

Corrosion Modeling Software and Corrosion Prediction
Software Series

Atmosphere-Compass®: Atmospheric Corrosion Prediction and Modeling for Metals and Alloys

*The Ultimate Software Solutions to Costly Atmospheric
Corrosion*

Version 12.4

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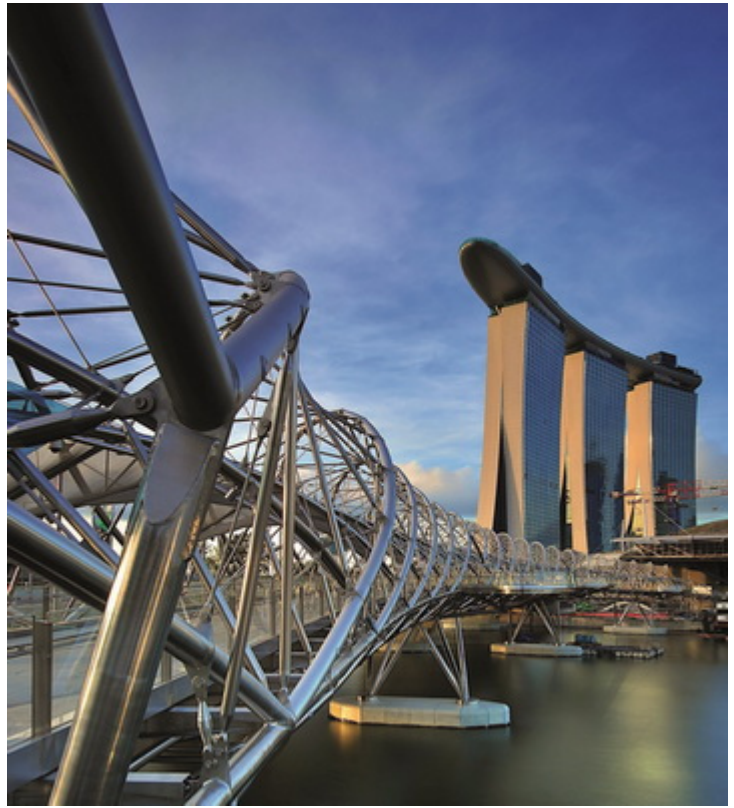
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Any OS | Free Training & Support | CorrCompass

Overview of Atmosphere-Compass: the Software Tool for Atmospheric Corrosion Prediction and Modeling

Atmosphere-Compass is the only device and OS independent software tool on the market for the service life prediction and modeling of atmospheric corrosion of metals and alloys in compliance with ISO 9223 and ISO 9224. Designers, architects, OEM engineers, consultants, operation personnel, maintenance and inspection engineers can quickly determine the expected service life of a structure or component exposed to indoor or outdoor atmospheres, anytime, anywhere, on any device running any OS without the need to install or download anything. Atmosphere-Compass also predicts the corrosion rate, the maximum and average

corrosion depth, the rust rating number and rust area ratio of equipment or structures based on the following inputs:

- material type/grade
- age of structure
- nominal thickness
- exposure condition - indoor or outdoor
- ISO exposure environments, or
- site specific data if available
(temperature, relative humidity, sulfur dioxide (SO₂) deposition rate, chloride deposition rate, and distance from the shore)



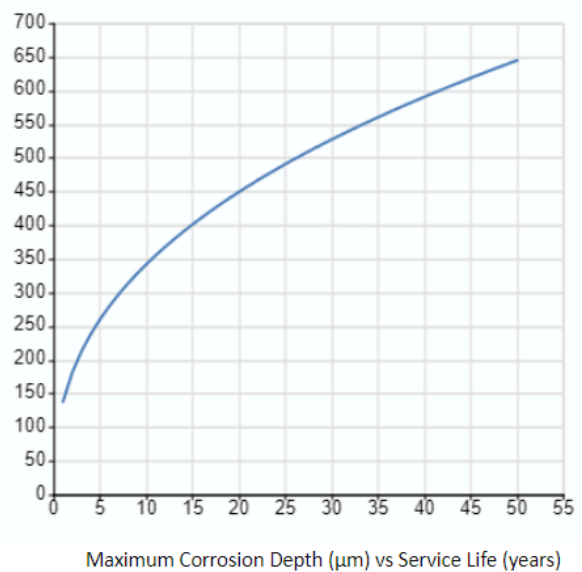
The outputs of Atmosphere-Compass include the following:

