

Metallic Coated MC Structural S ZINC HI-TEN® G500 steel G500S steel

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GENERAL DESCRIPTION

ZINC HI-TEN® G500 steel is a hot-dipped zinc-coated structural steel with a spangled surface and guaranteed minimum yield strength of 500 MPa. Suitable for roll-forming to a 4t minimum internal diameter.

ZINC HI-TEN® G500S steel is skinpassed to improve surface quality.

TYPICAL USES

Structural sections, House framing, agricultural posts and trellises.

AUSTRALIAN STANDARDS

AS 1365
AS 1397:2001

GUARANTEED PROPERTIES OF STEEL BASE

MECHANICAL PROPERTIES	GUARANTEED MINIMUM
Yield Strength (MPa)	500
Tensile Strength (MPa)	520
Elongation on 80mm (≥ 0.60 mm) %	7
90° transverse bend (L axis)	6t

CHEMICAL PROPERTIES	GUARANTEED MAXIMUM %
Carbon (C)	0.20
Phosphorus (P)	0.04
Manganese (Mn)	1.20
Sulphur (S)	0.03

Note – tensiles tested in longitudinal direction

COATING ADHESION – 180° BEND TEST

COATING CLASS	GUARANTEED
Z100	1t
Z200	2t
Z275	2t
Z450	2t
Z600	3t

FIRE HAZARD PROPERTIES

IGNITABILITY INDEX	(range 0-20)	0
SPREAD OF FLAME INDEX	(range 0-10)	0
HEAT EVOLVED INDEX	(range 0-10)	0
SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX	(range 0-10)	0

DIMENSIONAL CAPABILITIES

Thickness Ranges mm		Max. Width mm
> 1.00 < 1.50	G500, G500S	1350

Slitting and shearing available on request from BlueScope Steel sales offices.

These dimensions are a reflection of technical capability to produce. Supply conditions may be subject to dimensional restrictions and is subject to BlueScope Steel Sales and Marketing confirmation.

NORMAL/OPTIONAL SUPPLY CONDITIONS

	Normal	Optional
Coating Class	Z275	Z200, Z450, Z600
Surface Condition	Spangled	Minimised spangle
Surface Treatment	Passivated	–
Tolerance Class		
Dimensions	A Class	–
Flatness	A Class	–
Branding	Branded	–

Important Notes

Material should be used promptly (within 6 months) to avoid the possibility of a storage related phenomena of galvanised coatings termed intergranular corrosion.

For selection of the most appropriate metallic coated steel, please refer to technical bulletins TB1a, TB1b, CTB21 and CTB22.

For storage, rollforming lubricant and other information please refer to the Technical Bulletins.

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TYPICAL PROPERTY RANGES (FOR NORMAL SUPPLY PRODUCT)

Thickness mm	Yield Strength/Proof Strength & Tensile Strength MPa															
	500	510	520	530	540	550	560	570	580	590	600	610	620	630	640	650
1.2																
1.4																

Key yield strength tensile strength

Thickness mm	Total Elongation on 80mm (%)								
	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1.2									
1.4									

FABRICATING PERFORMANCE

Method	Rating
Bending	2
Drawing	NR
Pressing	NR
Roll-Forming	3
Welding (design must allow for some strength reduction near welds)	5
Painting (Pretreatment)	5

TYPICAL CHEMICAL COMPOSITION OF STEEL BASE

	%
Carbon (C)	0.035 - 0.070
Phosphorus (P)	0.00 - 0.02
Manganese (Mn)	0.20 - 0.30
Sulphur (S)	0.00 - 0.02
Silicon (Si)	0.00 - 0.02
Aluminium (Al)	0.02 - 0.07
Nitrogen (N)	0.000 - 0.008

where 1 = limited to 5 = excellent, or NR = not recommended

IMPORTANT NOTES:

- Typical Mechanical Properties are based on typical product dispatched to customers. Note that ductility will decline through a natural aging process during storage and/or paint stoving cycle.
- The Skin-Passing of ZINC HI-TEN® G500 steel will generally give a marginally higher yield strength and marginally reduced % elongation.

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