

**NIMET**



**CHROME PLATED  
STEEL BARS AND TUBES**

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# WE CONTRIBUTE TO THE WORLD'S MOVEMENT

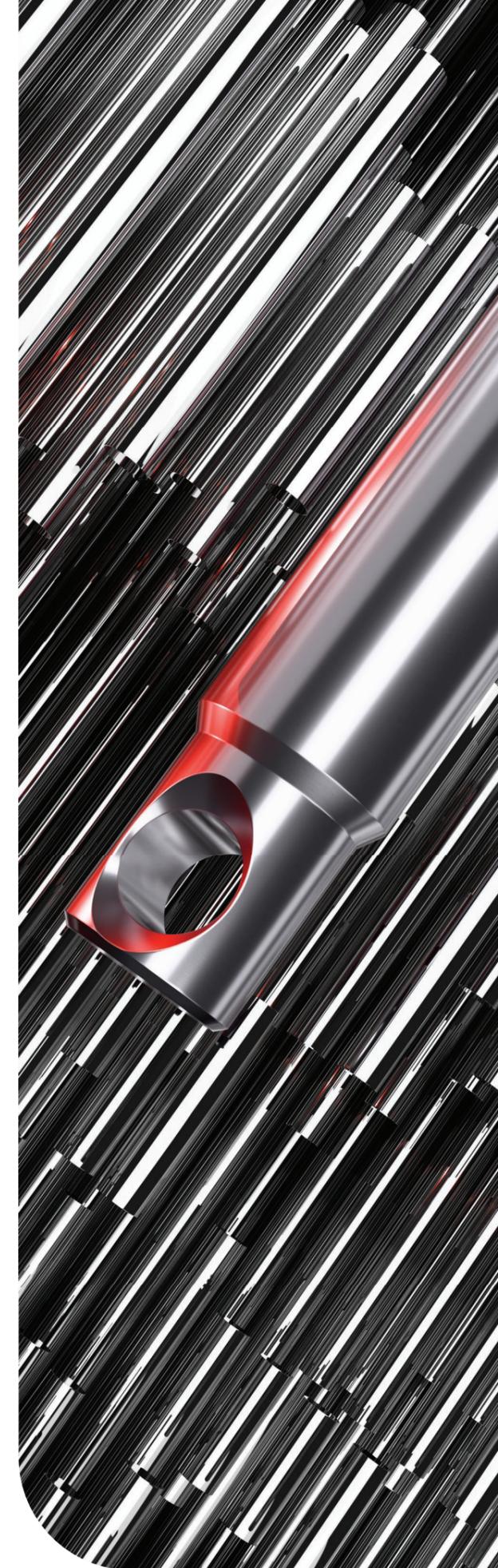
# NIMET YOUR PARTNER IN PERFORMANCE

In today's industrial landscape, the need to move, lift, or drive something is universal. Behind the scenes of these essential operations, **NIMET** delivers the components that make them possible: chrome-plated bars, tubes for hydraulic systems, and linear shafts for motion control.

At **NIMET**, precision steel bars and tubes are engineered with purpose. Each chrome-plated bar and linear shaft reflects deep metallurgical expertise and a relentless focus on real-world performance.

Our products are highly technical, yet our approach remains fundamentally human. Every client presents a distinct challenge, and every market brings its own demands. We meet them through adaptability, customization, and fast, reliable delivery.

Quality is rooted in understanding - of workflows, timelines, and expectations. For this reason, our processes extend beyond production and are built around long-term partnership.



# CONTENT

What you will find in this catalog goes beyond technical specifications. It reflects our belief that true value comes from combining top-tier products with responsive service, and delivering both with consistency and care.

Behind every product is a promise - to stand by what we make and to be there when you need us.

We believe that earning your trust means more than delivering quality - it means showing up with integrity, every time.

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# HISTORY

**20** years of history and expertise in chrome plating

**2006**

Founded by Samy Numan

**2008**

Production start-up of chrome plated bars and tubes

**2010**

First endless chrome plating line  
First nickel-chrome plating line

**2012**

Strategic joint venture with Palfinger, global leader in crane systems

**2013**

Global market expansion

**2018**

Start-up of NIMET 2 factory

**2025**

Start-up of NIMET 3 factory

**2026**

And future-ready, always.

<b>3</b>	<b>50.000</b> sqm	<b>700</b>	<b>5.000</b>
factories	production area	employees	tons/month



## INVESTING IN THE FUTURE





# QUALITY YOU CAN RELY ON

from source to final product

At **NIMET**, quality starts with responsible sourcing and continues through every stage of production. We work exclusively with certified steel mills, ensuring full traceability and compliance with rigorous environmental and ethical standards.

The raw materials undergo ultrasonic and anti-mix testing, guaranteeing flawless input for our manufacturing process.

Our production lines are equipped with advanced, automated, and laser-controlled measurement systems to ensure precision. Internationally certified management systems support stable, repeatable results at the highest standards.

Since 2017, we have applied Lean Kaizen principles across our operations, driving continuous improvement, efficiency, and quality throughout the company.

# QUALITY ASSURANCE

## Metallography

Vickers micro hardness, metallography, structural characteristics of hardened layer

## Chrome layer measurements

Thickness, number of microcracks and chrome micro hardness performed in our laboratories

## Corrosion testing

NSS, AASS, and CASS tests following ISO 9227 standards, with evaluations performed according to ISO 10289. Simultaneous testing capability using spray chambers with automatic testing cycle setting

## Chemical composition control

Portable spectrometer for chemical composition screening

## In-line hardness testing

Real-time hardness parameter monitoring with the Magnatest system

## Engineering and design

In accordance with customers' specific requirements

EN ISO  
9001:2015



EN ISO  
14001:2015



ISO  
45001:2018



# WHERE PERFORMANCE MEETS THE SKY



# RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT

Continuous improvement and innovation are at the core of **NIMET**'s philosophy. Our R&D efforts focus on pushing boundaries through:

- Developing advanced, tailor-made solutions that adapt to ever-changing market demands
- Investing in cutting-edge facilities and installations to maintain the highest quality and performance

Just like our strategic partners, we believe collaboration, responsiveness, and ongoing learning fuel our growth.

Our R&D team works closely across departments, combining engineering excellence with practical insights to create next-generation products that deliver real-world value.

At **NIMET**, innovation isn't just about technology - it's about the people, processes, and passion behind every breakthrough.

# PRODUCT APPLICATIONS

NIMET's product portfolio serves both the hydraulic & pneumatic and the linear motion systems sectors.

The main product remains the chromed plated rod for hydraulic cylinders used in various applications from industrial equipment (agricultural, construction, mining, offshore, automotive, railways, oil extraction, cranes) to those that we find useful in our daily lives, such as fitness equipment.

Heavy industries use about 80% of our production and the rest go to the automation and IT accessories.

- Lifting and handling equipment
- Construction machinery
- Earth-moving machinery
- Mining equipment
- Agricultural machinery
- Logging and forest control machinery
- Marine and offshore industry
- Bodybuilding and fitness equipment
- Printing and sorting machinery
- Windmills and renewable energy systems
- Steel manufacturing industry equipment
- Automotive manufacturing industry equipment
- Shock absorbers and gas springs
- Pneumatic cylinders for medical equipment



# PRECISION IN EVERY DETAIL



We work with the latest technology and our CNC machines can perform high quality turning, milling, threading and drilling.

# CUSTOMIZED MACHINING

We provide precision CNC machining services based on your drawings and technical requirements.

Our solutions deliver ready-to-install components with high dimensional accuracy and consistent quality.

Machining operations include cutting, drilling, threading, milling. All processes preserve the integrity of the material surface and meet strict quality standards.



Outside diameter thread



Reduced diameter with/without feather keyway



End for moun with clevis clamp



Reduced diameter with threaded ends



Tube with external thread and internal grooves



Tube with internal thread and welding chamfer



Tube with external groove and internal thread



Tube with external groove and front holes



## LEADING WITH TECHNOLOGY

Innovation drives everything we do. That's why **NIMET** employs cutting-edge, fully automated chrome plating systems designed for precision, consistency, and high-volume output.

The result is a uniform chrome coating that enhances surface quality, improves corrosion resistance, and extends product lifespan, all essential for high-performance industrial applications.

All plating installations are environmentally controlled, ensuring safe and eco-friendly operations in line with international standards.