- the atmosphere corrosivity category
- the atmosphere corrosivity ranking
- the degree of rust and stains on the surface measured by the rust rating number (RN) and the rust area ratio (%) as per BS ISO 23721 standard.
- the maximum or average corrosion depth at the specified age of the equipment or structure
- the corrosion rate at the specified age of the equipment or structure
- the remaining life of the equipment or structure
- a plot of the corrosion depth (μm) vs. service life in years

Figures below show the screen shots of Atmosphere-Compass.

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Structure ID **Façade on Sunshine Tower at 123 ABC Street**Material **Type 410**Age of Structure **Years** **2.000**Nominal Thickness **mm** **0.600**Exposure Condition **Outdoor**Exposure Environment **F**Corrosivity Category **CX**Atmosphere Corrosivity **Extreme**Rust Rating Number **1**Rust Area Ratio (%) **69%**Maximum Corrosion Depth **μm** **182.248**Corrosion Rate **μm/y** **35.812**Remaining Life **Year** **39.000**

Exposure Environment

Outdoor

- A** Dry or cold zone, atmospheric environment with very low pollution and time of wetness, e.g. certain deserts, Central Arctic/Antarctica.
- B** Temperate zone, atmospheric environment with low pollution ($\text{SO}_2 < 5 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$), e.g. rural areas, small towns. Dry or cold zone, atmospheric environment with short time of wetness, e.g. deserts, subarctic areas.
- C** Temperate zone, atmospheric environment with medium pollution ($\text{SO}_2: 5 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ to $30 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$) or some effect of chlorides, e.g. urban areas, coastal areas with low deposition of chlorides. Subtropical and tropical zone, atmosphere with low pollution.
- D** Temperate zone, atmospheric environment with high pollution ($\text{SO}_2: 30 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ to $90 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$) or substantial effect of chlorides, e.g. polluted urban areas, industrial areas, coastal areas without spray of salt water or, exposure to strong effect of de-icing salts. Subtropical and tropical zone, atmosphere with medium pollution.
- E** Temperate and subtropical zone, atmospheric environment with very high pollution ($\text{SO}_2: 90 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ to $250 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$) and/or significant effect of chlorides, e.g. industrial areas, coastal areas, sheltered positions on coastline.
- F** Subtropical and tropical zone (very high time of wetness), atmospheric environment with very high SO_2 pollution (higher than $250 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$) including accompanying and production factors and/or strong effect of chlorides, e.g. extreme industrial areas, coastal and offshore areas, occasional contact with salt spray.

Figure 1 Atmosphere-Compass Predicts the rate of atmospheric corrosion and the remaining life of structures.

Under the specified exposure conditions shown in Figure 1 above, Atmosphere-Compass predicts, the corrosion rate, the accumulated depth of corrosion at the specified age, and the remaining life of the structure.

