

Special Steels





We accelerate to evolve with the automotive industry

A result of strong investments focused on the global evolution of the automotive industry, special steels from Sidenor are present in a large number of vehicles produced in Europe.

Our constant quest for technological improvement ensures that we can meet the most stringent requirements of our customers for efficiency and quality.

This is Sidenor, the biggest special steels producer in Spain and one of the largest in Europe.

About Sidenor

Sidenor is a steel company, leader in the European steel industry for the production of special steel long products and one of the main producers of forged and cast pieces. It is also an important supplier of cold finished products in the European market.

The company has production plants in Spain (in the Basque Country, Cantabria and Catalonia).

Our steel production capacity is around one million tonnes per year, destined mainly to the manufacture of components for the automotive, machines and capital equipment, shipbuilding, civil engineering, defence, energy, mining and petrochemical sectors.

In addition, Sidenor has one of the largest R & D centres in the steel industry in Europe; it undertakes technological developments to optimize processes and products in our facilities as well as in those of our customers.



Environment

Environmental Management System

A big area of concern for Sidenor is its performance in the environment area. This concern is reflected in the way we work with the different stakeholders, integrating the environmental variable in all the process monitoring, from design to final product delivery.

Following these principles, all the Company's plants adopt an Environmental Management System (EMS), prepared in accordance with ISO14.001, develop R&D projects and monitor the environmental footprint of our products.

Sidenor: awarded with the European Prize for Environment - Nationwide and Basque Country sections.



Applications

Automotive

Group	Parts
Transmission	Wheel hubs Nut CVJs Drive shafts
Engine	Conrods Crankshafts Camshafts Common rail
Suspension	Coil springs Leaf springs Stabilizer bars Shock absorbers
Gear box	Axle Gears Planet gears Crown
Steering	Steering rack Steering pinion Bolt
Others	Bearings Fasteners Brake spindle

Other sectors

Sectors	Applications
Energy (Wind, Oil & Gas)	Mooring chains for off-shore rigs Flanges for wind power generation towers Fasteners for wind power equipment Off-shore accessories
Agricultural machinery	Tractors components
Machinery for civil engineering	Mesh Drive shaft
Others	Hand tools Shafts for electric motors Railway axles Railway springs

■ Sidenor Markets

Sidenor is your ally in **INNOVATION**



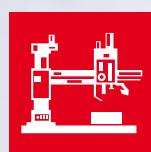
We are focused on understanding the needs of our customers to provide solutions that give answers to the challenges that the market demands.

Environmental regulations lead us to achieve increasingly efficient components of less weight. Our steels allow designs and solutions hitherto unthinkable.

We also seek maximum efficiencies at our customers, adapting our products to their processes and so reducing the resources needed to complete them.

We adapt our production to meet all the service challenges that the market demands.

We have integrated our factories in Industry 4.0 to achieve optimal processes that give high reliability to the components made with our steel.



Sidenor R&D

The activities of SIDENOR R&D are centred on increasing competitiveness through improvements and innovations in Quality, Costs, Productivity and Development of Products with our customers.

Sidenor focuses on the needs of the customer:

- Creating collaborative environments
- Becoming the main technological metallurgical and steelmaking reference
- Giving solutions to current and future demands
- Offering R&D facilities as a tool for cooperation
- Solving your short term technical problems

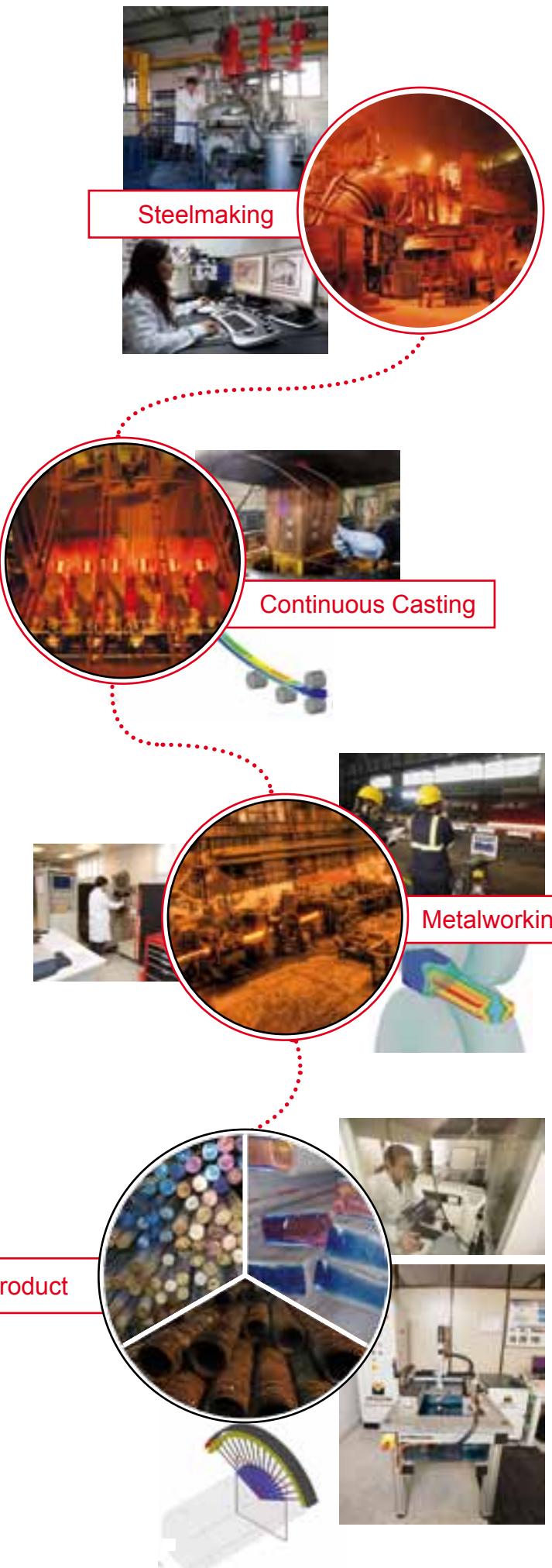
PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

