold-based
Production	Gas-atomization
Nominal size	-30+10µm
Morphology	Spherical
Color	White
Application	Add. Manuf.



Scanning electron microscopy (SEM) image of the powder (SE, 600x).

Chemical Composition (%wt.)	
Au	75.0
Cu	9.5
Pd	15.5

Physical Properties	
Bulk density (g/cm³)	15.80
App. Density (g/cm³)	approx. 7.5
Tap. Density (g/cm³)	approx. 9.2
Flowability (sec./50g)	---

Size Distribution	
d_{10} (µm)	approx. 10
d_{50} (µm)	approx. 21.4
d_{90} (µm)	approx. 34.5

Physical Properties	
Bulk density (g/cm³)	15.80
App. Density (g/cm³)	approx. 7.5
Tap. Density (g/cm³)	approx. 9.2
Flowability (sec./50g)	---

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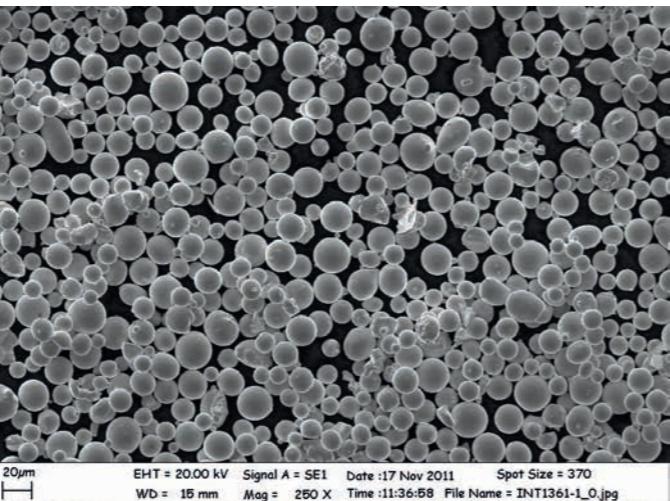
PM-AU101P, 3N GOLD POWDER

Powmet 750‰ (18 KT) 3N GOLD (Ni-free) powder, -30+10µ

Technical datasheet

PM-AU101P is a gas atomized gold alloy powder at title 750‰ (18 Kt), specifically developed for laser melting applications. PM-AU101P is carefully prepared by using high purity gold (99.99%) and through a special atomizing process, that guarantees spherical powder particle geometry and maximizing the powder quality. Composition and size distribution (-30+10µm) have been designed to maximize energetic absorption from laser beam during the laser melting process. PM-AU101P can be used with success in all the laser melting machines. The powder offers excellent flowability; the as cast items produced are clean from oxide scales. It has extremely high shininess and lustrous color after finishing.

Powder Type	
Material	Metallic Powder
Typology	Gold-based
Production	Gas-atomization
Nominal size	-30+10µm
Morphology	Spherical
Color	3N Gold
Application	Add. Manuf.



Scanning electron microscopy (SEM) image of the powder (SE, 250x).

Chemical Composition (%wt.)	
Au	75.0
Others	25.0

Physical Properties	
Bulk density (g/cm³)	15.20
App. Density (g/cm³)	approx. 9.34
Tap. Density (g/cm³)	---
Flowability (sec./50g)	---

Size Distribution	
d_{10} (µm)	---
d_{50} (µm)	---
d_{90} (µm)	---

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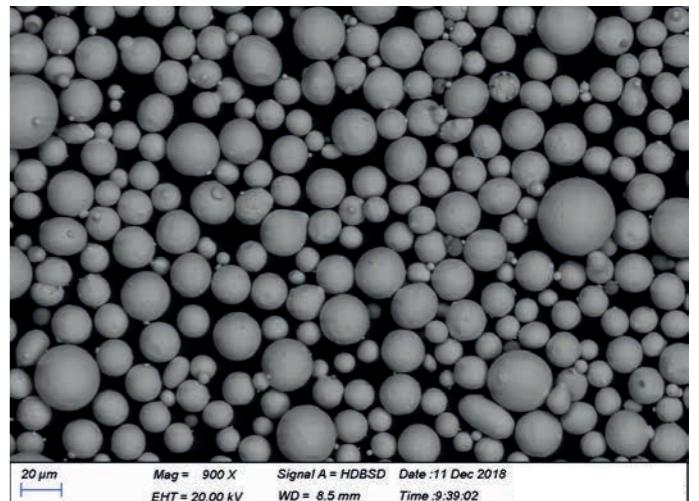
PM-AU105P, 5N GOLD POWDER

