## **UCB DATA SHEET**

## Continuously Cast Spheroidal Graphite Iron:



**UCB Grade Unibar 500-7 (Guidance only)** 

Characteristics: Offers higher wear resistance, strength & heat-treatment response compared to Unibar

400-15 while still possessing reasonable machinability and excellent surface finishes. Noise and vibration damping are good in this grade. Compares with standard **EN-1563-**

GJS-500-7 GGG50 and Meehanite SFP500

Unibar Profile and Size Range				
Round	20mm - 500mm diameter			
Square	Up to 410 mm x 410mm			
Rectangle	Narrow side 25mm up to a maximum 650mm x 280mm or 550mm x 380mm			
Ingots	400mm - 780mm diameter x 1.2 metre long (proof machined)			
Ingot Blocks	up to 550mm x 500mm x 1400mm long (proof machined)			
Standard Length	Continuously Cast Bar 3 metres (other lengths available upon request			
Supply condition	As-cast, turned and peeled (Rounds). As-cast milled (proof machined)and saw cut (rectangles and squares)			
Non Standard	Sizes/shapes to customer design available on special order and subject to discussion.			

Chemistry:(Typical Ranges): (Subordinate to Mechanical Properties)

Element	Typical %	
Carbon	3.40 - 3.85	
Silicon	2.30 - 3.10	
Manganese	0.10 - 0.30	
Sulphur	0.02 Maximum	
Phosphorous	0.10 Maximum	
Magnesium	0.07 Maximum	
Others/Alloying	Residual	
Iron	Balance	

**Grade colour code** 



Mechanical Properties: (As taken from mid-radius of cast bar, not separately cast test piece

Material Specification	Material Section mm	Tensile Strength (UTS) N/mm²	0.2% Proof stress N/mm²	Elongation %
Unibar 500-7	20mm - 30mm	500	320	7
EN-GJS-500-	30mm - 60mm	450	300	7
7:1997	60mm - 200mm +	420	290	5

**Brinell Hardness**: (Range) 170-240 (10mm dia Ball 3000Kg load) depending on section size. Hardness

readings are taken across the entire section of the bar. Hardness values for rectangles

depend on the ratio of height to width and can be supplied upon request.

Microstructure: Contains Type I & II nodular (spheroidal) graphite in

accordance with ASTM A247. The rim contains approximately 200/250 nodules/ mm<sup>2</sup>, and is predominately ferritic (>70%) with the core containing 90/150 nodules/mm<sup>2</sup>. The core matrix is mixed ferritic/pearlitic (15–50% pearlite). Chill carbides will

be less than 5%, well dispersed. (Photo 100x magnification)

Heat Treat Response: Unibar 500-7can be hardened by conventional methods but Unibar 600 and 700 are

recommended.

**Density**: 7.2 g/c



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