Process Area

- Optimization and strengthening of current processes
- Implementation of new processes and requirements
- Introduction of new technologies

Product Area

- Design of new steel grades/qualities
- Adaptation of existing steel grades/qualities to new processes and technologies
- Identification of new applications and markets for existing steel grades/qualities
- Metallurgical advice to our customers in products and processes



Products and Developments

SPRING STEELS: HIGH STRENGTH AND WEIGHT REDUCTION

HELICOIDAL SUSPENSION SPRINGS Inclusion engineering and longer lifetime in lighter suspension springs
PREMIUM QUALITY LEAF SPRINGS High strength leaf springs with longer fatigue life

BEARING STEELS: INCLUSION CLEANLINESS

SUPERCLEAN Superclean steels devoted to 1st, 2nd and 3rd generation bearings manufacturing

CASE HARDENING STEELS: FINAL COMPONENTS' QUALITY

ISOCEM® High hardenability with reduced cost for conventional and gas quenching processes
NANOCEM Case hardening steels that guarantee a fine grained structure at high temperature

PISTON STEELS: HIGHER EFFICIENCY ENGINES

MGC3 Quenched and tempered (Q&T) steel with high temperature oxidation resistance

DROP FORGING STEELS: CHARACTERISTICS ASSURANCE

HARDMAX High yield strength and good compromise strength-toughness

FORMAX Direct quenching of hot forging parts

MICROALLOYED Steels with high mechanical properties after forging

MICRO 1100 Microalloyed ateel with high yield strength and fatigue performance after forging

FASTENER STEELS: MECHANICAL PROPERTIES GUARANTEED

EXTREME FASTENERS 10.9 and 12.9 quenched and tempered (Q&T) steel grades with high mechanical properties for wind fasteners at extreme conditions

DUCTIL Low carbon ductil martensitic structure on 8.8 and 10.9 grades for cold heading

MOORING CHAIN STEELS: DEEPER WATERS – HIGHER LATITUDE

R4 - R5 - R6 Steels with high tensile strength and high toughness at low temperature

TOOL STEELS: STEELS FOR PLASTIC INJECTION MOULDS

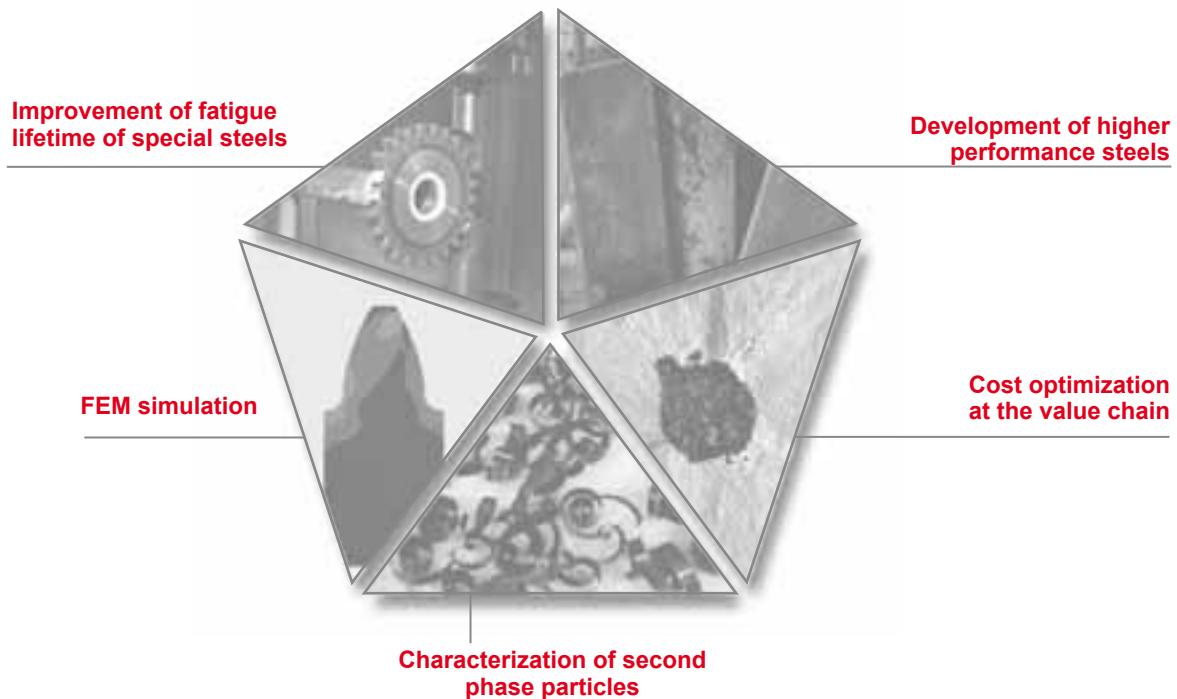
EBRO2738 SUPERIOR Higher structural homogeneity and thermal conductivity