As part of our ongoing commitment to sustainability and innovation, **NIMET** continues to push the boundaries of chrome plating technology, reinforcing our role as a technology-driven and environmentally responsible industry leader.

## PRECISION ENGINEERED CHROME PLATED BARS AND TUBES

At **NIMET**, we specialize in manufacturing precision-engineered hard chrome-plated steel rods designed to meet the rigorous demands of hydraulic and pneumatic systems.

These bars are purpose-built for applications where high mechanical loads, abrasion, and corrosion are part of daily operation, making them a trusted choice for piston rods in challenging industrial environments.

Our products are known not only for their durability but also for their manufacturing integrity.

Key performance features include:

- Consistent performance and extended service life
- Exceptional resistance to wear and corrosion
- Excellent strength under mechanical stress
- Tight dimensional tolerances and uniform surface finish
- Optimal surface quality for critical sealing applications

These characteristics make **NIMET** bars a reliable component in fluid power systems where performance and longevity are non-negotiable.



# NIMAX SERIES

Chrome plated  
steel bars and tubes

## NIMAX CB Chrome plated steel bars

The hard chromed surface ensures corrosion and wear resistance while improving durability. Commonly used in non-aggressive environments, for rods not exposed to mechanical strokes or high-impact loads.

## NIMAX NCB Nickel-chrome plated steel bars

While standard chrome plating provides good corrosion resistance, it can be insufficient in highly aggressive environments.

Nickel-chrome plating offers enhanced durability and premium corrosion protection in conditions of high salinity and humidity, making it ideal for use in marine and offshore applications.

Low-carbon, weldable grades like 20MnV6 and 38MnVS6 are ideal substrates, providing high strength, corrosion resistance, and good machinability.

Typical applications: offshore, marine, wind and solar energy, aerospace, agriculture, mining, and oil & gas industries.

## NIMAX CBX Chrome plated stainless steel bars

Produced by hard chrome plating over stainless steel, these bars offer excellent corrosion resistance combined with strong mechanical properties.

Suitable for use in humid or moderately corrosive environments such as marine or pharmaceutical settings. Particularly effective for hydraulic cylinders exposed to frequent washing, cleaning agents, or variable climate conditions, where both wear resistance and corrosion protection are critical.

## NIMAX CT Chrome plated steel tubes

Designed for hydraulic systems where weight reduction is important, chrome plated tubes provide wear and corrosion resistance in applications with moderate environmental exposure.

## NIMAX CTI Internal chrome plated steel tubes

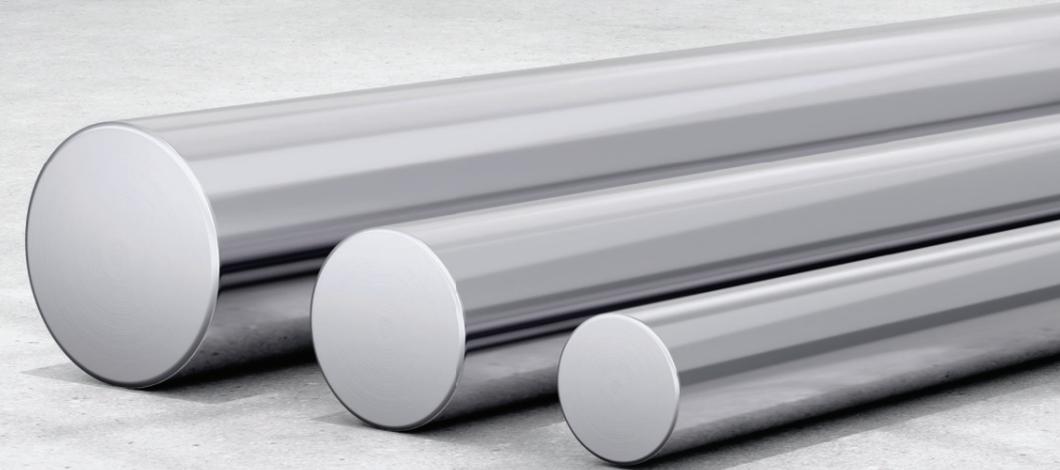
Developed for specific sectors such as concrete pumps and renewable energy, where internal wear and corrosion resistance are critical for performance and service life.

## NIMAX NCT Nickel-chrome plated steel tubes

Tube version of the nickel-chrome plating technology, designed for aggressive or highly corrosive environments.

Providing extended lifespan, corrosion resistance superior to standard chrome plating, and a weight-optimized alternative to solid piston rods, this solution is recommended for offshore, marine, oil & gas, and industrial applications.

# CHROME PLATED STEEL BARS



- CB** Chrome plated steel bars
- ICB** Induction hardened and chrome plated steel bars
- NCB** Nickel-chrome plated steel bars
- INCB** Induction hardened and nickel-chrome plated steel bars
- CBX** Chrome plated stainless steel bars



# Chrome plated steel bars

**NIMAX CB** C45E, C35E  
**NIMAX CBM** 20MnV6, 38MnVS6  
**NIMAX CBV** 42CrMo4+QT

<b>Dimensions</b> Ø6 - 160 mm / Ø1/4" - 6.25"	<b>Diameter tolerance</b> ISO f7 other, on request	<b>Roundness</b> max. 1/2 from diameter tolerance	<b>Chrome layer thickness</b> Ø < 14 mm: min. 15 µm Ø ≥ 14 mm: min. 20 µm Ø ≥ 25 mm: min. 50 µm, on request
<b>Chrome layer microhardness</b> min. 900 HV0.1	<b>Surface roughness</b> Ra: max. 0.20 µm	<b>Standard indicative length</b> 6400 / 7400 (-0/+100) mm other, on request	<b>Straightness</b> Ø ≤ 16 mm: max. 0.3 mm/1000 mm Ø > 16 mm: max. 0.2 mm/1000 mm
<b>Standard corrosion resistance</b> Ø < 14 mm & Cr layer min. 15 µm: NSS rating 10 after 120h, rating 9 after 200h Ø ≥ 14 mm & Cr layer min. 20 µm: NSS rating 10 after 120h, rating 9 after 200h	<b>High corrosion resistance</b> Ø ≥ 14 mm & Cr layer min. 20 µm: NSS rating 10 after 250h, rating 9 after 500h Ø ≥ 25 mm & Cr layer min. 50 µm: NSS rating 10 after 500h, rating 9 after 1000h	<b>Salt spray test NSS / AASS: ISO 9227</b> Evaluation: ISO 10289	

## Chemical composition - in % by weight

Steel grade	C	Si	Mn	P	S	Cr	Mo	Ni	Cu	V	N
C45E <sup>(1)</sup>	0.42 ± 0.50	0.10 ÷ 0.40	0.50 ± 0.80	max. 0.025	max. 0.035	max. 0.40	max. 0.10	max. 0.40	max. 0.30	-	-
C35E <sup>(1)</sup>	0.32 ± 0.39	0.10 ÷ 0.40	0.50 ± 0.80	max. 0.025	max. 0.035	max. 0.40	max. 0.10	max. 0.40	max. 0.30	-	-
20MnV6	0.16 ± 0.22	0.10 ÷ 0.50	1.30 ± 1.70	max. 0.035	max. 0.035	-	-	-	-	0.08 ÷ 0.20	-
38MnVS6	0.34 ± 0.41	0.15 ÷ 0.80	1.20 ± 1.60	max. 0.025	0.020 ÷ 0.060	max. 0.30	max. 0.08	-	-	0.08 ÷ 0.20	0.010 ÷ 0.020
42CrMo4	0.38 ± 0.45	0.10 ÷ 0.40	0.60 ± 0.90	max. 0.025	max. 0.035	0.90 ± 1.20	0.15 ÷ 0.30	-	max. 0.40	-	-

