

# Niobium Foil (Light Tight)

Niobium foil (light tight) is an opaque, corrosion-resistant foil offering vacuum sealing and cryogenic light shielding for superconducting and optical systems. **SKU:** 1000000110-group

**Product Code:** NB00-FL-000430

## Material Properties for Metals

### Atomic Properties

Element	Value
Atomic number	41
Crystal structure	Body centred cubic
Electronic structure	Kr 4d <sup>5</sup> 5s <sup>1</sup>
Valences shown	2, 3, 4, 5
Atomic weight( amu )	92.9064
Thermal neutron absorption cross-section( Barns )	1.15
Photo-electric work function( eV )	4.3
Atomic radius - Goldschmidt( nm )	0.147
Ionisation potential( No./eV )	3/ 25.0
Ionisation potential( No./eV )	2/ 14.3
Ionisation potential( No./eV )	6/ 103
Ionisation potential( No./eV )	1/ 6.88
Ionisation potential( No./eV )	4/ 38.3
Ionisation potential( No./eV )	5/ 50.5

### Mechanical Properties

Element	Value
Material condition	Hard
Material condition	Soft
Poisson's ratio	0.397
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Bulk modulus( GPa )	170.3
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Tensile modulus( GPa )	104.9
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<b>Element</b>	<b>Value</b>
Izod toughness( J m <sup>1</sup> )	10-120
Hardness - Vickers( kgf mm <sup>2</sup> )	115
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Tensile strength( MPa )	330
Tensile strength( MPa )	585
Yield strength( MPa )	550
Yield strength( MPa )	240

## **Electrical Properties**

<b>Element</b>	<b>Value</b>
Electrical resistivity( $\mu\text{Ohmcm}$ )	16@20°C
Superconductivity critical temperature( K )	9.25
Temperature coefficient( K <sup>1</sup> )	0.0026@0-100°C

## **Physical Properties**

<b>Element</b>	<b>Value</b>
Boiling point( C )	4742
Density( gcm <sup>3</sup> )	8.57@20°C

## **Thermal Properties**

<b>Element</b>	<b>Value</b>
Melting point( C )	2468
Latent heat of evaporation( J g <sup>1</sup> )	7360
Latent heat of fusion( J g <sup>1</sup> )	290
Specific heat( J K <sup>1</sup> kg <sup>1</sup> )	268@25°C
Thermal conductivity( W m <sup>1</sup> K <sup>1</sup> )	53.7@0-100°C
Coefficient of thermal expansion( $\times 10^{-6}$ K <sup>1</sup> )	7.2@0-100°C