Powmet 750‰ (18 KT) 5N GOLD powder, -30+10µ

Technical datasheet

PM-AU105P is a gas atomized gold alloy powder at title 750‰ (18 Kt), specifically developed for laser melting applications. PM-AU105P is carefully prepared by using high purity gold (99.99%) and through a special atomizing process, that guarantees spherical powder particle geometry and maximizing the powder quality. Composition and size distribution (-30+10µm) have been designed to maximize energetic absorption from laser beam during the laser melting process. PM-AU105P can be used with success in all the laser melting machines. The powder offers excellent flowability; the as cast items produced are clean from oxide scales. It has extremely high shininess and lustrous color after finishing.

Powder Type	
Material	Metallic Powder
Typology	Gold-based
Production	Gas-atomization
Nominal size	-30+10µm
Morphology	Spherical
Color	5N Gold
Application	Add. Manuf.



Scanning electron microscopy (SEM) image of the powder (SE, 250x).

Chemical Composition (%wt.)	
Au	75.0
Cu	21.0
Ag	4

Physical Properties	
Bulk density (g/cm³)	15.25
App. Density (g/cm³)	approx. 9.34
Tap. Density (g/cm³)	---
Flowability (sec./50g)	---

Size Distribution	
d_{10} (µm)	approx. 15
d_{50} (µm)	approx. 25
d_{90} (µm)	approx. 40

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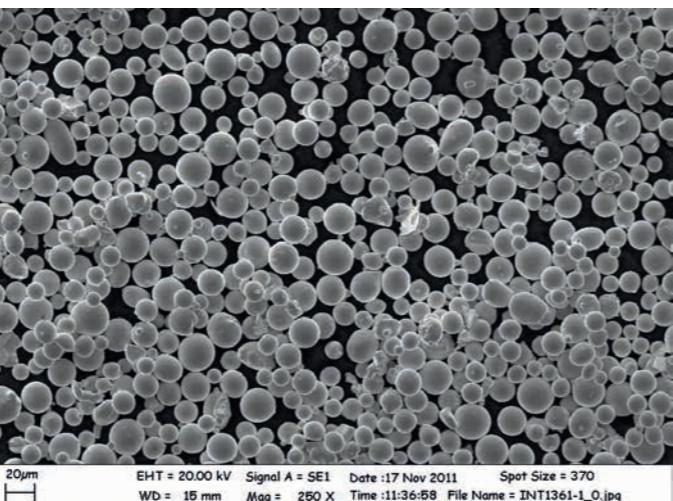
PM-PT101P

Powmet Platinum Powder 950/1000 For Plm, -53+10µ Particle Size

Technical datasheet

PM-PT101P is a gas atomized platinum alloy powder at title 950%, specifically developed for laser melting applications. PM-PT101P is carefully prepared by using high purity platinum (99.99%) and through a special atomizing process, that guarantees spherical powder particle geometry and maximizing the powder quality. Composition and size distribution (-53+10µm) have been designed to maximize energetic absorption from laser beam during the laser melting process. PM-PT101P can be used with success in all the laser melting machines. The powder offers excellent flowability; the as cast items produced are clean from oxide scales. It has extremely high shininess and lustrous color after finishing.

Powder Type	
Material	Metallic Powder
Typology	Platinum-based
Production	Gas-atomization
Nominal size	-53+10µm
Morphology	Spherical
Color	White
Application	Add. Manuf.



Scanning electron microscopy (SEM) image of the powder (SE, 250x).