(1) Cr+Mo+Ni = max. 0.63

## Mechanical properties

Steel grade	Diameter Ø mm	Tensile strength R <sub>m</sub> N/mm <sup>2</sup>	Yield point R <sub>p0.2</sub> N/mm <sup>2</sup>	Elongation A <sub>5</sub> %	Impact energy KV <sub>2</sub> J	Hardness <sup>(1)</sup> Brinell N/mm <sup>2</sup>
C45E	6 < Ø ≤ 10	750 - 1050	min. 565	min. 5	-	225 - 320
	10 < Ø ≤ 16	710 - 1030	min. 500	min. 6	-	210 - 315
	16 < Ø ≤ 40	650 - 1000	min. 410	min. 7	-	200 - 298
	40 < Ø ≤ 63	630 - 900	min. 360	min. 8	-	200 - 298
	18 ≤ Ø ≤ 100	min. 580	min. 305	min. 14	-	172 - 242
C45E+QT	100 < Ø ≤ 160	min. 560	min. 275	min. 14	-	172 - 242
	20 ≤ Ø ≤ 40	650 - 800	min. 430	min. 16	-	195 - 240
	40 < Ø ≤ 100	630 - 780	min. 370	min. 17	-	190 - 270
C35E	100 < Ø ≤ 160	The values of R <sub>m</sub> , R <sub>p0.2</sub> and A <sub>5</sub> must be agreed				-
	6 < Ø ≤ 10	650 - 1000	min. 510	min. 6	-	190 - 298
	10 < Ø ≤ 16	600 - 950	min. 420	min. 7	-	180 - 285
	16 < Ø ≤ 40	580 - 880	min. 320	min. 8	-	172 - 263
	18 ≤ Ø ≤ 100	min. 520	min. 270	min. 19	-	154 - 207
20MnV6	100 < Ø ≤ 160	min. 500	min. 245	min. 19	-	154 - 207
	6 < Ø ≤ 25	min. 700	min. 620	min. 10	-	213 - 260
	19 < Ø ≤ 80	min. 600	min. 460	min. 18	min. 27J / - 20°C	159 - 220
20MnV6 M	80 < Ø ≤ 160	min. 550	min. 420	min. 18	-	155 - 220
	20 < Ø ≤ 90	min. 600	min. 520	min. 19	min. 27J / - 20°C	165 - 225
38MnVS6	20 < Ø ≤ 120	800 - 950	min. 520	min. 12	-	240 - 290
	120 < Ø ≤ 160	700 - 950	min. 520	min. 12	-	210 - 300
38MnV6X	20 < Ø ≤ 90	850 - 1000	min. 580	min. 14	-	240 - 290
	6 < Ø ≤ 16	1100 - 1300	min. 900	min. 10	-	298 - 359
42CrMo4+QT	16 < Ø ≤ 40	1000 - 1200	min. 750	min. 11	-	298 - 359
	40 < Ø ≤ 100	900 - 1100	min. 650	min. 12	min. 35J / 20°C	271 - 331
	100 < Ø ≤ 160	800 - 950	min. 550	min. 13	-	240 - 290

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**NIMAX ICB** C45E, C35E  
**NIMAX ICBM** 20MnV6, 38MnVS6  
**NIMAX ICBV** 42CrMo4+QT

# Induction hardened and chrome plated steel bars



<b>Dimensions</b> Ø6 - 160 mm / Ø1/4" - 6.25"	<b>Diameter tolerance</b> ISO f7 other, on request	<b>Roundness</b> max. 1/2 from diameter tolerance	<b>Chrome layer thickness</b> Ø < 14 mm: min. 15 µm Ø ≥ 14 mm: min. 20 µm Ø ≥ 25 mm: min. 50 µm, on request
<b>Chrome layer microhardness</b> min. 900 HV0.1	<b>Surface roughness</b> Ra: max. 0.20 µm	<b>Standard indicative length</b> 6400 / 7400 (-0/+100) mm other, on request	<b>Straightness</b> Ø ≤ 16 mm: max. 0.3 mm/1000 mm Ø > 16 mm: max. 0.2 mm/1000 mm
<b>Standard corrosion resistance</b> Ø < 14 mm & Cr layer min. 15 µm: NSS rating 10 after 120h, rating 9 after 200h Ø ≥ 14 mm & Cr layer min. 20 µm: NSS rating 10 after 120h, rating 9 after 200h	<b>High corrosion resistance</b> Ø ≥ 14 mm & Cr layer min. 20 µm: NSS rating 10 after 250h, rating 9 after 500h Ø ≥ 25 mm & Cr layer min. 50 µm: NSS rating 10 after 500h, rating 9 after 1000h	<b>Salt spray test NSS / AASS: ISO 9227</b> Evaluation: ISO 10289	

## Chemical composition - in % by weight

Steel grade	C	Si	Mn	P	S	Cr	Mo	Ni	Cu	V	N
C45E <sup>(1)</sup>	0.42 ± 0.50	0.10 ÷ 0.40	0.50 ± 0.80	max. 0.025	max. 0.035	max. 0.40	max. 0.10	max. 0.40	max. 0.30	-	-
C35E <sup>(1)</sup>	0.32 ± 0.39	0.10 ÷ 0.40	0.50 ± 0.80	max. 0.025	max. 0.035	max. 0.40	max. 0.10	max. 0.40	max. 0.30	-	-
20MnV6	0.16 ± 0.22	0.10 ÷ 0.50	1.30 ± 1.70	max. 0.035	max. 0.035	-	-	-	-	0.08 ÷ 0.20	-
38MnVS6	0.34 ± 0.41	0.15 ÷ 0.80	1.20 ± 1.60	max. 0.025	0.020 ÷ 0.060	max. 0.30	max. 0.08	-	-	0.08 ÷ 0.20	0.010 ÷ 0.020
42CrMo4	0.38 ± 0.45	0.10 ÷ 0.40	0.60 ± 0.90	max. 0.025	max. 0.035	0.90 ± 1.20	0.15 ÷ 0.30	-	max. 0.40	-	-

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## Mechanical properties

Steel grade	Diameter Ø mm	Tensile strength R <sub>m</sub> N/mm <sup>2</sup>	Yield point R <sub>p0.2</sub> N/mm <sup>2</sup>	Elongation A <sub>5</sub> %	Impact energy KV <sub>2</sub> J	Hardness <sup>(1)</sup> Brinell N/mm <sup>2</sup>
C45E	6 < Ø ≤ 10	750 - 1050	min. 565	min. 5	-	225 - 320
	10 < Ø ≤ 16	710 - 1030	min. 500	min. 6	-	210 - 315
	16 < Ø ≤ 40	650 - 1000	min. 410	min. 7	-	200 - 298
	40 < Ø ≤ 63	630 - 900	min. 360	min. 8	-	200 - 298
	18 ≤ Ø ≤ 100	min. 580	min. 305	min. 14	-	172 - 242
C45E+QT	100 < Ø ≤ 160	min. 560	min. 275	min. 14	-	172 - 242
	20 ≤ Ø ≤ 40	650 - 800	min. 430	min. 16	-	195 - 240
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C35E	100 < Ø ≤ 160	The values of R <sub>m</sub> , R <sub>p0.2</sub> and A <sub>5</sub> must be agreed				-
	6 < Ø ≤ 10	650 - 1000	min. 510	min. 6	-	190 - 298
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20MnV6	100 < Ø ≤ 160	min. 500	min. 245	min. 19	-	154 - 207
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	19 < Ø ≤ 80	min. 600	min. 460	min. 18	min. 27J / - 20°C	159 - 220
20MnV6 M	80 < Ø ≤ 160	min. 550	min. 420	min. 18	-	155 - 220
	20 < Ø ≤ 90	min. 600	min. 520	min. 19	min. 27J / - 20°C	165 - 225
38MnVS6	20 < Ø ≤ 120	800 - 950	min. 520	min. 12	-	240 - 290
	120 < Ø ≤ 160	700 - 950	min. 520	min. 12	-	210 - 300
38MnV6X	20 < Ø ≤ 90	850 - 1000	min. 580	min. 14	-	240 - 290
	6 < Ø ≤ 16	1100 - 1300	min. 900	min. 10	-	298 - 359
42CrMo4+QT	16 < Ø ≤ 40	1000 - 1200	min. 750	min. 11	-	298 - 359
	40 < Ø ≤ 100	900 - 1100	min. 650	min. 12	min. 35J / 20°C	271 - 331
	100 < Ø ≤ 160	800 - 950	min. 550	min. 13	-	240 - 290

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## Steel grade surface hardness

	NIMAX ICB C35E	NIMAX ICB C45E	NIMAX ICBM 20MnV6	NIMAX ICBM 38MnVS6	NIMAX ICBV 42CrMo4+QT
Surface hardness beneath the chrome layer	55±3 HRC	58±3 HRC	45±3 HRC	57±3 HRC	59±3 HRC