ENHANCED MACHINABILITY: WITH SIMILAR MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

MECAMAX®AV Improved machinability steels for high cutting speeds

MECAMAX®PLUS Improved machinability steels for all the cutting speed range

MECAMAX®MB "Green" technology for complex machinability operations



Product Data Sheets

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FICHA DE PRODUCTO		ACERO:
ISOCEM®		CrV
Nueva familia de acero de cementación de alta templabilidad.		
APLICACIÓN:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Piezas cementadas y templadas con fluidos de baja saturación (gas o aceite). Piezas con problemas de deformaciones. Sustitución de aceros más aleados manteniendo características. 		
VENTAJAS:		
Menores deformaciones ↗	Reducción de las deformaciones de las piezas al templar en gas (TGS).	
Reducción de costes ↗	Ahorro en materia prima.	Reducción operaciones de mecanizado para corregir defectos (rectificado final, enderezado...).
Garantía de características ↗	Templabilidad ajustada que asegura las características mecánicas en el núcleo.	
Piezas con mayor calidad ↗	Respuesta uniforme al tratamiento térmico.	Baja segregación y grano fino (> 7 ASTM).
Proceso simple y ecológico ↗	Superficie sin oxidación intergranular ni cascarilla (TGS).	Distribución de los aceros de temple por gases ampollos (N ₂ , He...). Eliminación de etapas de lavado de piezas y reciclaje de aceites.
TECNOLOGÍA APLICADA:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Proceso combinado de cementación a baja presión y temple en gas a distintas presiones (5-20bar). Procesos convencionales de cementación en gas y temple en aceite. Templabilidad mejorada gracias a composición química innovadora. Opción de mejora de la morfología: tecnologías MECAMAX®. 		

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FICHA DE PRODUCTO		ACERO:
NANOCEM NANOCEM PLUS		CEMENTACIÓN
Acero de cementación con garantía de tamaño de grano fino.		
APLICACIÓN:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Piezas que necesitan tener grano fino tras un ciclo de cementación. Cementación a alta temperatura en hornos de nido y en hornos convencionales. Piezas con mayor profundidad de capa cementada. 		
VENTAJAS:		
Cementación a alta temperatura ↗	Posibilidad de elevar las temperaturas de cementación obteniendo un tamaño de grano fino.	
Menor tiempo de tratamiento ↗	La alta temperatura acelera el proceso de difusión del carbono en la austenita, acortando el proceso.	
Mayor profundidad de capa ↗	La mayor velocidad de difusión permite obtener mayores capas de capa con garantías de calidad.	
Reducción de costes ↗	Mejor productividad y menos problemas de calidad.	
TECNOLOGÍA APLICADA:		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adición de elementos microaleviadores como Al, N, Nb o Ti que forman microprecipitados que inhiben el crecimiento del grano austenítico. En el caso de cementaciones convencionales se promueve la formación de nitruras de Al en la cebada, tamaño y distribución adecuada. Generación de microprecipitados de Ti y Nb estables para cementaciones a mayores temperaturas. 		

The product data sheets contain technical information of New Products developed in Sidenor R&D.

PRODUCT DATA SHEETS

- Applications
- Advantages
- Applied Technology
- Grade
- Chemical composition
- Production process/supply condition
- Mechanical properties
- Other technical data



Steel Grades

ENGINEERING STEELS

Carbon steels

Engineering steels with carbon contents between 0.10 and 0.60%, tensile strengths between 350 to 750 N/mm² normalised and 650 to 850 N/mm² quenched and tempered. In general, low hardenability.

Applications:

- Low carbon:
Low tensile strength pieces. Piston Pins, chains, nuts and bolts.
- Medium carbon:
Quenching upto 50-60 HRc. Shock and wear resistant parts. Gears, axles, differentials.

- High Carbon:
Parts subject to high loads, generally quenched in oil for hardnesses above 57HRc. Hammers, agricultural tools, transmissions.

Standard equivalents				Chemical composition (average values in %)				
SIDENOR	EUROPE EN	GERMANY DIN	FRANCE AFNOR Stand	C	Mn	Si		
C15				0,15	0,55	0,25		
C25	2C25E	CK25	1.1158	XC25	0,25	0,55	0,25	
C30	2C30E	CK30	1.1178	XC32	0,30	0,65	0,25	
C35	2C35E	CK35	1.1181	XC38H1	0,35	0,65	0,25	
C40	2C40E	CK40	1.1186	XC42H1	0,40	0,65	0,25	
C45	2C45E	CK45	1.1191	XC48H1	0,45	0,65	0,25	
C50	2C50E	CK50	1.1206		0,50	0,75	0,25	
C55	2C55E	CK55	1.1203	XC55H1	0,55	0,75	0,25	
C60	2C60E	CK60	1.1221		0,60	0,75	0,25	



Alloy steels for quench and temper

Steels with one or more alloying elements, with good physical or mechanical properties after specific heat treatment and varying tensile strengths between 700 and 1.300 N/mm².

Applications:

- Low alloy:
Superficial hardness, after quench and temper by induction, between 40 and 50 HRc. Tensile strengths between 500 and 800 N/mm². Axles, Conrods, crankshafts, transmission shafts, gears.
- Medium alloy:
Surface hardness above 45 -55 HRc. Tensile strengths between 700 - 900 N/mm². Axles, conrods, crankshafts, transmission shafts, gears.

