

# AI-1894

## **Description and Applications**

AI-1894 is pure zinc wire used to protect iron and steel against corrosion, but care should be taken as it has poor resistance to acids and is better suited to environments with a pH range of 6 to 12. It also has less resistance in soft or hard water with temperatures in excess of 60°C.

Applications: AI-1894 is a comparatively cheap coating used in lieu of painting or plating on small parts that are prepared and sprayed in tumblers, and offers better protection.

#### **Typical Weldmetal Analysis**

Zn	Cu
99.99	0.001

## **Mechanical Properties of Weldmetal**

	As Welded
Deposit Efficiency	70%
Melting Point	420°C approx
Bond Strength	25.8 MPa (3,740 psi)
Coating Tensile Strength	89.7 MPa (13,000 psi)
Coating Texture	Variable *
Hardness	13-24 RH
Coating Density	6.36 gm/cm <sup>3</sup> (91%)
Shrink	0.001cm/cm

#### Finishing

Sprayed zinc coatings are generally used in the as-sprayed condition, but if preferred coatings may be machined with high-speed tools, polished, sanded or wire brushed.

# **Available Sizes**

1.6mm, 2.0mm, 2.31, 3.17mm & 4.76mm diameter

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