<b>Dimensions</b> Ø18 - 160 mm / Ø3/4" - 6.25"	<b>Diameter tolerance</b> ISO f7 other, on request	<b>Roundness</b> max. 1/2 from diameter tolerance	<b>Nickel layer thickness</b> NiCro 150: min. 15 µm NiCro 500: min. 25 µm
<b>Chrome layer thickness</b> NiCro 150: min. 20 µm NiCro 500: min. 20 µm	<b>Nickel layer microhardness</b> ca. 300 HV0.1	<b>Chrome layer microhardness</b> min. 900 HV0.1	<b>Surface roughness</b> Ra: max. 0.20 µm
<b>Standard indicative length</b> 6400 / 7400 (-0/+100) mm other, on request	<b>Straightness</b> Ø ≤ 16 mm: max. 0.3 mm/1000 mm Ø > 16 mm: max. 0.2 mm/1000 mm	<b>Corrosion resistance</b> NiCro 150: AASS rating 10 after 150h, NSS rating 10 after 500h NiCro 500: AASS rating 10 after 500h, NSS rating 10 after 1500h	<b>Salt spray test NSS / AASS / CASS:</b> ISO 9227. Evaluation: ISO 10289

Chemical composition - in % by weight

Steel grade	C	Si	Mn	P	S	Cr	Mo	Ni	Cu	V	N
C45E <sup>(1)</sup>	0.42 ÷ 0.50	0.10 ÷ 0.40	0.50 ÷ 0.80	max. 0.025	max. 0.035	max. 0.40	max. 0.10	max. 0.40	max. 0.30	-	-
C35E <sup>(1)</sup>	0.32 ÷ 0.39	0.10 ÷ 0.40	0.50 ÷ 0.80	max. 0.025	max. 0.035	max. 0.40	max. 0.10	max. 0.40	max. 0.30	-	-
20MnV6	0.16 ÷ 0.22	0.10 ÷ 0.50	1.30 ÷ 1.70	max. 0.035	max. 0.035	-	-	-	-	0.08 ÷ 0.20	-
38MnVS6	0.34 ÷ 0.41	0.15 ÷ 0.80	1.20 ÷ 1.60	max. 0.025	0.020 ÷ 0.060	max. 0.30	max. 0.08	-	-	0.08 ÷ 0.20	0.010 ÷ 0.020
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20MnV6	18 ≤ Ø ≤ 100	min. 520	min. 270	min. 19	-	154 - 207
	100 < Ø ≤ 160	min. 500	min. 245	min. 19	-	154 - 207
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38MnV6X	120 < Ø ≤ 160	700 - 950	min. 520	min. 12	-	210 - 300
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42CrMo4+QT	18 < Ø ≤ 40	1000 - 1200	min. 750	min. 11	-	298 - 359
	40 < Ø ≤ 100	900 - 1100	min. 650	min. 12	min. 35J / 20°C	271 - 331
	100 < Ø ≤ 160	800 - 950	min. 550	min. 13	-	240 - 290

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<b>Standard indicative length</b> 6400 / 7400 (-0/+100) mm other, on request	<b>Straightness</b> Ø ≤ 16 mm: max. 0.3 mm/1000 mm Ø > 16 mm: max. 0.2 mm/1000 mm	<b>Corrosion resistance</b> NiCro 150: AASS rating 10 after 150h, NSS rating 10 after 500h NiCro 500: AASS rating 10 after 500h, NSS rating 10 after 1500h	<b>Salt spray test NSS / AASS / CASS:</b> ISO 9227. Evaluation: ISO 10289

Chemical composition - in % by weight

Steel grade	C	Si	Mn	P	S	Cr	Mo	Ni	Cu	V	N
C45E <sup>(1)</sup>	0.42 ÷ 0.50	0.10 ÷ 0.40	0.50 ÷ 0.80	max. 0.025	max. 0.035	max. 0.40	max. 0.10	max. 0.40	max. 0.30	-	-
20MnV6	0.16 ÷ 0.22	0.10 ÷ 0.50	1.30 ÷ 1.70	max. 0.035	max. 0.035	-	-	-	-	0.08 ÷ 0.20	-
38MnVS6	0.34 ÷ 0.41	0.15 ÷ 0.80	1.20 ÷ 1.60	max. 0.025	0.020 ÷ 0.060	max. 0.30	max. 0.08	-	-	0.08 ÷ 0.20	0.010 ÷ 0.020

(1) Cr+Mo+Ni = max. 0.63

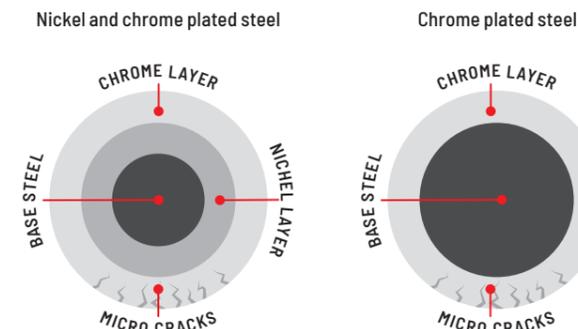
Mechanical properties

Steel grade	Diameter Ø mm	Tensile strength R <sub>m</sub> N/mm <sup>2</sup>	Yield point R <sub>p0.2</sub> N/mm <sup>2</sup>	Elongation A <sub>5</sub> %	Impact energy KV <sub>2</sub> J	Hardness <sup>(1)</sup> Brinell N/mm <sup>2</sup>
C45E	18 < Ø ≤ 40	650 - 1000	min. 410	min. 7	-	200 - 298
	40 < Ø ≤ 63	630 - 900	min. 360	min. 8	-	200 - 298
	18 ≤ Ø ≤ 100	min. 580	min. 305	min. 14	-	172 - 242
	100 < Ø ≤ 160	min. 560	min. 275	min. 14	-	172 - 242
20MnV6	18 < Ø ≤ 25	min. 700	min. 620	min. 10	min. 27J / -20°C	213 - 260
	19 < Ø ≤ 80	min. 600	min. 460	min. 18	-	159 - 220
20MnV6 M	80 < Ø ≤ 160	min. 550	min. 420	min. 18	-	155 - 220
	20 < Ø ≤ 90	min. 600	min. 520	min. 19	min. 27J / -20°C	165 - 225
38MnVS6	20 < Ø ≤ 120	800 - 950	min. 520	min. 12	-	240 - 290
	120 < Ø ≤ 160	700 - 950	min. 520	min. 12	-	210 - 300
38MnV6X	20 < Ø ≤ 90	850 - 1000	min. 580	min. 14	-	240 - 290

(1) The hardness values are for information only

Steel grade surface hardness

	NiCro INCB C45E	NiCro INCBM 20MnV6	NiCro INCBM 38MnVS6
Surface hardness beneath the chrome layer	54±3 HRC	44±3 HRC	54±3 HRC



Nickel layer free from cracks and pores isolates the base material from atmospheric corrosion; chrome layer provides further corrosion resistance and excellent wear resistance.



## Chrome plated stainless steel bars

### NIMAX CBX

W1.4021 (AISI 420), W1.4057 (AISI 431)  
W1.4301 (AISI 304), W1.4401 (AISI 316)

<b>Dimensions</b> Ø6 - 80 mm / Ø1/4" - 3.25"	<b>Diameter tolerance</b> ISO f7 other, on request	<b>Roundness</b> max. 1/2 from diameter tolerance	<b>Chrome layer thickness</b> Ø < 14 mm: min. 15 µm Ø ≥ 14 mm: min. 20 µm
<b>Chrome layer microhardness</b> min. 900 HV0.1	<b>Surface roughness</b> Ra: max. 0.20 µm	<b>Standard indicative length</b> 6400 (-0/+100) mm other, on request	<b>Straightness</b> Ø ≤ 16 mm: max. 0.3 mm/1000 mm Ø > 16 mm: max. 0.2 mm/1000 mm
<b>Corrosion resistance</b>			
W1.4021 (AISI 420): NSS rating 9 after 200h W1.4057 (AISI 431): NSS rating 9 after 500h	W1.4301 (AISI 304): NSS rating 9 after 1200h W1.4401 (AISI 316): NSS rating 9 after 1450h	Salt spray test NSS / AASS: ISO 9227 Evaluation: ISO 10289	