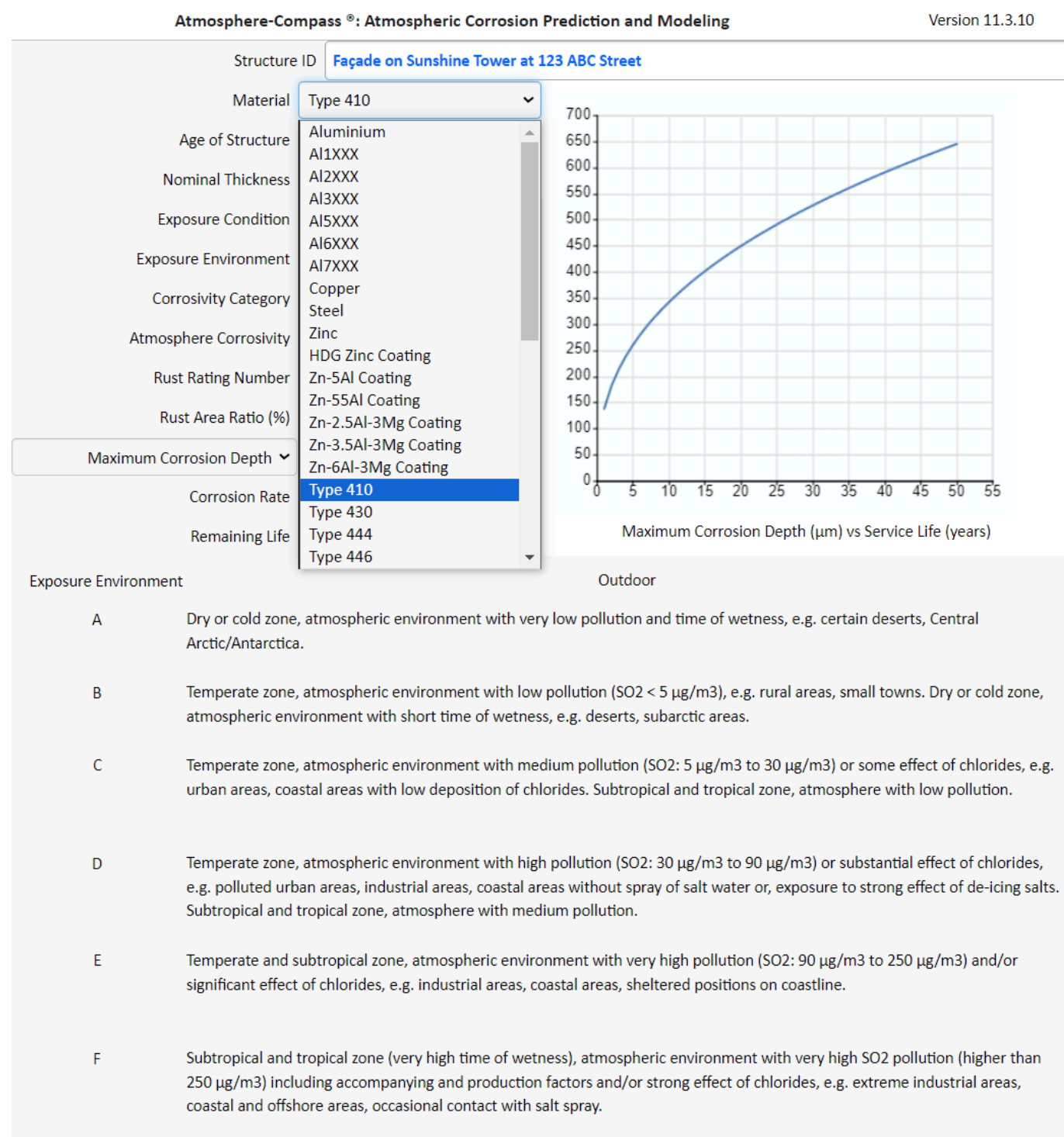


Figure 2 Atmosphere-Compass Predicts Atmospheric Corrosion of Metals, Alloys, and Metallic Coatings.