Chemical Composition (%wt.)	
Pt	95.1
Gold	2.0
Other	2.9

Physical Properties	
Bulk density (g/cm³)	20,6
App. Density (g/cm³)	---
Vickers Hardness (HV)	205
Flowability (sec./50g)	---

Size Distribution	
d ₁₀ (µm)	---
d ₅₀ (µm)	---
d ₉₀ (µm)	---

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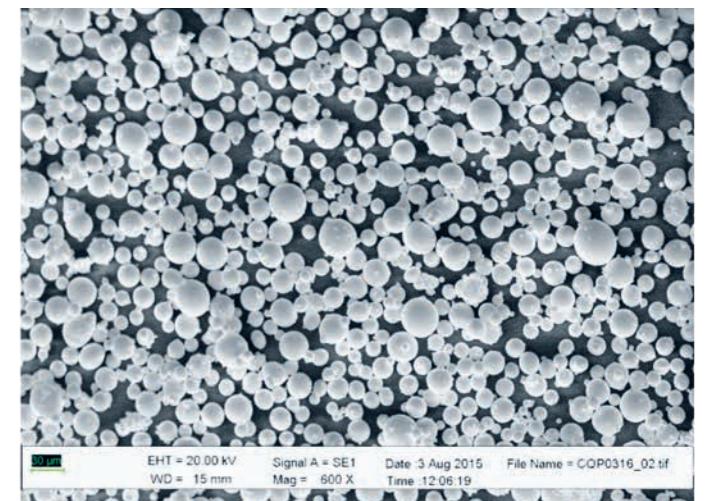
PM-AG101P

Powmet 925% silver powder, -40+10µ

Technical datasheet

PM-AG101P is a gas atomized silver alloy powder at title 925%, specifically developed for laser melting applications. PM-AG101P is carefully prepared by using high purity silver (99.99%) and through a special atomizing process, that guarantees spherical powder particle geometry and maximizing the powder quality. Composition and size distribution (-40+10µm) have been designed to maximize energetic absorption from laser beam during the laser melting process. PM-AG101P can be used with success in all the laser melting machines. The powder offers excellent flowability; the as cast items produced are clean from oxide scales; it has extremely high shininess and lustrous color after finishing.

Powder Type	
Material	Metallic Powder
Typology	AG 925
Production	Gas-atomization
Nominal size	-40+10µm
Morphology	Spherical
Color	Gray
Application	Add. Manuf.



Scanning electron microscopy (SEM) image of the powder (SE, 600x).

Chemical Composition (%wt.)	
Ag	93.0
Cu + Others	7.0

Physical Properties	
Bulk density (g/cm³)	10.40
App. Density (g/cm³)	approx. 5.0
Tap. Density (g/cm³)	approx. 5.9
Flowability (sec./50g)	---

Size Distribution	
d ₁₀ (µm)	---
d ₅₀ (µm)	---
d ₉₀ (µm)	---

Size Distribution	
d ₁₀ (µm)	approx. 16
d ₅₀ (µm)	approx. 25
d ₉₀ (µm)	approx. 39

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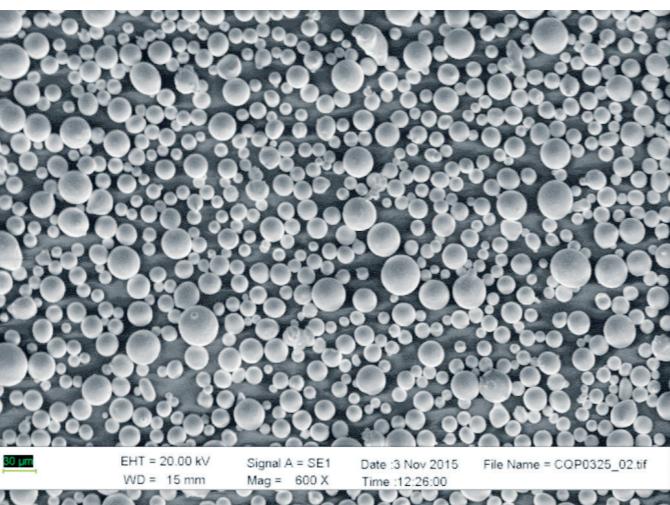
PM-BR101P

Powmet bronze 90/10 powder, -35+10µ

Technical datasheet

PM-BR101P is a gas atomized bronze powder (10% tin content), specifically developed for laser melting applications. PM-BR101P is carefully prepared by using a special atomizing process, that guarantees spherical powder particle geometry and maximizing the powder quality. Composition and size distribution (-35+10µm) have been designed to maximize energetic absorption from laser beam during the laser melting process. PM-BR101P can be used with success in all the laser melting machines. The powder offers excellent flowability; it has extremely high shininess and lustrous color after finishing. The alloy is not suitable for age-hardening.

Powder Type	
Material	Metallic Powder
Typology	Bronze
Production	Gas-atomization
Nominal size	-35+10µm
Morphology	Spherical
Color	Reddish
Application	Add. Manuf.