#### Chemical composition - in % by weight

Steel grade	C	Si max.	Mn max.	P max.	S max.	Cr	Mo	Ni	N	Cu
W1.4021	0.16 ÷ 0.25	1.00	1.50	0.040	0.03	12.00 ÷ 14.00	-	-	-	-
W1.4057	0.12 ÷ 0.22	1.00	1.50	0.040	0.03	15.00 ÷ 17.00	-	1.50 ÷ 2.50	-	-
W1.4301	max. 0.07	1.00	2.00	0.045	0.03	17.50 ÷ 19.50	-	8.00 ÷ 10.50	max. 0.10	-
W1.4401	max. 0.07	1.00	2.00	0.045	0.03	16.50 ÷ 18.50	2.00 ÷ 2.50	10.00 ÷ 13.00	max. 0.10	-

#### Mechanical properties

Steel grade	Delivery condition	Diameter Ø mm	Tensile strength R <sub>m</sub>		Yield point R <sub>p0.2</sub> N/mm <sup>2</sup>	Elongation <sup>(1)</sup> A <sub>5</sub> %	Hardness Brinell N/mm <sup>2</sup>
			N/mm <sup>2</sup>	N/mm <sup>2</sup>			
W1.4021	A	6 ≤ Ø ≤ 80	-	max. 760 <sup>(2)</sup>	-	-	max. 230 <sup>(2)</sup>
	QT700	Ø ≤ 80	min. 700	max. 850	min. 500	min. 13	-
	QT800	Ø ≤ 80	min. 800	max. 950	min. 600	min. 12	-
W1.4057	A	6 ≤ Ø ≤ 80	-	max. 950 <sup>(2)</sup>	-	-	max. 295 <sup>(2)</sup>
	QT800	Ø ≤ 60	min. 800	max. 950	min. 600	min. 14	-
	QT900	60 < Ø ≤ 80	min. 800	max. 950	min. 600	min. 12	-
W1.4301	A	Ø ≤ 60	min. 900	max. 1050	min. 700	min. 12	-
		60 < Ø ≤ 80	min. 900	max. 1050	min. 700	min. 10	-
W1.4301	A	Ø ≤ 80	min. 500	max. 700 <sup>(3)</sup>	min. 190	min. 40 <sup>(3)</sup>	max. 215 <sup>(3)</sup>
W1.4401	A	Ø ≤ 80	min. 500	max. 700 <sup>(3)</sup>	min. 200	min. 40 <sup>(3)</sup>	max. 215 <sup>(3)</sup>

A = Annealed / QT = Quenched and tempered

(1) Longitudinal

(2) The maximum HB values may be raised with 60 HB or the maximum tensile strength with 150 N/mm<sup>2</sup> for bars up to 35 mm, having undergone final cold working

(3) The maximum HB values may be raised with 100 HB or the tensile strength with 200 N/mm<sup>2</sup> and the minimum elongation value be lowered to 20% for bars up to 35 mm, having undergone final cold working

# CHROME PLATED STEEL TUBES



- CT** Chrome plated steel tubes
- ICT** Induction hardened and chrome plated steel tubes
- NCT** Nickel-chrome plated steel tubes
- INCT** Induction hardened and nickel-chrome plated steel tubes
- CTI** Internal chrome plated steel tubes



# Chrome plated steel tubes

**NIMAX CT**  
E355+SR, E355+N, P460N+N, 20MnV6+N

- Outside diameter - OD**  
Ø12 - 140 mm
- Inside diameter - ID**  
see standard dimensions range
- Outside tolerance - OD**  
ISO f7 / ISO f8  
other, on request
- Roundness - OD**  
max. 1/2 from diameter tolerance
- Chrome layer thickness**  
Ø < 14 mm: min. 15 µm  
Ø ≥ 14 mm: min. 20 µm  
Ø ≥ 25 mm: min. 50 µm, on request
- Chrome layer microhardness**  
min. 900 HV0.1
- Surface roughness - OD**  
Ra: max. 0.20 µm
- Standard indicative length**  
6400 / 7400 (-0/+200) mm  
other, on request
- Straightness**  
max. 0.25 mm / 1000 mm
- Standard corrosion resistance**  
OD < 14 mm & Cr layer min. 15 µm:  
NSS rating 10 after 120h, rating 9 after 200h  
OD ≥ 14 mm & Cr layer min. 20 µm:  
NSS rating 10 after 120h, rating 9 after 200h
- High corrosion resistance**  
OD ≥ 14 mm & Cr layer min. 20 µm:  
NSS rating 10 after 250h, rating 9 after 500h  
OD ≥ 25 mm & Cr layer min. 50 µm:  
NSS rating 10 after 500h, rating 9 after 1000h
- Salt spray test NSS / AASS: ISO 9227**  
Evaluation: ISO 10289

## Chemical composition - in % by weight

Steel grade	C	Si	Mn	P	S	Cr	Mo	Ni	V	Cu	N
E355	max. 0.22	max. 0.55	max. 1.60	max. 0.025	max. 0.025	-	-	-	-	-	-
P460N	max. 0.20	max. 0.60	1.00 ÷ 1.70	max. 0.025	max. 0.020	max. 0.30	max. 0.10	max. 0.80	max. 0.20	max. 0.70	max. 0.020
20MnV6	0.16 ÷ 0.22	0.10 ÷ 0.50	1.30 ÷ 1.70	max. 0.035	max. 0.035	-	-	-	0.08 ÷ 0.20	-	-

## Mechanical properties

Steel grade	Tensile strength	Yield point	Elongation (longitudinal)	Impact energy <sup>(2)</sup> (longitudinal direction)	Hardness <sup>(3)</sup>
	R <sub>m</sub> N/mm <sup>2</sup>	R <sub>p0.2</sub> N/mm <sup>2</sup>	A <sub>5</sub> %	KV <sub>2</sub> J	Brinell N/mm <sup>2</sup>
E355+SR	min. 580	min. 450	min. 10	min. 27J / -20°C	min. 175
E355+N	490 - 630	min. 355 <sup>(4)</sup>	min. 22	min. 27J / -20°C	155 - 194
P460N+N	560 - 730	min. 460 <sup>(1)</sup>	min. 19	min. 40J / -20°C	170 - 220
20MnV6+N	550 - 800	min. 450	min. 20	min. 27J / -20°C	165 - 240

SR = stress-relieved, N = normalized  
(1) Wall thickness ≤ 12 mm  
(2) On request

(3) The hardness values is for information only  
(4) The Yield Point value is for information only

## Standard dimensions range

Outside diameter mm	12	16	20	25	28	30	32	35	40	45	50	55	60	63	65	70	75	80	85	90	100	110	120	140
Inside diameter mm	8	10	14	15	16	15	16	20	20	25	30	35	40	43	45	50	55	60	65	70	80	90	100	120
Wall thickness mm	-	-	15	18	-	20	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	53	50	55	60	65	70	75	85	95	-	-
Wall thickness mm	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	30	35	40	45	50	-	55	60	65	70	-	80	90	-	-	-
Wall thickness mm	2	3	3	5	6	7.5	8	5	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Wall thickness mm	-	-	2.5	3.5	-	5	6	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	5	7.5	7.5	7.5	5	7.5	7.5	7.5	-	-	-
Wall thickness mm	-	-	-	2.5	-	-	-	-	5	5	5	5	5	-	5	5	5	5	-	5	5	-	-	-



**NIMAX ICT**  
E355+SR, E355+N, P460N+N, 20MnV6+N

# Induction hardened and chrome plated steel tubes

- Outside diameter - OD**  
Ø40 - 125 mm
- Inside diameter - ID**  
see standard dimensions range
- Outside tolerance - OD**  
ISO f7 / ISO f8  
other, on request
- Roundness - OD**  
max. 1/2 from diameter tolerance
- Chrome layer thickness**  
Ø < 14 mm: min. 15 µm  
Ø ≥ 14 mm: min. 20 µm  
Ø ≥ 25 mm: min. 50 µm, on request
- Chrome layer microhardness**  
min. 900 HV0.1
- Surface roughness - OD**  
Ra: max. 0.20 µm
- Standard indicative length**  
6400 / 7400 (-0/+200) mm  
other, on request
- Straightness**  
max. 0.25 mm / 1000 mm
- Standard corrosion resistance**  
OD < 14 mm & Cr layer min. 15 µm:  
NSS rating 10 after 120h, rating 9 after 200h  
OD ≥ 14 mm & Cr layer min. 20 µm:  
NSS rating 10 after 120h, rating 9 after 200h
- High corrosion resistance**  
OD ≥ 14 mm & Cr layer min. 20 µm:  
NSS rating 10 after 250h, rating 9 after 500h  
OD ≥ 25 mm & Cr layer min. 50 µm:  
NSS rating 10 after 500h, rating 9 after 1000h
- Salt spray test NSS / AASS: ISO 9227**  
Evaluation: ISO 10289