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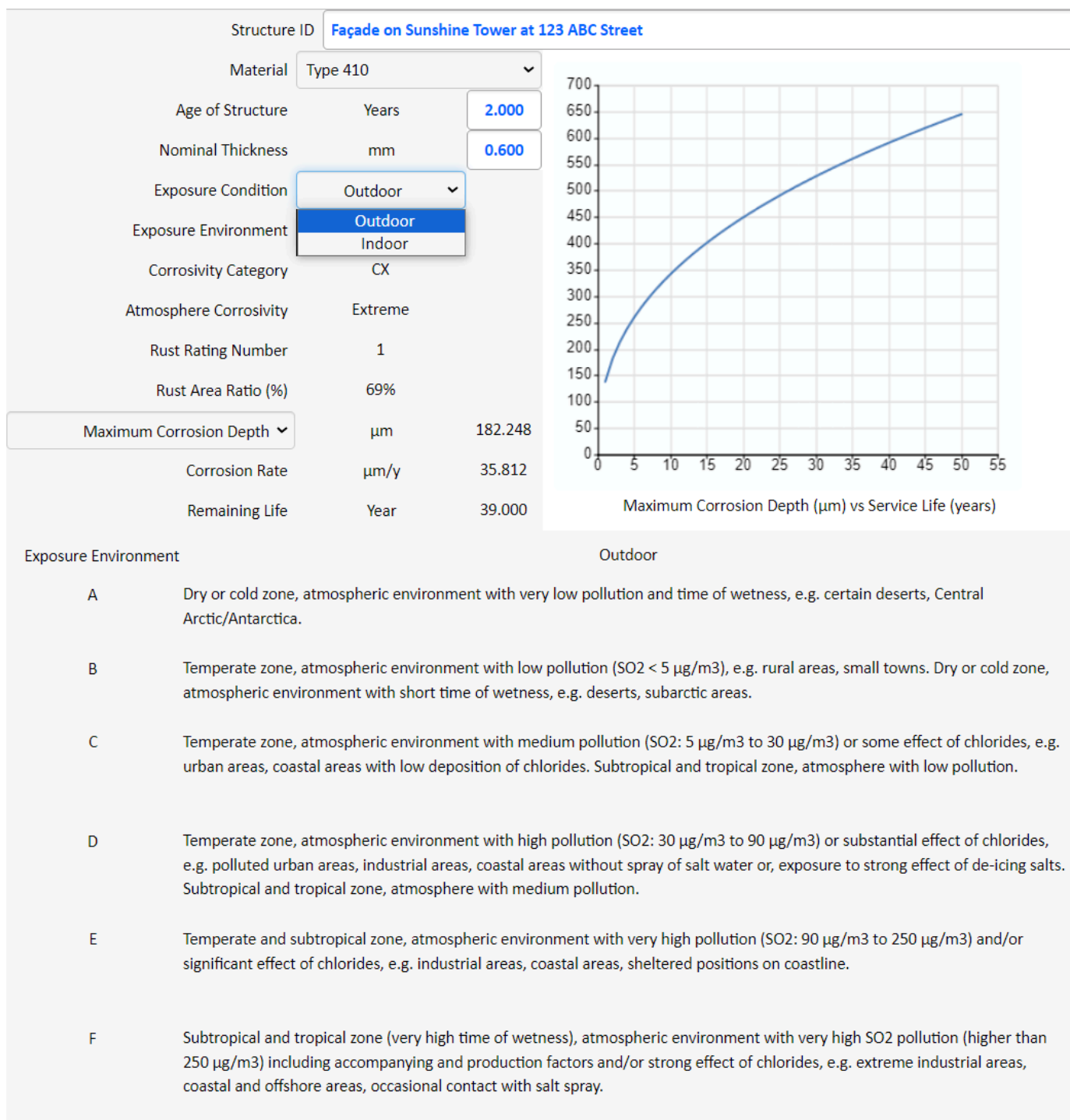


Figure 3 Atmosphere-Compass Predicts Atmospheric Corrosion in Indoor and Outdoor Environments.

