

Material: Fe-1.5 % Cu; sponge iron

sintering: 1120 °C, 35 min, endogas

heat treatment: density: 6.28 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

mech. properties: H = 33 HRB; R<sub>p0.2</sub> = -; R<sub>m</sub> = 207 MPa

Specimen: smooth, K<sub>t</sub> = 1.0; surface machined

Loading mode: rotary bending, R = -1

Limiting no. of cycles: 107

Endurance limit: 58 MPa (56 MPa this evaluation)

Reference: M. Onoda: Fatigue Strength of Sintered Structural Component Materials; Japan

Powder Metallurgical Association, Tokyo, 1983 (in Japanese)

Stress amplitude:	56	60	71	85	98	114	127	145	MPa
Cycles to failure:	10280.160	4102,041	2060.630	829.851	398.107	153.462	68.707	16.827	- 1000