## Chemical composition - in % by weight

Steel grade	C	Si	Mn	P	S	Cr	Mo	Ni	V	Cu	N
E355	max. 0.22	max. 0.55	max. 1.60	max. 0.025	max. 0.025	-	-	-	-	-	-
P460N	max. 0.20	max. 0.60	1.00 ÷ 1.70	max. 0.025	max. 0.020	max. 0.30	max. 0.10	max. 0.80	max. 0.20	max. 0.70	max. 0.020
20MnV6	0.16 ÷ 0.22	0.10 ÷ 0.50	1.30 ÷ 1.70	max. 0.035	max. 0.035	-	-	-	0.08 ÷ 0.20	-	-

## Mechanical properties

Steel grade	Tensile strength	Yield point	Elongation (longitudinal)	Impact energy <sup>(2)</sup> (longitudinal direction)	Hardness <sup>(3)</sup>
	R <sub>m</sub> N/mm <sup>2</sup>	R <sub>p0.2</sub> N/mm <sup>2</sup>	A <sub>5</sub> %	KV <sub>2</sub> J	Brinell N/mm <sup>2</sup>
E355+SR	min. 580	min. 450	min. 10	min. 27J / -20°C	min. 175
E355+N	490 - 630	min. 355 <sup>(4)</sup>	min. 22	min. 27J / -20°C	155 - 194
P460N+N	560 - 730	min. 460 <sup>(1)</sup>	min. 19	min. 40J / -20°C	170 - 220
20MnV6+N	550 - 800	min. 450	min. 20	min. 27J / -20°C	165 - 240

SR = stress-relieved, N = normalized  
(1) Wall thickness ≤ 12 mm  
(2) On request

(3) The hardness values is for information only  
(4) The Yield Point value is for information only

## Steel grade surface hardness

	NIMAX ICT E355+SR	NIMAX ICT P460N+N	NIMAX ICT 20MnV6+N
Surface hardness beneath the chrome layer	42±4 HRC	42±4 HRC	42±4 HRC

## Standard dimensions range

Outside diameter mm	40	45	50	55	60	63	70	75	80	85	90	100	110	120	125
Inside diameter mm	20	25	30	35	45	43	50	55	50	65	70	80	90	100	100
Inside diameter mm	25	30	35	40	50	50	55	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wall thickness mm	10	10	10	10	7.5	10	10	10	15	10	10	10	10	10	12.5
Wall thickness mm	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	5	6.5	7.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

## Dimensions

Outside diameter - OD: Ø30 - 140 mm  
Inside diameter - ID: see standard dimensions range

## Outside diameter tolerance - OD

ISO f7 / ISO f8  
other, on request

## Roundness - OD

max. 1/2 from diameter tolerance

## Nickel layer thickness

NiCro 150: min. 15 µm  
NiCro 500: min. 25 µm

## Chrome layer thickness

NiCro 150: min. 20 µm  
NiCro 500: min. 20 µm

## Nickel layer microhardness

ca. 300 HV0.1

## Chrome layer microhardness

min. 900 HV0.1

## Surface roughness - OD

Ra: max. 0.20 µm

## Standard indicative length

6400 / 7400 (-0/+200) mm  
other, on request

## Straightness

max. 0.25 mm / 1000 mm

## Corrosion resistance

NiCro 150: AASS rating 10 after 150h,  
NSS rating 10 after 500h  
NiCro 500: AASS rating 10 after 500h,  
NSS rating 10 after 1500h

Salt spray test NSS / AASS / CASS:  
ISO 9227. Evaluation: ISO 10289

## Chemical composition - in % by weight

Steel grade	C	Si	Mn	P	S	Cr	Mo	Ni	V	Cu	N
E355	max. 0.22	max. 0.55	max. 1.60	max. 0.025	max. 0.025	-	-	-	-	-	-
P460N	max. 0.20	max. 0.60	1.00 ÷ 1.70	max. 0.025	max. 0.020	max. 0.30	max. 0.10	max. 0.80	max. 0.20	max. 0.70	max. 0.020
20MnV6	0.16 ÷ 0.22	0.10 ÷ 0.50	1.30 ÷ 1.70	max. 0.035	max. 0.035	-	-	-	0.08 ÷ 0.20	-	-

## Mechanical properties

Steel grade	Tensile strength		Yield point		Elongation (longitudinal)		Impact energy <sup>(2)</sup> (longitudinal direction)		Hardness <sup>(3)</sup>	
	R <sub>m</sub> N/mm <sup>2</sup>	R <sub>p0.2</sub> N/mm <sup>2</sup>	A <sub>5</sub> %	KV <sub>2</sub> J	Brinell N/mm <sup>2</sup>					
E355+SR	min. 580	min. 450	min. 10	min. 27J / -20°C	min. 175					
E355+N	490 - 630	min. 355 <sup>(4)</sup>	min. 22	min. 27J / -20°C	155 - 194					
P460N+N	560 - 730	min. 460 <sup>(1)</sup>	min. 19	min. 40J / -20°C	170 - 220					
20MnV6+N	550 - 800	min. 450	min. 20	min. 27J / -20°C	165 - 240					

SR = stress-relieved, N = normalized  
(1) Wall thickness ≤ 12 mm  
(2) On request

(3) The hardness values is for information only  
(4) The Yield Point value is for information only

## Standard dimensions range

Outside diameter mm	30	32	35	40	45	50	55	60	63	65	70	75	80	85	90	100	110	120	140
Inside diameter mm	15	16	20	20	25	30	35	40	43	45	50	55	60	65	70	80	90	100	120
Wall thickness mm	7.5	8	5	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
	5	6	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	5	7.5	7.5	7.5	-	-	-
	-	-	-	5	5	5	5	5	-	5	5	5	5	-	5	5	-	-	-

## Dimensions

Outside diameter - OD: Ø40 - 125 mm  
Inside diameter - ID: see standard dimensions range

## Outside diameter tolerance - OD

ISO f7 / ISO f8  
other, on request

## Roundness - OD

max. 1/2 from diameter tolerance

## Nickel layer thickness

NiCro 150: min. 15 µm  
NiCro 500: min. 25 µm

## Chrome layer thickness

NiCro 150: min. 20 µm  
NiCro 500: min. 20 µm

## Nickel layer microhardness

ca. 300 HV0.1

## Chrome layer microhardness

min. 900 HV0.1

## Surface roughness - OD

Ra: max. 0.20 µm

## Standard indicative length

6400 / 7400 (-0/+200) mm  
other, on request

## Straightness

max. 0.25 mm / 1000 mm

## Corrosion resistance

NiCro 150: AASS rating 10 after 150h,  
NSS rating 10 after 500h  
NiCro 500: AASS rating 10 after 500h,  
NSS rating 10 after 1500h

Salt spray test NSS / AASS / CASS:  
ISO 9227. Evaluation: ISO 10289

## Chemical composition - in % by weight

Steel grade	C	Si	Mn	P	S	Cr	Mo	Ni	V	Cu	N
E355	max. 0.22	max. 0.55	max. 1.60	max. 0.025	max. 0.025	-	-	-	-	-	-
P460N	max. 0.20	max. 0.60	1.00 ÷ 1.70	max. 0.025	max. 0.020	max. 0.30	max. 0.10	max. 0.80	max. 0.20	max. 0.70	max. 0.020
20MnV6	0.16 ÷ 0.22	0.10 ÷ 0.50	1.30 ÷ 1.70	max. 0.035	max. 0.035	-	-	-	0.08 ÷ 0.20	-	-

## Mechanical properties

Steel grade	Tensile strength		Yield point		Elongation (longitudinal)		Impact energy <sup>(2)</sup> (longitudinal direction)		Hardness <sup>(3)</sup>	
	R <sub>m</sub> N/mm <sup>2</sup>	R <sub>p0.2</sub> N/mm <sup>2</sup>	A <sub>5</sub> %	KV <sub>2</sub> J	Brinell N/mm <sup>2</sup>					
E355+SR	min. 580	min. 450	min. 10	min. 27J / -20°C	min. 175					
E355+N	490 - 630	min. 355 <sup>(4)</sup>	min. 22	min. 27J / -20°C	155 - 194					
P460N+N	560 - 730	min. 460 <sup>(1)</sup>	min. 19	min. 40J / -20°C	170 - 220					
20MnV6+N	550 - 800	min. 450	min. 20	min. 27J / -20°C	165 - 240					

