

# ALLOY STEEL AND STAINLESS STEEL BOLTING MATERIALS FOR HIGH-TEMPERATURE SERVICE

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Table 2 Mechanical Requirements

Grade and Class	Diameter In.	Tensile Strength ksi	Yield Strength 0.2% Offset ksi	Elongation In 2 in. %	Reduction of Area %	Hardness Max		Refer to Note
		Min	Min	Min	Min	Brinell	Rockwell	
B5	to 4 incl	100	80	16	50	—	—	1
B6	to 4 incl	110	85	15	50	—	—	1
B6X	to 4 incl	90	70	16	50	—	C26	1
(B7)	to 2½	125	105	16	50	—	—	1
	over 2½ to 4	115	95	16	50	—	—	
	over 4 to 7	100	75	18	50	—	—	
B7M	to 2½ incl	100	80	18	50	235	B99	1, 2, 5
B16	to 2½	125	105	18	50	—	—	1
	over 2½ to 4	110	95	17	45	—	—	
	over 4 to 7	100	85	16	45	—	—	
Class 1: B8, B8C, B8M, B8P, B8T, B8LN, B8MLN	all	75	30	30	50	223	B96	3, 4
Class 1A: B8A, B8CA, B8MA, B8PA, B8TA, B8LNA, B8MLNA, B8NA, B8MNA	all	75	30	30	50	192	B90	3
Class 1B: B8N, B8MN	all	80	35	30	40	223	B96	3, 4
Class 1C: B8R	all	100	55	35	55	271	C28	3
B8RA	all	100	55	35	55	271	C28	3
B8S	all	95	50	35	55	271	C28	3
B8SA	all	95	50	35	55	271	C28	3
Class 2: B8, B8C, B8P, B8T, B8N	to ¼	125	100	12	35	321	C35	3
	over ¼ to 1	115	80	15	35	321	C35	
	over 1 to 1½	100	50	28	45	321	C35	
Class 2: B8MN	to ¼	110	95	15	45	321	C35	3, 5
	over ¼ to 1	100	80	20	45	321	C35	
	over 1 to 1¼	95	65	25	45	321	C35	
	over 1¼ to 1½	90	50	30	45	321	C35	
Class 2: B8M2	to 2	95	75	25	40	321	C35	3, 5
	over 2 to 2½	90	65	30	40	321	C35	
	over 2½ to 3	80	55	30	60	321	C35	
Class 3: B8M3	to 2	85	65	30	60	321	C35	3, 5
	over 2	85	60	30	60	321	C35	

NOTES:

1. The minimum tempering temperature for Grades B5, B6, B6X, and B7 shall be 1100°F (593°C); for Grade B7M, 1150°F (620°C); and for Grade B16, 1200°F (650°C). See Para. 6.
2. To meet the tensile strength requirements, the hardness shall be over Brinell 201 (Rockwell B94) minimum.
3. Materials of all Grades of Classes 1, 1B and 1C and Grade B8S products are carbide solution treated. Materials of all Grades of Class 1A and Grades B8RA and B8SA products are carbide solution treated in their finished condition for corrosion resistance; heat treatment is critical due to physical property requirements. Materials of all Grades of Class 2 and Class 3 products are carbide solution treated and strain hardened. Austenitic steels in the strain hardened condition may not show uniform properties throughout the section, particularly in diameters over ¼ in. See Para. 6.
4. For diameters ¼ in. and smaller, a maximum hardness of Brinell 241 (Rockwell B100) is permitted.
5. For diameters 1½ in. and larger, center (core) properties may be lower than indicated by test reports which are based on values determined at mid radius.