

# Vascular Implant Tubing

## **ENGINEERED TO MEET UNIQUE STENT CHALLENGES**

Cardiovascular implant designers indeed face difficult challenges. At Minitubes, we have succeeded in understanding them in depth, in order to offer a tubing quality that meets the highest demands.



• An extreme selection of raw materials for biocompatibility and micro/macro material homogeneity.

- Seamless tube for safety.
- Controlled grain size for optimized electropolishing and improved fatigue resistance.
- New limits in dimensional accuracy on Outer Diameter and Wall Thickness for improved laser cutting and strut dimensional consistency.
- Very smooth ID and OD for optimized electropolishing and subsequent coating.
- Controlled mechanical properties for controlled physical behavior and minimized recoil.
- Controlled straightness for improved laser cutting.
- Proven Inspection Methods (high-end instruments, adequate sampling, statistical analysis,...) for reliable characterization and improved yield in customer's production.
- Full certification for easy customer's device registration and material traceability.

## MATERIALS

Meet or exceed ASTM and ISO requirements. Exceptionally clean material to limit the threat of inclusions. Melt to melt consistency, ensured by a restricted range of chemical composition.

#### • Stainless Steel (316L per ASTM F 138)

- Most proven material for a wide range of implanted devices
- Best value for biocompatible and precise tubing

• CoCr (L605 per ASTM F90, MP35N/35NLT per ASTM F562, Phynox per ASTM F1058)

- Higher strength and ductility for thinner struts and improved deliverability
- Enhanced radiopacity

• Other medical grade alloys such as Titanium, Tantalum, ... with special properties meeting your needs.

• Proprietary alloys: partnership to turn your patented alloy into the tube size you need.

# ATTRIBUTES

Per Customer Specification or Minitubes Standard Specifications for Stent tubing #CDC-05690/PRD018 and Valves tubing #CDC-05975 (both available on our website) Dedicated engineering team to review your own specific requirements.

• OD up to 35mm (1.38"), from coronary to heart valve applications With tolerance down to +/- 0.010mm (0.0004") and circularity < 0.005mm (0.0002")

> • WT down to 0.05mm (0.002") With tolerance down to +/- 0.005mm (0.0002") and concentricity < 0.010mm (0.0004")

- Mechanical and metallurgical properties tailored to the application: Control over UTS, YS, elongation and grain size
- OD finish typically down to Ra 0.1µm (RMS 4) and ID finish down to Ra 0.2µm (RMS 8)

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