SR = stress-relieved, N = normalized  
(1) Wall thickness ≤ 12 mm  
(2) On request

(3) The hardness values is for information only  
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## Steel grade surface hardness

	NIMAX ICT E355+SR	NIMAX ICT P460N+N	NIMAX ICT 20MnV6+N
Surface hardness beneath the chrome layer	42±4 HRC	42±4 HRC	42±4 HRC

## Standard dimensions range

Outside diameter mm	40	45	50	55	60	63	70	75	80	85	90	100	110	120	125
Inside diameter mm	20	25	30	35	45	43	50	55	50	65	70	80	90	100	100
Wall thickness mm	10	10	10	10	7.5	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	12.5
	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	5	6.5	7.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-



## Internal chrome plated steel tubes

**NIMAX CTI**  
E355+SR

- Outside diameter - OD**  
Ø80 - 225 mm
- Inside diameter - ID**  
Ø70 - 200 mm
- Outside tolerance - OD**  
according to EN 10305-1 / EN 10305-2
- Inside tolerance - ID**  
ISO H8 / ISO H9
- Roundness - OD**  
within the limits of the diameter tolerances
- Roundness - ID**  
within the limits of the diameter tolerances
- Chrome layer thickness**  
min. 20 µm
- Chrome layer microhardness**  
min. 900 HV0.1
- Surface roughness - ID**  
Ra: max. 0.30 µm
- Standard indicative length**  
requested by specification, but max. 1.100 mm
- Straightness**  
max. 0.4 mm / 1000 mm

### Chemical composition - in % by weight

Steel grade	C	Si	Mn	P	S	Cr	Mo	Ni	V	Cu	N
E355	max. 0.22	max. 0.55	max. 1.60	max. 0.025	max. 0.025	-	-	-	-	-	-

### Mechanical properties

Steel grade	Tensile strength	Yield point	Elongation (longitudinal)	Impact energy <sup>(1)</sup> (longitudinal direction)	Hardness <sup>(2)</sup>
	R <sub>m</sub> N/mm <sup>2</sup>	R <sub>p0.2</sub> N/mm <sup>2</sup>	A <sub>5</sub> %	KV <sub>2</sub> J	Brinell N/mm <sup>2</sup>
E355+SR	min. 580	min. 450	min. 10	min. 27J / -20°C	min. 175

SR = stress-relieved  
(1) On request

(2) The hardness values is for information only  
(3) The Yield Point value is for information only

### Standard dimensions range

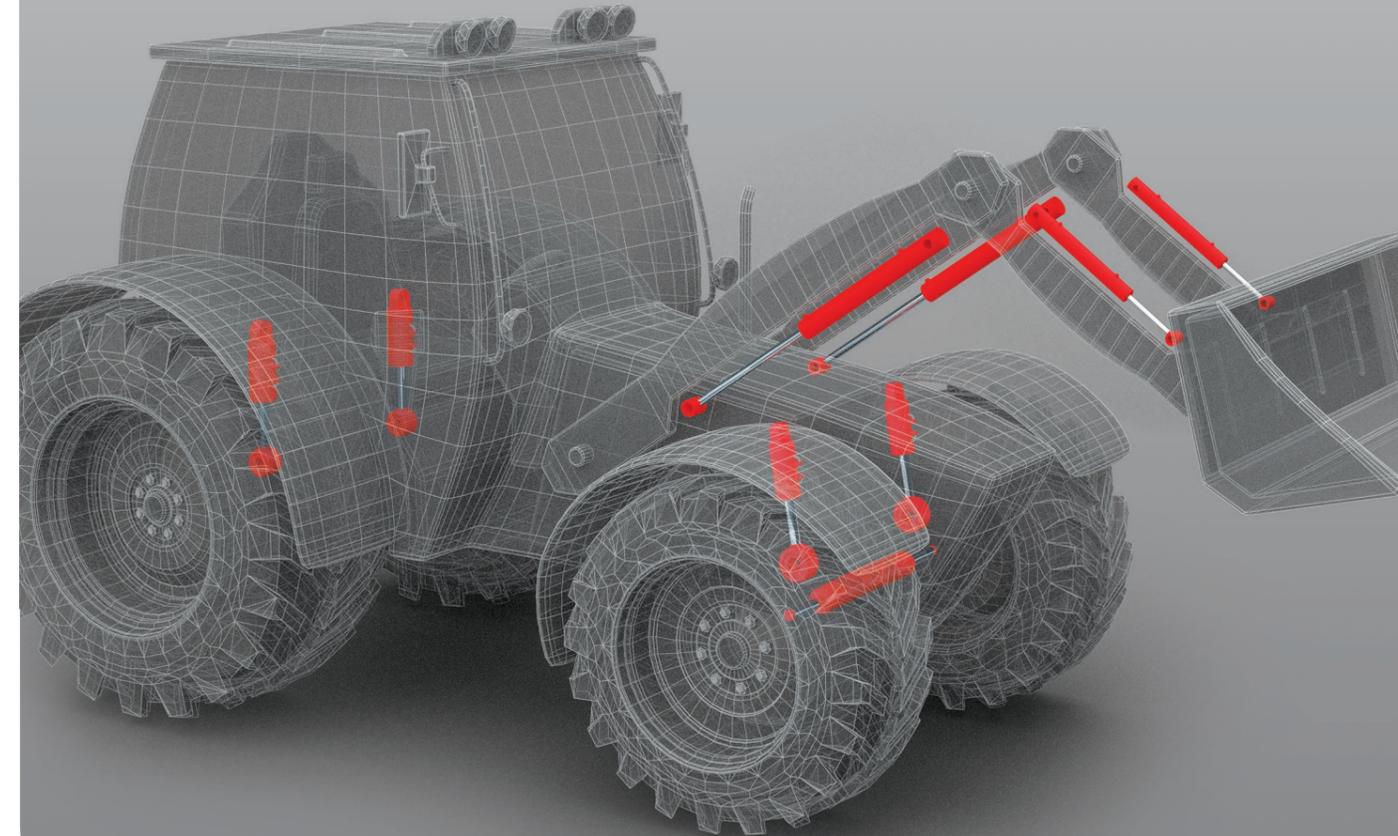
Outside diameter mm	80	90	105	110	115	125	145	150	160	165	170	175	190	195	210	216	225
Inside diameter mm	70	80	90	95	100	110	125	120	135	140	145	140	160	160	180	200	200
Wall thickness mm	5	5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	10	15	12.5	12.5	12.5	17.5	15	17.5	15.0	8	12.5

