VDM® Aeterna® HLZ 3740
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VDM® Aeterna® HLZ 3740 is a special brass alloy that is particularly suitable for applications with high cavitation. This alloy is increasingly being used in axial piston pumps, as it is well established in this area due to its sliding properties and high strength.

VDM® Aeterna® HLZ 3740 is characterized by:

- good sliding properties
- high wear resistance
- high resilience
- high fatigue strength
- high cavitation resistance
- good machinability

### Nomenclature

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<th>Standardization</th>
<th>General Material Designation</th>
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<td>EN Material-Nr.</td>
<td>special alloy</td>
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Table 1 - Nomenclature

### Chemical Composition

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<th>Mass-percentage</th>
<th>Cu</th>
<th>Zn</th>
<th>Pb</th>
<th>Fe</th>
<th>Mn</th>
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<th>Sn</th>
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Table 2 - Chemical composition (wt. %)
Physical Properties

Density

8.3 g/cm³

Melting range

820 - 880 °C

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<th>Temperature</th>
<th>Heat conductivity</th>
<th>Electrical conductivity</th>
<th>Young’s modulus</th>
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<td>°C</td>
<td>W m⁻¹ K⁻¹</td>
<td>MS m⁻¹</td>
<td>kN mm⁻²</td>
<td>10⁻⁶ K</td>
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<td>20</td>
<td>76</td>
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Table 3 - Typical physical properties of VDM® Aeterna® HLZ 3740 alloy

Mechanical Properties

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<th>Condition</th>
<th>Dimension</th>
<th>Yield strength ( R_{0.2} )</th>
<th>Tensile strength ( R_m )</th>
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Table 4 - Typical mechanical properties of VDM® Aeterna® HLZ 3740 alloy
Application

Characterization and typical areas of application of VDM® Aeterna® HLZ 3740:

- The material is characterized by its good cavitation resistance and very good machinability
- Synchronizer rings
- Axial piston pumps:
  - Bearing bushes
  - Holding segments
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