

## Grade

Q125 TUBE (API 5CT)

## **Type**

Cr-Mo Steel usually used in the hardened, quenched and tempered condition.

Composition		
Element	Weight%	
Carbon	0.33 max	
Manganese	1.35 max	
Phosphorus	0.02 max	
Sulphur	0.01 max	
Molybdenum	0.85 max	
Chromium	1.5 max	
Nickel	0.99 max	
Manganese	1.35 max	

## **Mechanical Propeties**

Hardened followed by water or polymer quenching and tempering

Property	Values
0.2% Yeild Strength	120 - 150 KSI (862 - 1034 MPA)
Ultimate Tensile Strength	135 KSI min (931 MPA min)
Elongation	14
Reduction of area	35% min
Hardness	285 - 341 HBN

Notes: Low alloy steel typically containing 0.3% Carbon and alloyed with up to 1.5% Chromium and 0.85% Molybdenum to give enhanced mechanical properties.

Grade is typically used in a variety of down hole tools, casing, tubulars and accessories that requires good hardenability and excellent impact properties.

Impact toughness is generally good to temperatures as low as -46°C with typically 27J average and 20J single achieved, this is limited though dependent on a number of factors such as ruling section, chemical composition and heat treatment condition, with impact toughness achieved decreasing with higher strength, ruling section and at lower test temperatures due to the materials Ductile / Brittle transition temperature.