\* Other dimensions on request

## Precision customized PISTON RODS

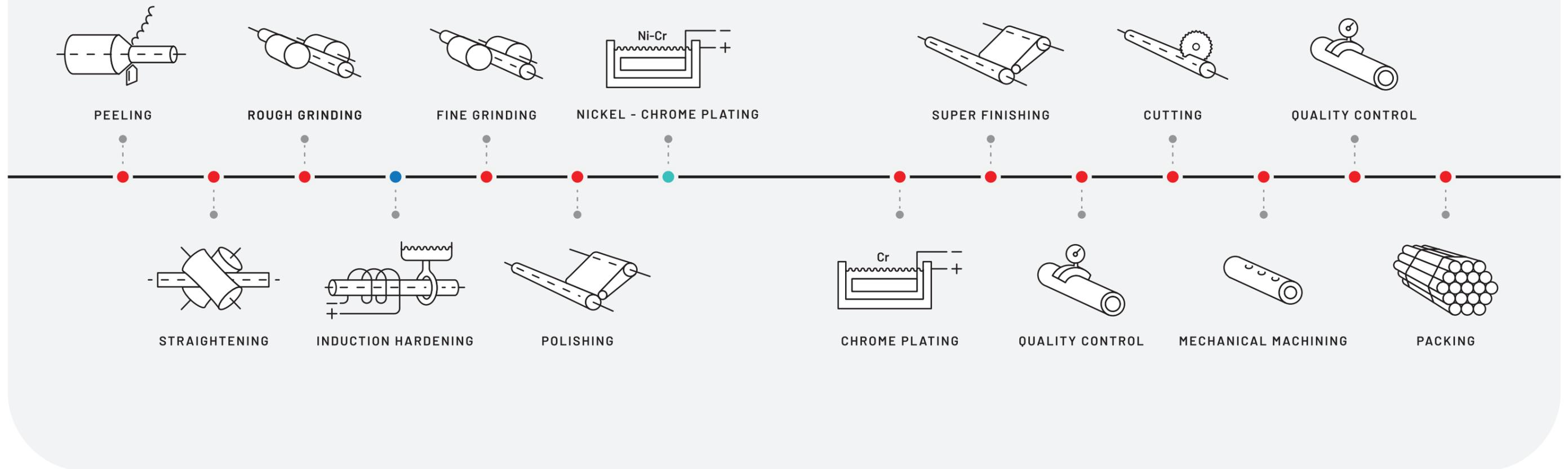
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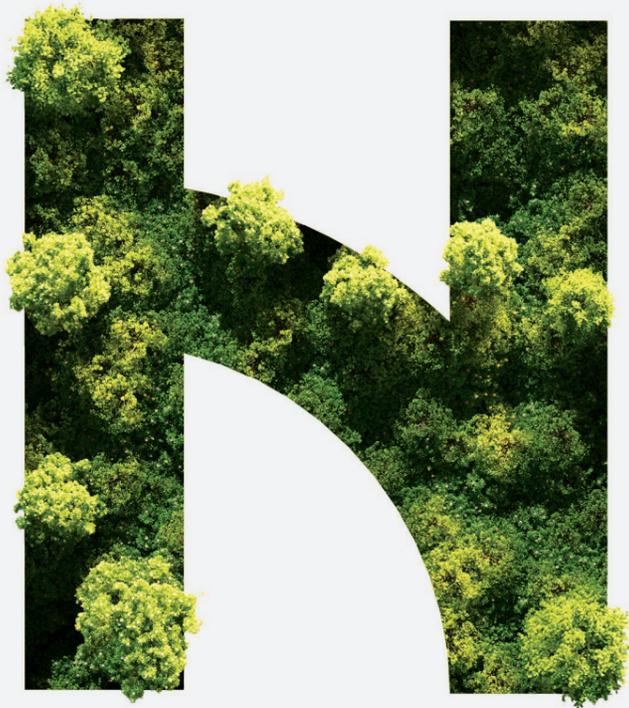


Nowadays, the market is more demanding and requires a high level of service which we are ready to sustain with solutions tailored to customer needs:

- materials with particular characteristics (chemical composition, mechanical properties, hardening parameters, surface finishing);
- special lengths and cutting to specific lengths;
- technical support;
- custom finished or semi-finished products based on the customer's drawing or our own design.

**NIMET's** product portfolio is designed to support both the hydraulic & pneumatic and linear motion systems industries. Our core product is the chrome-plated rod used in hydraulic cylinders - an essential component across sectors such as agriculture, construction, automotive, mining, and various industrial applications.

Our production process integrates modern technologies and strict quality assurance at every step. Through continuous innovation and expertise, we deliver precision, reliability, and consistent quality - strengthening our position as a trusted partner for global OEMs and distributors.



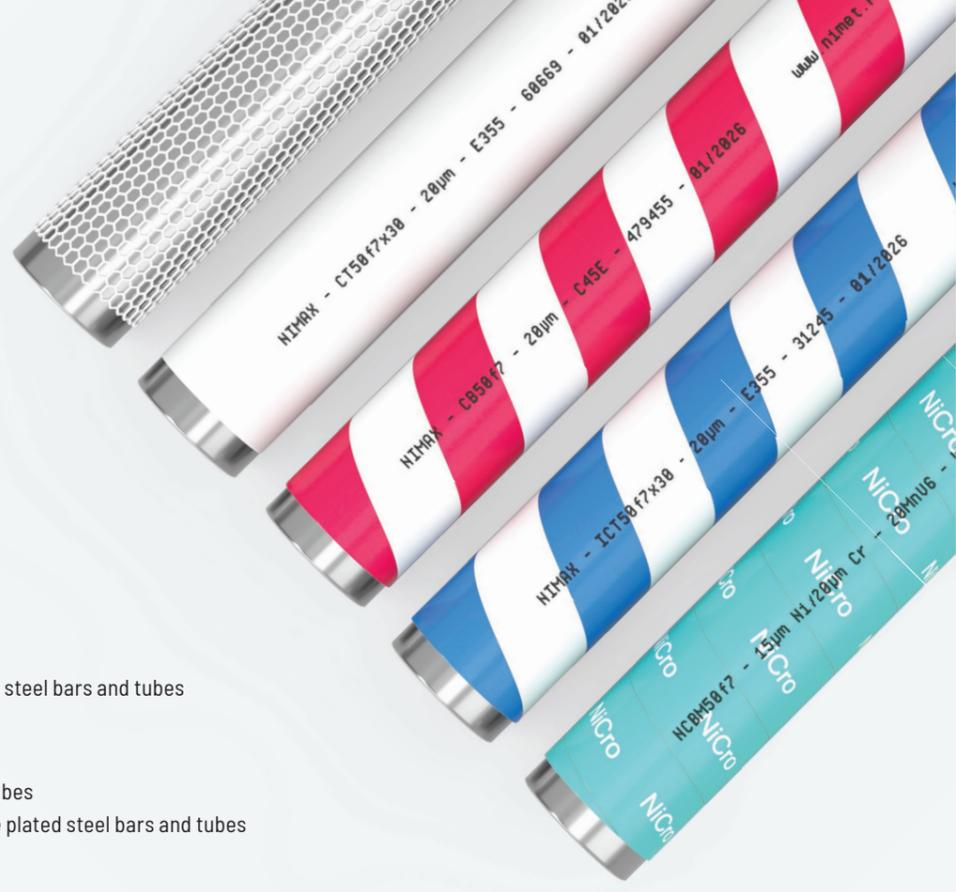
## SUSTAINABILITY & RESPONSIBLE SOURCING

At **NIMET**, sustainability is integral to our operations. With over 700 employees and 50.000 sqm of production space, we are committed to:

- **Renewable Energy:** Our large-scale photovoltaic system produces significant amounts of clean electricity each year, helping to reduce our carbon footprint.
- **Responsible Sourcing:** We source raw materials exclusively from certified steel mills that adhere to strict environmental and ethical standards, ensuring full traceability and compliance.
- **Global circular economy and landfill waste reduction:** Minimizing waste through the efficient use of raw materials and by adopting a reduce - reuse - recycle approach to waste management. Through effective sorting, preparation, and sale of scrap metal, cardboard, and wood, we ensure that valuable resources are returned to the production cycle.
- **Pollution prevention:** Reducing water consumption and implementing measures that prevent the pollution of groundwater.



# PACKAGING



## Plastic sleeves

 WHITE plastic sleeves / net

## Cardboard tubes

 RED & WHITE striped tubes  
Chrome plated steel bars and tubes

 BLUE & WHITE striped tubes  
Induction hardened and chrome plated steel bars and tubes

 TURQUOISE tubes  
Nickel-chrome plated steel bars and tubes  
Induction hardened and nickel-chrome plated steel bars and tubes

Marking on the cardboard tube or on the plastic sleeve:

Product Code - Diameter - Tolerance - Chrome layer - Material - Heat Number - Calendar Week/Year - [www.nimet.ro](http://www.nimet.ro)  
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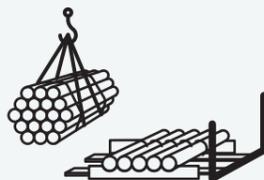
# STORAGE & HANDLING

## Recommendations



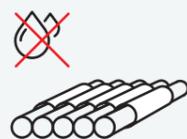
Keep the products stored in dry and covered spaces.

Whenever possible, please use the crane to load or unload the bundles; when using the fork lift please avoid the direct contact of the forks with the products.



Do not expose the bars or tubes for a long time to the sunlight or to very low temperatures.

Always keep dry the cardboard tubes that protect the chromed products.



Direct contact with the floor and steel supports that are not lined with soft materials must be avoided; preferable to use rubber or wood lined supports.

Always lift the bundles using textile slings. Do not use metal slings during handling of bundles.



As part of the Palfinger Group, we adhere to their globally recognized governance policies, ensuring our operations meet the highest ethical and legal standards.

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