

# Technical Data Sheet

# Ultrafuse® 17-4 PH

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## General information

### Components

17-4 PH stainless steel composite filament for Fused Filament Fabrication.

### Product Description

Ultrafuse® 17-4 PH is a filament for the production of metal components in 17-4 stainless steel on standard Fused Filament Fabrication (FFF) printers. This stainless steel can be fully heat treated to high levels of strength and hardness. It is therefore ideal for Petrochemistry, Aerospace, the Automotive and the Medical Industry. Parts printed with our metal-polymer composite filament Ultrafuse® 17-4 PH obtain their final properties through a catalytic debinding and sintering process known from traditional Metal Injection Molding.

### Delivery form and warehousing

Ultrafuse® 17-4 PH filament should be stored at 15 - 25°C in its originally sealed package in a clean and dry environment. If the recommended storage conditions are observed the products will have a minimum shelf life of 12 months.

### Product safety

Recommended: Process materials in a well ventilated room, or use professional extraction systems. For further and more detailed information please consult the corresponding material safety data sheets.

### For your information

Typical composition after sintering:

C %	Cr %	Ni %	Cu %	Nb %	Mn %	Si %	Fe %
≤ 0.07	15-17.5	3-5	3-5	0.15-0.45	≤ 1	≤ 1	Balance

Standards: DIN 1.4542, X 5 CrNiCuNb 17 4, AISI/UNS S17400 ; SAE J 467 (17-4PH)

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### Filament Properties

Filament Diameter	1.75 mm	2.85 mm
Diameter Tolerance	±0.050 mm	±0.1 mm
Roundness	±0.050 mm	±0.05 mm
Available Spool size	3.0 kg	3.0 kg
Available colors	natural	

### Spool Properties

Available Spool size	3.0 kg
Outer diameter	200 mm
Inner diameter	50.5 mm
width	55 mm

### Recommended 3D-Print processing parameters

### Used for test specimens

Printer	FFF printer	Ultimaker S5
Nozzle Temperature	230 – 250 °C / 446 – 482 °F	245 °C
Build Chamber Temperature	-	-
Bed Temperature	90 – 100 °C / 194 – 212 °F	100 °C
Bed Material	Glass + approved glues* / polyimide tape (*Magigoo® suggested)	Glass + Magigoo®
Nozzle Diameter	≥ 0.4 mm	0.4 mm
Print Speed	15 - 50 mm/s	25 mm/s

Please check your print profile availability for an easy start at [www.forward-am.com](http://www.forward-am.com).

### Further Recommendations

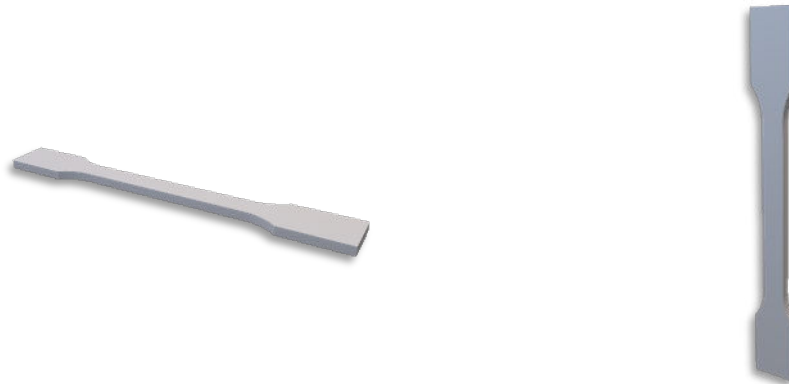
Drying recommendations to ensure printability	Ultrafuse® 17-4 PH is in a printable condition, drying is not necessary
Support material compatibility	Ultrafuse® Support Layer

### General Properties

### Standard

Sintered Part Density Ultrafuse® 17-4 PH	7600 kg/m <sup>3</sup> / 474.5 lb/ft <sup>3</sup>	ISO 3369
Sintered Part Density Catamold 17-4 PH	7650 kg/m <sup>3</sup> / 477.6 lb/ft <sup>3</sup>	ISO 3369

**Mechanical Properties | sintered**



Print direction	Standard	XY Flat		ZX Upright	
<b>Tensile strength</b>	<b>ISO 6892-1</b>				
Ultrafuse® 17-4 PH <sup>1</sup>		990 MPa / 143.6 ksi	1276 MPa / 185.1 ksi <sup>3</sup>	1004 MPa / 145.6 ksi	1319 MPa / 191.3 ksi <sup>3</sup>
Catamold 17-4PH (MIM)		1060 MPa / 153.7 ksi			
<b>Young's Modulus</b>	<b>ISO 6892-1</b>				
Ultrafuse® 17-4 PH <sup>1</sup>		191 MPa / 27.7 ksi	198 MPa / 28.7 ksi <sup>3</sup>	195 MPa / 28.3 ksi	202 MPa / 29.3 ksi <sup>3</sup>
Catamold 17-4PH (MIM)		-			
<b>Elongation at Break</b>	<b>ISO 6892-1</b>				
Ultrafuse® 17-4 PH <sup>1</sup>		4 %	6 % <sup>3</sup>	4 %	7 % <sup>3</sup>
Catamold 17-4PH (MIM)		3 %			
<b>Yield Strength, R<sub>p0.2</sub></b>	<b>ISO 6892-1</b>				
Ultrafuse® 17-4 PH <sup>1</sup>		756 MPa / 109.6 ksi	1109 MPa / 160.8 ksi <sup>3</sup>	764 MPa / 110.8 ksi	1136 MPa / 164.8 ksi <sup>3</sup>
Catamold 17-4PH (MIM)		750 MPa / 108.8 ksi			
<b>Vickers Hardness HV10</b>	<b>ISO 6507-1</b>				
Ultrafuse® 17-4 PH <sup>1</sup>		291	400 <sup>3</sup>	309	426 <sup>3</sup>
Catamold 17-4PH (MIM)		320			

Testing speed – 0,3 mm/min bis 2 % / 10 mm/min till end of the test

<sup>1</sup>milled specimen, specimen shape Form E2x6x20 according to DIN 50125

<sup>3</sup>H900 heat treatment: annealing at 1030°C for 50 min – gas quenching (Nitrogen) - aging at 482°C for 1 hour – air cooled