



The Bolts That Hold Skyscrapers Together: Steelmet's Structural-Grade Secret

Description

At **Steelmet Industries**, we engineer our **cold drawn steel bright bars** to meet the extreme demands of **structural and load-bearing fasteners** used in bridges, power plants, mining equipment, and heavy industrial machinery – where failure is not an option.

Why Structural Fasteners Demand Superior Materials

Load-bearing fasteners must withstand:

- ? Constant vibration and dynamic loading
- ? Shear forces from structural movements
- ? Corrosive environments (offshore, chemical plants)
- ? Temperature extremes (-40°C to +400°C)

Our specialty:

- ? Ultra-clean steel with sulfur ?0.025% for hydrogen resistance
- ? Controlled grain flow for uniform strength in large diameters

Critical Applications in Heavy Industries

1. Civil Infrastructure

- Bridge expansion joint bolts (ASTM A490)
- Wind turbine foundation bolts (EN 14399 HV)

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Seismic retrofit anchor systems

2. Heavy Machinery

- Mining shovel bucket pins
- Crusher frame bolts
- Hydraulic press tie rods

3. Energy Sector

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 ting Boiler tube hanger bolts (ASTM A193 B16)
- Flange bolts for high-pressure piping
- Nuclear containment vessel stud

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AISI 4140	ASTM A193 B7	850+	27@-29°C	Cadmium plating
42CrMo4	EN 14399 HV	1100+	55@-40°C	Hot-dip galvanizing
B7M	NACE MR0175	725+	34@-46°C	Xylan coating
AISI 8740	ASTM A320 L7	950+	40@-60°C	PTFE impregnation

^{*}Special processing available:

- Rolled threads (vs cut) for 30% greater fatigue life
- Ultrasonic testing of 100% of critical fasteners
- Dimensional certification to EN 10204 3.1/3.2*



Why Steelmet is Trusted for Critical Fasteners

- ? **Heavy industry expertise** 15+ years serving EPC contractors
- ? Large diameter capability up to 150mm
- ? Material traceability with full mill certifications
- ? **Technical partnership** from design to manufacturing

For structural fastener solutions that won't compromise, visit Steelmet Industries' website or request our Heavy Industry Fastener Guide.

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