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## TITAN A16 – CONTINUATION / VARIANT ADDENDUM (USPTO SUBMISSION)

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Classification: Industrial, Structural & Quantum Grade

### Background / Purpose

This continuation discloses additional embodiments of the TITAN A16 material system, including lower-cost and quasicrystal-infused variants, for purposes of structural testing, proof-of-concept, and expanded quantum-acoustic applications. Each variant maintains the triple-helix geometry, golden-ratio node spacing, and resonance characteristics defined in the original patent application.

#### 1. Gold Standard Variants

##### 1A. Gold Standard – Non-Quasicrystal

Composition: Ta-Ti-Au-C

Quantum Fidelity: Phase coherence  $\geq 0.95$ ; entropy gradient  $\leq 0.05$

Observables: Supports full suite of 48 observables, including topological edge states

Geometry: Ø30 mm, height 10 mm, triple-helix nodes per original CAD

Purpose: Quantum-acoustic resonators, topological phononics

Notes: Baseline reference for all derivative variants; required for highest-fidelity quantum applications

##### 1B. Gold Standard – Quasicrystal Infused (Alpha Apex 16)

Composition: Ta-Ti-Au-C + surface-engaged quasicrystal layer (~0.2 mm)

Quantum Fidelity: Phase coherence  $\geq 0.95$ ; enhanced torsional suppression and resonance damping

Observables: All 48 observables supported; quasicrystal improves energy redistribution and topological robustness

Geometry: Standard CAD with added QC overlay per G-Code deposition

Purpose: Advanced quantum-acoustic devices, enhanced topological protection

Notes: Requires adaptive G-Code deposition and annealing for quasicrystal formation

#### 2. Low-Cost Variants

##### 2A. Low-Cost Metal – Non-Quasicrystal (SLC Standard)

Composition: Nb-Ti-Zr (~55% Nb / 44% Ti / 1% Zr)

Quantum Fidelity: Phase coherence ~0.85; ~25% of Gold quantum observables retained

Macro-Resonance:  $\geq 98\%$  of Gold standard; torsional suppression preserved

Geometry: Ø30 mm, height 10 mm, central bore Ø2.85 mm, helix pitch 3.85 mm/rev (CAD adjusted for lower density)

Purpose: Structural proof-of-concept, macro-resonance validation

Estimated Cost: ~\$1,500 for two pieces

Notes: Not suitable for ultra-high-fidelity quantum applications; used for functional testing and rapid prototyping

##### 2B. Low-Cost Metal – Quasicrystal Infused

Composition: Nb-Ti-Zr + mechanically alloyed/annealed quasicrystal layer (~0.2 mm)

Quantum Fidelity: Phase coherence ~0.85; minor flux-trapping effects; ~25% quantum observables relative to Gold standard

Macro-Resonance: ≥98%; quasicrystal enhances torsional damping and resonance uniformity

Geometry: SLC CAD with added QC overlay; pitch, bore, and node dimensions same as 2A

Purpose: Proof-of-concept for low-cost quasicrystal infusion; structural + resonance demonstration

Estimated Cost: ~\$2,000–\$2,500 for two pieces (includes milling/annealing for QC layer)

Notes: Compatible with TITAN A16 G-Code deposition protocol; quasicrystal formation achievable with 500–700°C annealing in inert atmosphere

Summary Table of TITAN A16 Variants

Estimated Cost (2 pieces)

Variant

Composition

Quantum Fidelity

Macro-Resonance

Observables

Notes

Gold – Non-QC

Ta-Ti-Au-C

≥0.95

100%

All 48

\$9,000

Full baseline reference

Gold – QC

Ta-Ti-Au-C + QC

≥0.95

100%

All 48 + enhanced

\$10,000

Topological & damping enhancements

Low-Cost Metal – Non-QC

Nb-Ti-Zr

~0.85

98%

Structural/resonance

\$1,500

Proof-of-concept, structural only

Low-Cost Metal – QC

Nb-Ti-Zr + QC

~0.85

98%

Structural/resonance + QC

\$2,000–\$2,500

Low-cost quasicrystal infusion, structural validation