Chemical Composition (%wt.)	
Cu	90.0
Sn	10.0

Physical Properties	
Bulk density (g/cm³)	8.70
App. Density (g/cm³)	approx. 3.9
Tap. Density (g/cm³)	approx. 4.2
Flowability (sec./50g)	---

Size Distribution	
d ₁₀ (µm)	approx. 16
d ₅₀ (µm)	approx. 25
d ₉₀ (µm)	approx. 38

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PM-CU101P

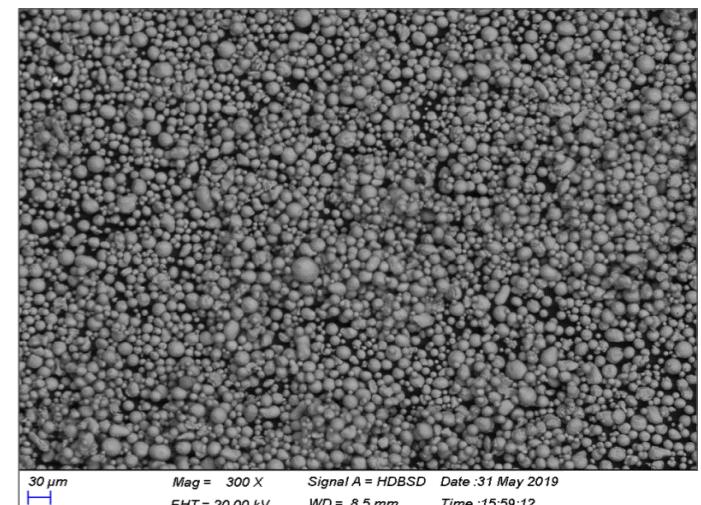
Powmet copper powder, -25+5µ

Technical datasheet

PM-CU101P is a gas atomized copper powder, specifically developed for laser melting applications. PM-CU101P is carefully prepared by using a special atomizing process, that guarantees spherical powder particle geometry and maximizing the powder quality. Composition and size distribution (-25+5µm) have been designed to maximize energetic absorption from laser beam during the laser melting process. PM-CU101P can be used with success in all the laser melting machines. The powder offers excellent flowability; it has extremely high shininess and lustrous color after finishing.

PM-CU101P è una polvere di rame atomizzata a gas, sviluppata specificatamente per le applicazioni laser. PM-CU101P è preparata attentamente attraverso un particolare processo di atomizzazione che garantisce la geometria sferica della particella di polvere, massimizzandone la qualità. Composizione e distribuzione (-25+5µm) sono state sviluppate per massimizzare l'assorbimento energetico dal raggio laser durante il processo di fusione. PM-CU101P può essere usata con successo in tutte le macchine per fusione laser. La polvere assicura un'eccellente fluidità; elevata brillantezza e colore lucido dopo la finitura.

Powder Type	
Material	Metallic Powder
Typology	Copper
Production	Gas-atomization
Nominal size	-25+5µm
Morphology	Spherical
Color	Reddish
Application	Add. Manuf.



Chemical Composition (%wt.)	
Cu	99.9

Physical Properties	
Bulk density (g/cm³)	8.70
App. Density (g/cm³)	approx. 4.42
Tap. Density (g/cm³)	approx. 5.30
Flowability (sec./50g)	---
Hausner ratio	1.20
Carr Index	16.67

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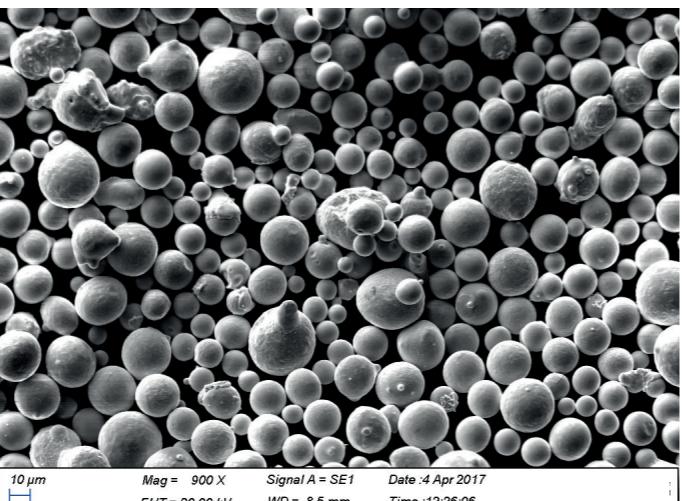
Powmet brass 60/40 powder, -40+10µ