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Material **Type 410**

Age of Structure Years **2.000**

Nominal Thickness mm **0.600**

Exposure Condition **Outdoor**

Exposure Environment **F**

Corrosivity Category **A**

Atmosphere Corrosivity **C**

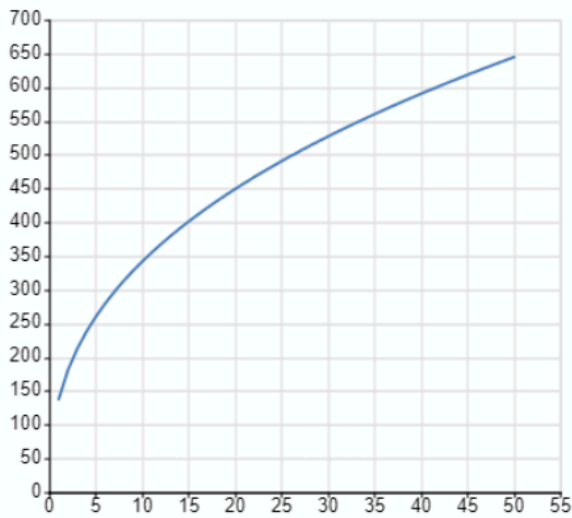
Rust Rating Number **E**

Rust Area Ratio (%) **Use Site-Specific Data**

Maximum Corrosion Depth **μm** **182.248**

Corrosion Rate **μm/y** **35.812**

Remaining Life **Year** **39.000**



Maximum Corrosion Depth (μm) vs Service Life (years)

Exposure Environment **Outdoor**

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C Temperate zone, atmospheric environment with medium pollution (SO₂: 5 μg/m³ to 30 μg/m³) or some effect of chlorides, e.g. urban areas, coastal areas with low deposition of chlorides. Subtropical and tropical zone, atmosphere with low pollution.

Figure 4 Users can select ISO exposure environment or enter site specific data in Atmosphere-Compass for precise modeling of service life.

Enter Site-Specific Data:

Annual Average Temperature (°C) **25.00**Annual Average Relative Humidity (%) **70.00**Annual Average SO₂ Deposition (mg/m².d) **25.00**Annual Average Cl⁻ Deposition (mg/m².d) **15.00**

Figure 5a Users can enter site specific data in Atmosphere-Compass for precise modeling of service life.

If the annual average SO2 deposition rate or the annual average chloride deposition rate at the site location is not available, users of Atmosphere-Compass can simply enter the distance of the site from the industrial zone (Figure 5b) and/or the distance of the site from the shore (Figure 5c), the software will compute the corrosion rate accordingly taking into account of the distance effect.

Main

Site-Specific Data

Enter Site-Specific Data:

Annual Average Temperature (°C)	25.00
Annual Average Relative Humidity (%)	70.00
Distance from the Industrial Zone (meter) ▼	500.00
Annual Average SO2 Deposition Rate (mg/m2.d)	100.00
Distance from the Industrial Zone (meter)	

Figure 5b Users can enter site specific data in Atmosphere-Compass for precise modeling of service life.

Main

Site-Specific Data

Enter Site-Specific Data:

Annual Average Temperature (°C)	25.00
Annual Average Relative Humidity (%)	70.00
Annual Average SO ₂ Deposition Rate (mg/m2.d)	500.00
Distance from the Shore (meter) ▼	1500.00
Annual Average Cl- Deposition Rate (mg/m2.d)	
Distance from the Shore (meter)	

Figure 5c Users can enter site specific data in Atmosphere-Compass for precise modeling of service life.

Atmosphere-Compass models and predicts atmospheric corrosion of metals and alloys including commonly used stainless steels and duplex steels. Following is the list materials included in

Atmosphere-Compass:

Aluminium

Al1XXX

Al2XXX

Al3XXX

Al5XXX

Al6XXX

Al7XXX

Copper

Steel

Zinc

HDG Zinc Coating

Zn-5Al Coating

Zn-55Al Coating

Zn-6Al-3Mg

Zn-3.5Al-3Mg

Zn-2.5Al-3Mg

Type 410

Type 430

Type 444

Type 446

Type 304

Type 304L

Type 304LN

Type 316

Type 316L

Type 316LN



Type 317

Type 317L

Type 317LMN

Type 321

Type 347

904L

254SMO

AL-6X

AL-6XN

Incoloy 825

Inconel 625

Duplex 2205

Duplex 2304

Duplex 2507

Duplex 2707HD

The powerful applications of Atmosphere-Compass are truly unlimited in engineering design, corrosion prediction and corrosion modeling, materials selection, and remaining life estimation of equipment and structures exposed to atmospheric environments.

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