- High Alloy:
Superficial hardness, after quench and temper by induction, between 55 and 60 HRc. High toughness and fatigue resistance. Tensile strengths between 800 and 1.300 N/mm².

Standard equivalents				Chemical composition (average values in %)						
SIDENOR	EUROPE EN	GERMANY DIN	FRANCE AFNOR Stand	C	Mn	Si	Cr	Ni	Mo	V
34Cr4	34Cr4	34Cr4	1.7033	32C4	0,34	0,75	0,25	1,05		
41Cr4	41Cr4	41Cr4	1.7035	42C4	0,41	0,75	0,25	1,05		
25CrMo4	25CrMo4	25CrMo4	1.7218	25CD4	0,25	0,75	0,25	1,05		
30CrMo4				30CD4	0,30	0,75	0,25	1,05	0,20	
34CrMo4	34CrMo4	34CrMo4	1.7220	34CD4	0,34	0,75	0,25	1,05	0,20	
42CrMo4	42CrMo4	42CrMo4	1.7225	42CD4	0,42	0,75	0,25	1,05	0,20	
34CrNiMo6	34CrNiMo6	34CrNiMo6	1.6582		0,34	0,65	0,25	1,50	0,20	
36CrNiMo16	36CrNiMo16	36CrNiMo16		35NCD16	0,36	0,45	0,25	1,80	3,85	0,35
30CrNiMo8	30CrNiMo8	30CrNiMo8	1.6580		0,30	0,45	0,25	2,00	0,40	
51CrV4	51CrV4	50CrV4	1.8159		0,51	0,90	0,25	1,05		0,15



Case hardening steels

Steels with C content normally below 0.30%; the surface of the parts being susceptible to hot carburization due to the interaction of a gas that yields its carbon to the steel.

Applications:

- C, CrMn, CrMo, CrNi, CrNiMo steels:
For parts that need to be case hardened where the tensile strengths vary in the centre between 500 and 1500 MPa. Gears, pinions, constant velocity joints, spindle, wheels/crowns, cams.

Standard equivalents				Chemical composition (average values in %)					
SIDENOR	EUROPE EN	GERMANY DIN	FRANCE AFNOR Stand	C	Mn	Si	Cr	Ni	Mo
20Mn6		20Mn5	1.1133	20M5	0,20	1,45	0,25		
16MnCr5	16MnCr5	16MnCr5	1.7131	16MC5	0,16	1,15	0,25	1,00	
20MnCr5	20MnCr5	20MnCr5	1.7147	20MC5	0,20	1,25	0,25	1,15	
20NiCrMo2	20NiCrMo2-2			20NCM2	0,20	0,75	0,25	0,50	0,55
14NiCrMo13					0,14	0,45	0,25	0,95	3,25
									0,25



Nitriding steels

Steels that need maximum surface hardness and high wear resistance.

Applications:

- Steels with highest hardness are the CrAl and those with maximum depth CrNiV steels. These are generally used in the pretreated condition with tensile strengths between 900 and 1500 N/mm². Journals, barrels, barrel sleeves.

Standard equivalents				Chemical composition (average values in %)							
SIDENOR	EUROPE EN	GERMANY DIN	FRANCE AFNOR	C	Mn	Si	Ni	Cr	Mo	V	Al
15MoCrV10		15MoCrV5 9	1.8521		0,15	0,95	0,25	1,35	0,95	0,25	
25CrMo12					0,25	0,55	0,25	3,25	0,55		
31CrMo12	31CrMo12	31CrMo12	1.8515	30CD12	0,31	0,55	0,25	3,05	0,40		
30CrMoV9	31CrMoV9	31CrMoV9	1.8519		0,30	0,55	0,25	2,50	0,20	0,15	
34CrAlMo5	34CrAlMo5-10	34CrAlMo5	1.8507		0,34	0,65	0,25	1,15	0,20		1,00
34CrAlNiMo7	34CrAlMo7-10	34CrAlNi7	1.8550		0,34	0,55	0,25	1,00	1,65	0,20	1,00
41CrAlMo7	41CrAlMo7-10	41CrAlMo7	1.8509	40CAD6.12	0,41	0,65	0,25	1,65	0,30		1,00



Spring steels

Steels that require high yield strength, fatigue resistance to torsion and flexion, tolerate shear resistance slightly higher than its yield point in the quenched and tempered condition. Normally oil quenched.

Applications:

- MnSi and CrV steels: Tensile strengths from 870 to 1.250 N/mm². Leaf springs for vehicles, helicooidal springs, agricultural tools.
- CrNi Steels: Tensile strengths between 1000 and 1400 N/mm². Coiled springs, torsion bars, hand tools.

Standard equivalents				Chemical composition (average values in %)					
SIDENOR	EUROPE EN	GERMANY DIN	FRANCE AFNOR	C	Mn	Si	Cr	Mo	V
46Si7	46Si7	46Si7	1.5024	46S7	0,46	0,65	1,65		
51Si7	50Si7	51Si7	1.5025	51S7	0,51	0,65	1,65		
55Si7	56Si7	55Si7	1.5026	55S7	0,55	0,85	1,65		
60Si7	60Si7	60Si7	1.5027	60S7	0,60	0,85	1,65		
60SiCr7	61SiCr7	60SiCr7	1.7108	61SC7	0,60	0,85	1,65	0,30	
55Cr3	55Cr3	55Cr3	1.7176	55C3	0,55	0,90	0,37	0,85	
50CrV4	51CrV4	50CrV4	1.8159	50CV4	0,50	0,90	0,27	1,05	0,17
51CrMoV4	52CrMoV4	51CrMoV4	1.7701	51CDV4	0,51	0,90	0,27	1,05	0,20
									0,12



Free cutting steels

Steels where good machinability is essential.

