# Aluminium Alloy 5052 - H32 Sheet and Treadplate



#### **SPECIFICATIONS**

Commercial	5052
EN	5052

Aluminium alloy 5052 in H32 temper has very good corrosion resistance to seawater and marine and industrial atmosphere. It also has very good weldability and good cold formability. It is a medium to high strength alloy with a strength slightly higher than 5251 and a medium to high fatigue strength.

**Properties** 

Alloy 5052-H32 has a range of useful properties:

Decorative Finish

Hard Wearing

Non-Slip

Corrosion Resistant

Low Maintenance

Anti-Static

Light-weight

**Applications** 

Amongst the applications for Alloy 5052 are:

Treadplate

Boilermaking

Containers

Nameplates

Road Signs

Architectural Paneling

Welded Tubes

Chemical Industry

Irrigation

Desalination units

Pressure Vessels

Rivets

# CHEMICAL COMPOSITION

BS EN 573-3:2009 Alloy 5052	
Element	% Present
Magnesium (Mg)	2.20 - 2.80
Chromium (Cr)	0.15 - 0.35
Iron (Fe)	0.0 - 0.40
Silicon (Si)	0.0 - 0.25
Others (Total)	0.0 - 0.15
Copper (Cu)	0.0 - 0.10
Zinc (Zn)	0.0 - 0.10
Manganese (Mn)	0.0 - 0.10
Other (Each)	0.0 - 0.05
Aluminium (AI)	Balance

# **ALLOY DESIGNATIONS**

Alloy 5052 corresponds to the following standard designations and specifications but may not be a direct equivalent:

Al Mg 2.5 Al 2.5Mg Cr

### TEMPER TYPES

The most common tempers for 5052 aluminium are:

 H32 - Work hardened by rolling then stabilised by low-temperature heat treatment to quarter hard

#### SUPPLIED FORMS

The main form supplied of this alloy is TripleGrip Treadplate

- Sheet
- Extrusions
- Plate
- Treadplate/Patterened Sheet

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#### GENERIC PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Property	Value
Density	2.68 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Melting Point	605 °C
Thermal Expansion	23.7 x10 <sup>-6</sup> /K
Modulus of Elasticity	70 GPa
Thermal Conductivity	138 W/m.K
Electrical Resistivity	$0.0495~\text{x}10^{-6}~\Omega$ .m

#### MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

BS EN 485-2:2008 Sheet and Treadplate 0.2mm to 6.00mm	
Property	Value
Proof Stress	130 Min MPa
Tensile Strength	210 - 260 MPa
Hardness Brinell	61 HB

The properties above are for material in the H32 condition

# WELDABILITY

Weldability - Gas: Good Weldability - Arc: Very Good

Weldability - Resistance: Very Good

Brazability: Acceptable

Solderability: Not recommended

### **FABRICATION**

Workability - Cold: Good Machinability: Acceptable

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**REVISION HISTORY** 

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