Technical datasheet

2503010 is a gas atomized brass powder (40% zinc content), specifically developed for laser melting applications. 2503010 is carefully prepared by using a special atomizing process, that guarantees spherical powder particle geometry and maximizing the powder quality. Composition and size distribution (-40+10µm) have been designed to maximize energetic absorption from laser beam during the laser melting process. 2503010 can be used with success in all the laser melting machines. The powder offers excellent flowability; it has extremely high shininess and lustrous color after finishing.

Powder Type

Material	Metallic Powder
Typology	Brass
Production	Gas-atomization
Nominal size	-40+10µm
Morphology	Spherical
Color	Yellow
Application	Add. Manuf.



Chemical Composition (%wt.)

Cu	60.0
Zn	40.0

Physical Properties

Bulk density (g/cm³)	8.70
App. Density (g/cm³)	approx. 3.9
Tap. Density (g/cm³)	approx. 4.2
Flowability (sec./50g)	---

Size Distribution

d ₁₀ (µm)	approx. 12
d ₅₀ (µm)	approx. 21
d ₉₀ (µm)	approx. 36

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PM-ST101P

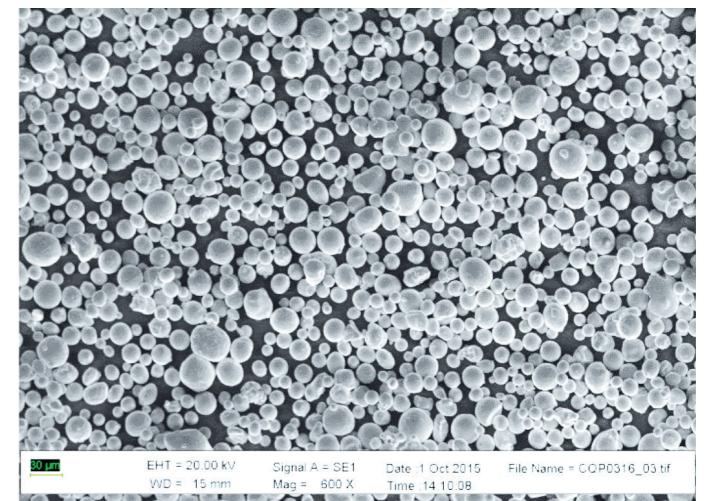
Powmet AISI 316L steel powder, -53+20µ

Technical datasheet

PM-ST101P is an austenitic stainless steel in form of powders with nominal particle size between 20 and 53µm. The product is generally used, by means of Selective Laser Melting process or comparable Additive Manufacturing technologies, for the production of components and functional parts which require high resistance to the oxidation and corrosion for mechanical and structural application. Due to the absence of cytotoxicity agents release, this alloy can find application also in the biomedical field, such as in the food and pharmaceutical sectors. The powder is carefully prepared by using a special atomizing process, that guarantees spherical powder particle geometry and maximizing the powder quality.

Powder Type

Material	Metallic Powder
Typology	AISI 316L
Production	Gas-atomization
Nominal size	-53+20µm
Morphology	Spherical
Color	Gray
Application	Add. Manuf.



Chemical Composition (%wt.)

Fe	Balance
Cr	16.0 – 18.0
Ni	11.0 – 14.0
Mo	2.0 – 3.0
Mn	< 2.0
Si	< 1.0
C	< 0.030

Physical Properties

Bulk density (g/cm³)	7.97
App. Density (g/cm³)	approx. 4.0
Tap. Density (g/cm³)	approx. 4.5
Flowability (sec./50g)	---

Size Distribution

d ₁₀ (µm)	approx. 28
d ₅₀ (µm)	approx. 38
d ₉₀ (µm)	approx. 52

All above reported data refer to the product in powder form and they are obtained using standard internal laboratory methods and procedures. All data could be subjected to changes without notice. I dati sopra riportati si riferiscono al prodotto sotto forma di polvere e sono ottenuti utilizzando metodi di laboratorio interni e procedure standard. Tutti i dati possono essere soggetti a modifiche senza preavviso.

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