Applications:

- Carbon and leaded steels: The best characteristics for good machinability are achieved in the drawn condition with tensiles of 550 to 600 N/mm². High volume parts that can be machined in automatic lathes, studs, bolts, caps.
- Medium carbon steels: Parts with medium tensile strengths that need to be turned in automatic lathes, can be supplied with the addition of Pb. Quenched and tempered parts with tensile between 700 and 980 N/mm².

Standard equivalents				Chemical composition (average values in %)				
SIDENOR	EUROPE EN	GERMANY DIN	FRANCE AFNOR	C	Mn	Si	S	Pb
9SMn28	11SMn30	9SMn28	1.0715	S250	0,09	1,10	0,01	0,28
9SMnPb28	11SMnPb30	9SMnPb28	1.0718	S250Pb	0,09	1,10	0,01	0,28
9SMn36	11SMn37	9SMn36	1.0736	S300Pb	0,09	1,30	0,01	0,36
9SMnPb36	11SMnPb37	9SMnPb36	1.0737		0,09	1,30	0,01	0,36
10SPb20	10SPb20	10SPb20	1.0722		0,10	0,85	0,20	0,20
35SMnPb11				35MF6Pb	0,35	1,50	0,20	0,11
45S20	46S20	45S20	1.0727	45MF4	0,45	0,85	0,20	0,20
45SMn28	44SMn28			45MF6.3	0,45	1,50	0,20	0,28



Steels for cold deformation

These steels do not differ in chemical composition with carbon and alloy steels but require certain specific conditions.

Application:

- Different ranges of alloying (C, Mn, Cr-Mo, CrNiMo, B) with different levels of strength from 450 to 1300 MPa. Studs, bolts and parts for cold heading.

Standard equivalents				Chemical composition (average values in %)							
SIDENOR	EUROPE EN	GERMANY DIN	FRANCE Stand AFNOR	C	Mn	Si	Cr	Ni	Mo	B	
DF8			XC6FF	0,08	0,35	0,03					
DF35	C35KD	Cq35	1.1172	XC32	0,35	0,65	0,20				
DF45	C45KD	Cq45	1.1192	XC42H1	0,45	0,65	0,20				
DF20B	C22BKD	22B2	1.5508	21B3	0,20	0,80	0,10			0,003	
DF34Cr4	34Cr4KD	34Cr4	1.7033	32C4	0,34	0,75	0,15	1,05			
DF25CrMo4	25CrMo4KD	25CrMo4	1.7218	25CD4	0,25	0,75	0,15	1,05		0,20	
DF34CrMo4	34CrMo4KD	34CrMo4	1.7220	34CD4	0,34	0,75	0,15	1,05		0,20	
DF34CrNiMo6	34CrNiMo6KD	34CrNiMo6	1.6582		0,34	0,55	0,20	1,55	1,55	0,20	



Microalloyed steels

The mechanical properties of the pieces or bars are achieved by the combined effect of different mechanisms without the need for heat treatment.

Application:

- All kind of parts but generally, crankshafts, conrods, pistons, parts for suspension systems, wheel rims, constant velocity joints. The tensile strengths achieved on the parts are between 650 and 1150 N/mm² depending on the type of steel used.



Standard equivalents				Chemical composition (average values in %)						
SIDENOR	EUROPE EN	GERMANY DIN	FRANCE Stand AFNOR	C	Mn	Si	S	Al	V	Ti
MICRO800	30MnVS6	27MnSiVS6	1.5232	0,28	1,45	0,60	0,04	0,03	0,10	0,01
MICRO850	46MnVS6	49MnVS3	1.1199	0,47	0,80	0,40	0,06	0,03	0,10	0,01
MICRO900	38MnVS6	38MnSiVS5	1.5231	0,38	1,35	0,60	0,06	0,03	0,10	0,01
MICRO1000	46MnVS6	44MnSiVS6	1.5233	0,43	1,45	0,60	0,03	0,03	0,10	0,01

Heat resistant steels

Steels whose main characteristics are the resistance to plasticity under strong pressures, in hot conditions.

Application:

- Mo and CrMo steels:
These steels are used for parts in contact with vapour, valves, flanges, high pressure cylinders, boilers, axle shafts and turbine rotors, vapour collectors, installations for cracking in the oil and gas industries. Can be used at temperatures of 500 °C.



Standard equivalents				Chemical composition (average values in %)						
EEUU ASTM	SIDENOR	EUROPE EN	GERMANY DIN	FRANCE AFNOR	C	Mn	Si	Cr	Mo	V
	16Mo3		15Mo3	1.5415					0,30	
	16Mo5		16Mo5	1.5423					0,55	
	15MoCr5				15CD2.05	0,15	0,55	0,25	0,65	0,55
	14MoCr5	13CrMo4-5	13CrMo4.4	1.7335	15CD4.05	0,14	0,55	0,25	1,00	0,55
	12CrMo9	10CrMo9-10	10CrMo9.10	1.7380	12CD9.10	0,12	0,55	0,25	2,25	1,00
	10CrMo20		12CrMo19.5	1.7362	Z15CD5.05	0,10	0,45	0,25	5,00	0,55
	14MoCrV6	14Mo6-3	14MoV6.3	1.7715		0,14	0,55	0,25	0,45	0,60
A182F5	10CrMo9	X12CrMo5	12CrMo19-5	1.7362	Z15CD5 05	0,10	0,45	0,25	5,00	0,55
A182F9	X12CrMo9	X11CrMo9-1	X11CrMo9-1	1.7386	X11CrMo9-1	0,12	0,45	0,30	9,00	1,00
A182F91	X10CrMoVNb9	X10CrMoVNb9-1	X10CrMoVNb9-1	1.4903	X10CrMoVNb9-1	0,10	0,45	0,35	9,00	1,00
A182F11	13MoCr5	10CrMo5-5	10CrMo5-5	1.7338	10CrMo5-5	0,12	0,45	0,55	1,00	0,55
A182F22	11MoCr10	10CrMo9.10	10CrMo9.10	1.7380	12CD9.10	0,12	0,55	0,25	2,25	1,00



Bearing steels

High hardness and high strength steels.

Applications:

- Carbon, Cr (100Cr6) and CrMo steels:
Applications where wear resistance and good strength is required.
Crushing equipment, mills, bearings, turning tips, abrasive materials.

Standard equivalents				Chemical composition (average values in %)				
SIDENOR	EUROPE EN	GERMANY DIN	FRANCE Stand AFNOR	C	Mn	Si	Cr	Mo
100Cr6	100Cr6	100Cr6	1.3505	100Cr6	1,00	0,35	0,25	1,50
100CrMn6	100CrMnSi6-4	100CrMn6	1.3520	100CrMn6	1,00	1,10	0,60	1,50
100CrMo7	100CrMo7	100CrMo7	1.3537	100CrMo7.2	1,00	0,35	0,25	1,80
100CrMo7.3	100CrMo7-3	100CrMo7.3	1.3536	100CrMo8.3	1,00	0,70	0,25	1,80
C55	C55	Ck55	1.1203	XC55H	0,55	0,85	0,25	-
C70	C70	Ck70			0,70	0,85	0,25	-



Steels for chains

Steels with high strength and high toughness at low temperatures.

Applications:

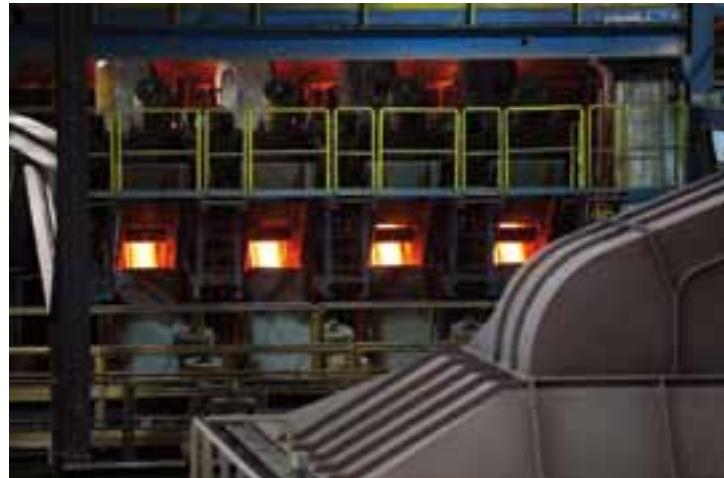
- Steels for chains and off-shore accessories.

Medium and high tensile strength	Grade R4 Rm=> 900 N/mm ²
	Grade R5 Rm=> 1000 N/mm ²
	Grade R6 Rm=> 1200 N/mm ²
High toughness at low temperature	KV => 60 J a - 20 °C



Applied technology:

- Low carbon steels for quenched and tempering.
- Medium alloyed steels to increase impact resistance at low temperature.
- Stable steels with very special melting processes (secondary melting/refining and vacuum degassing).
- Very stable steels with controlled rolling and cooling processes.
- Stringent Process control of materials in the presence of official organizations/agencies.



TOOL STEELS

Steels with resistance to wear, toughness and thermal shocks.
We can highlight 3 steel families:
steels for cold working, steels for hot working and steels for the production of plastic moulds.

Applications:

- Steels used in the production of gauges, dies, drills, moulds for thermoplastic materials.



Cold and hot working

Standard equivalents				Chemical composition (average values in %)									
SIDENOR	EUROPE EN	GERMANY DIN	FRANCE AFNOR	C	Mn	Si	Cr	V	W	Ni	Mo	V	
MAGNO	95MnWCr5	95MnCrW8	1.2510	90MnWCrV5	0,95	1,10	0,25	0,50	0,10	0,50			
ATOR14	55NiCrMoV7	56NiCrMoV7	1.2714	55NiCrMoV7	0,55	0,70	0,25	1,00			1,70	0,50	0,10
FINORV	X40CrMoV5.1	X40CrMoV5.1	1.2344	X40CrMoV5	0,39	0,40	1,00	5,00				1,40	1,00

Steels for moulds of plastic materials

Standard equivalents				Chemical composition (average values in %)									
SIDENOR	EUROPE EN	GERMANY DIN	FRANCE AFNOR	C	Mn	Si	Cr	Ni	Mo	V	S	Cr+Ni+Mo	
EBRO-C45	C45W	C45W	1.1730		0,45	0,65	0,30				0,010 max	0,45 max	
EBRO-2311	40CrMnMo7	40CrMnMo7	1.2311	40CMD8	0,38	1,10	0,30	1,70		0,20	0,10	0,010 max	
EBRO-P20	35CrMo8			35CrMo8	0,34	0,80	0,35	1,85		0,42	0,10	0,010 max	
EBRO-2312	40CrMnMoS8.6	40CrMnMoS8.6	1.2312		0,40	1,50	0,35	1,85		0,20	0,10	0,06	
EBRO-2738	40CrMnNiMo8.6.4	40CrMnNiMo8.6.4	1.2738	40CMND8	0,39	1,40	0,30	1,85	1,00	0,20	0,12	0,005 max	
PLASTINOX	XC40Cr14	X42Cr13	1.2083	X40Cr14	0,40	0,50	0,80	13,50			0,20	0,005 max	

STAINLESS STEELS

Steels whose main characteristics are resistance to oxidation and chemical corrosion.

Applications:

- Ferritic steels:
Good ductility, excellent resistance to corrosion and relatively economic price. Turbines, food industry, healthcare industry.
- Martensitic steels:
Used generally quenched and tempered. Suitable for high mechanical properties and moderate resistance to corrosion. Cutlery, household goods, surgical equipment, distillation towers with temperature working at less than 650 °C.
- Austenitic steels:
Excellent corrosion resistance but low tensile strength and yield stress. Accessories and decorative elements, chemical industry, liquid oxygen tanks, cutlery, food, and textile industries.

Standard equivalents				Chemical composition (average values in %)						
EUROPE EN	GERMANY DIN	USA ASTM	FRANCE AFNOR	C	S	Cr	Ni	Mo	Ti	
X8CrNiS 18-9	1.4305	AISI 303	Z8CNF 18-09	≤0,1	0,25	18,00	9,00			
X5CrNi18-10	1.4301	AISI 304	Z7CN 18-09	≤0,07		18,50	9,20			
X2CrNi18-9	1.4307	AISI 304L	Z3CN 18-10	≤0,03		18,50	9,00			
X5CrNiMo 17-12-2	1.4401	AISI 316	Z7CND 17-11-02	≤0,07		17,50	11,50	2,25		
X2CrNiMo 17-12-2	1.4404	AISI 316L	Z2CND 18-12-02	≤0,03		17,50	11,50	2,25		
X6CrNiTi 18-10	1.4541	AISI 321	Z6CNT 18-10	≤0,08		18,00	10,50		≤0,7	
X6CrNiMoTi 17-12-2	1.4571	AISI 316 Ti	Z6CNDT 17-12	≤0,08		17,50	11,50	2,25	≤0,7	



Processes

STEELPLANT

Production process from liquid steel starting from the melting of scrap and alloys. Once molten, the steel solidifies in the form of billets blooms or ingots.

HOT ROLLING

A thermo mechanical process by which the billets and/or blooms are transformed into steel bars, round, square, flat or coils.

FORGE

Process of transforming ingots into round or square bars.

COLD FINISHING

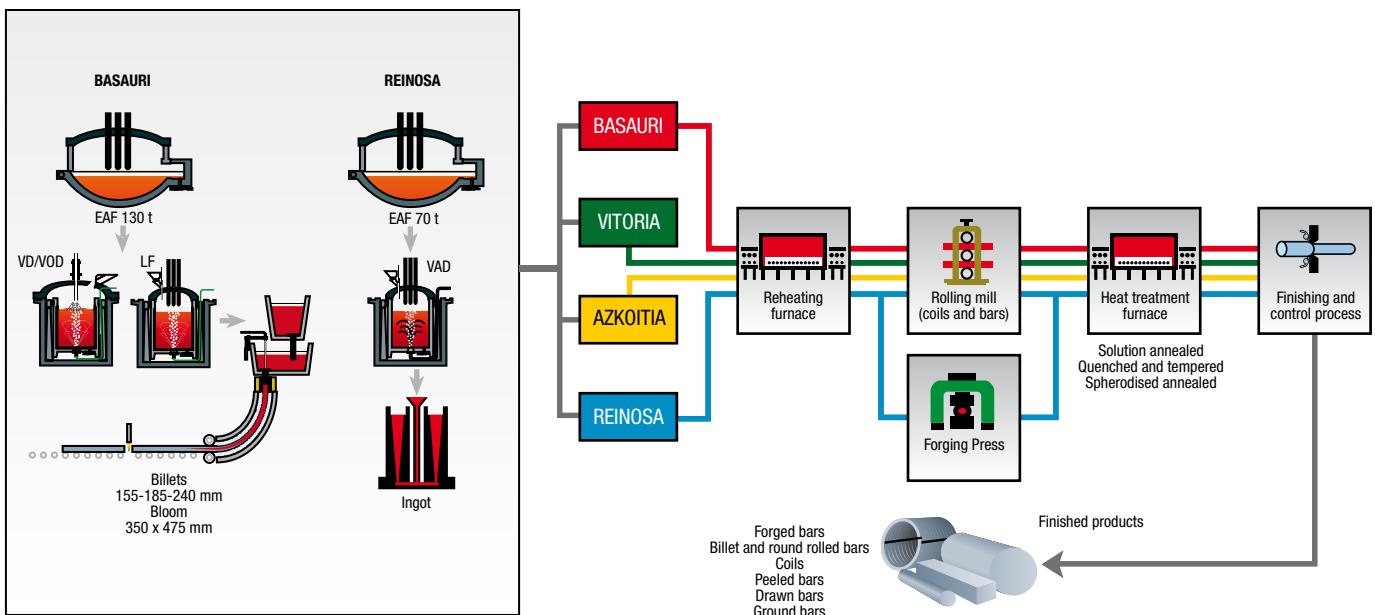
Mechanical processes that provide the superficial finish, dimensional tolerances and mechanical properties according to customer specifications.

HEAT TREATMENTS

Transformation processes to modify the mechanical and metallurgical properties of rolled and/or forged products, through the control of heating and cooling.

INSPECTION LINES

Set of equipment used to inspect the products and guarantee their quality.



Size Range

Rolled Bar

	min	a	max
Ø	20	a	230
Box	65	a	230
Bar	6	a	60 x 50 a 130



Bright Bar

	min	a	max
Drawn	5	a	35
Turned	18	a	212
Ground	6,5	a	88



Wire Rod

	min	a	max
Ø	5,5	a	37



Ingots

Up to 140 Tonnes

Forged Bar

	min	a	max
Ø	220	a	1.500
Bar	From 4 to 46 tonnes		



Continuous Casting

	Billet: 240x240 mm, 185x185 mm, 155x155 mm
	Bloom: 350x475 mm

Heat Treatments

- Normalising
- Annealing (subcritical, isothermal, spherodised, softening)
- Quench and Temper in gas furnaces; quench in water or oil
- Quench and Temper in induction furnaces; quench in water
- Stress Relief



Other Services

- **Special product options:**
 - Possibility to cut to lengths (short billets/lopins)
 - Possibility to chamfer and face end of bars
- **In line system controls**
 - Control of superficial defects
 - Black rolled bars: depending on size by dispersion of magnetic flux or magnetic particles
 - Turned or drawn bars: by Eddy currents
 - Control of surface defects: by ultrasound
 - Dimensional control: with laser equipment
 - Control Antimix: Spectrotest or X rays
- **Identification and Packaging:** According to specifications or customer requirement
- **Test Certificates with the specific information requested by the customer:** In Spanish, English, French and German
- **Other facilities and equipment:**
 - Chemical laboratory: Control of chemical composition
 - Metallurgical laboratory: mechanical tests (tensile, hardness, fracture, etc) and metallurgical analysis (cleanliness, micro and macro structure, etc)
 - Quality Control Dept.: unitary control of each production lot
 - Product and Process Engineering Department
 - Technical Assistance to customers
 - SAP: total traceability and rapid access to information

Sidenor Bright Steels

Sidenor Bright Steels is the result of the global strategy of growth of Sidenor Aceros Especiales in the world of steel. The acquisition in 2008 of the 3 major Spanish bright bar producers has resulted in the creation of the principal national bright bar group in the sector.

Bright Bars

Processes: Drawing / Turning / Grinding / Cut to length

Other Shapes	Operation	MALTZAGA	POLINYÀ
Circle	Drawing Ø	5 - 35 mm	5 - 50 mm
	Drawing from bar to bar Ø	30 - 75 mm	-
	Turning Ø	10 - 125 mm	12 - 80 mm
	Grinding Ø	-	7 - 65 mm
Hexagon	Drawing Ø	6 - 32 mm	5 - 41 mm
	Drawing from bar to bar Ø	22 - 65 mm	-
Square	Drawing Ø	11 - 25 mm	8 - 40 mm
	Drawing from bar to bar Ø	20 - 40 mm	-
Sheared	Cut to length Ø	10 - 25 mm	8 - 30 mm
	Length	150 - 1.000 mm	180 - 550 mm
	Sawed	-	10 - 100 mm
	Cut to length Ø	-	100 - 3.000 mm
Length	-	D10/35 mm - L100/800 mm	
Chamfered / Centered	-	-	-



Tolerances:

- Drawn h9 / h10
- Turned h9 / h10
- Ground h6 / h8
- Other Shapes h11

Other supply conditions:

- Length 2.800mm to 7.000mm
- Straightness up to 0,5mm/m
- Chamfered both sides (0,5mm to 8mm)
- Bundles 1.000Kg to 1.500Kg
- Technical conditions EN 10277-1

Steel grades:

- Alloys: 42CrMo4, 39NiCrMo3Pb...
- Free Cutting: 11SMnPb30, 44SMn28, 46S20...
- Steel for shock absorbers
- Carbon: C35, C35Pb, C45, C45Pb...

In line system controls

- Control of superficial defects by Eddy current in the entire dimensional range
- Control of internal defects: by ultrasound from 10mm diameter
- Dimensional control: with laser equipment
- Control Antimix: Spectrotest or X rays



Drawn Wire

Processes: Simple: K (Euronorm +U+C)
Reduced: GKZ+K (Euronorm +AC+U+C)
Complete: K+GKZ+K (Euronorm +U+C+AC+LC)
Alloys: GKZ+K+GKZ+K (Euronorm +AC+U+C+AC+LC)

	Ø wire (mm)	internal	Ø (mm)	external	coil weight (Kg)
Coil	5 - 10 mm	500 mm	950 mm	750/1.500	
	10 - 38 mm	800 mm	1.250 mm	750/1.500	
Frame	1,5 - 3 mm	520 mm	950 mm	300/500	
	3 - 9 mm	520 mm	950 mm	500/750	
	9 - 11,70 mm	520 mm	950 mm	500/750	
	11,70 - 15 mm	750 mm	1.100 mm	750/1.500	



Surface condition:

- Pickled
- Phosphate
- Reactive Soaped

Steel grades:

- Alloys 41Cr4, 41CrS4, 42CrMoS4...
- Boron: 20MnB4, 23B2, 36MnB4, 35B2...
- Carbon: C4C, C10C, C15C, C20C...
- Bearings: 100Cr6



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