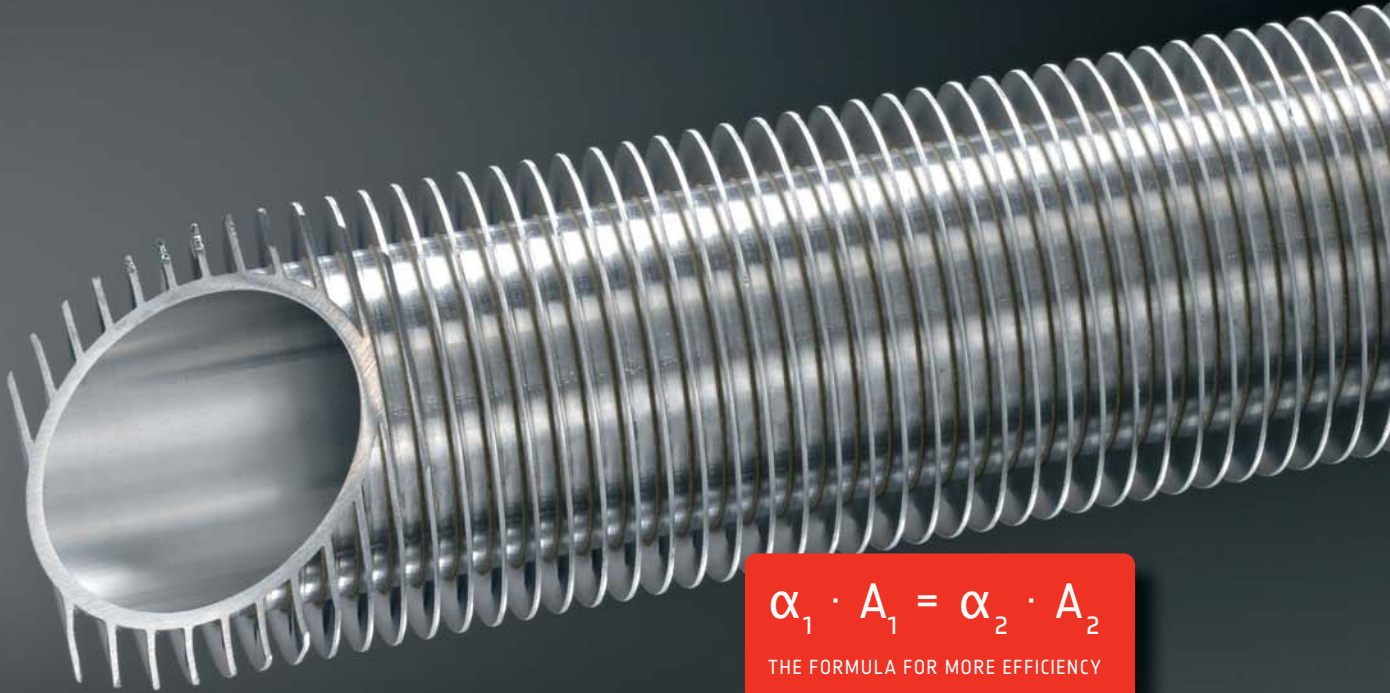


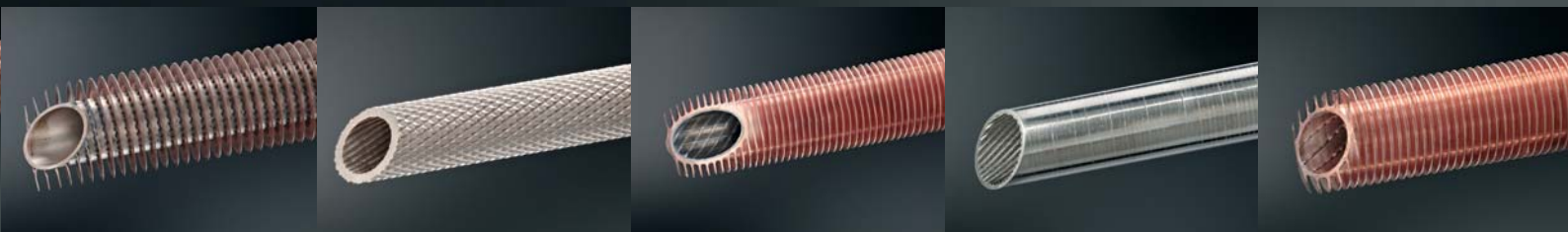
# Finned Tubes

Rolled or integral finned tubes  
Finned tubes from tube and strip



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# Schmöle GmbH

## The Company

- More than 160 years of experience
- Outstanding quality
- 3 different finning processes
- 16 finning machines
- Different coiling and bending processes
- R & D partnership for your projects
- Highly skilled craftsmen
- Robust financial status and strong owners

## The Product Range

### Finned tubes and heat exchanger

- Rolled finned tubes
- Laser welded finned tubes
- Soldered finned tubes
- Corrugated tubes
- Finned coil
- Finned coil with fittings
- Coaxial heat exchanger
- Heat exchanger up to 150 kW
- Special constructions

### Tube systems and surface heat exchanger

- Tubes with different dimensions and profiles
- Tube register
- Tube register with connecting elements
- Tube register on carrier
- Module with additional options
- Module with insulation
- Space solutions

### Certification of Quality Management Systems

Our company is certified by independent bodies to the quality standards ISO 9001:2008 and PED 97/23/EC. Due to consistent quality awareness, we have gained a worldwide reputation as a reliable supplier.



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Optimise your heat exchangers by using  
high performance Schmöle tubes in regard to:

Energy Saving – Corrosion Resistance  
Economy – Environmental Protection



# Finned Tubes

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**Our engineers and technicians goal can be reduced to the simple formula  $\alpha_1 \cdot A_1 = \alpha_2 \cdot A_2$ . It states that a heat exchanger reaches the optimum heat transfer when the mathematical product of the specific heat transfer coefficient  $\alpha$  and surfaces  $A$  are equal on both sides. The essence of all of Schmöle's claims and services lie in this formula.**

## Economy and Energy Saving

By using finned tubes the thermal output of heat exchangers can be considerably increased and their dimensions and costs significantly reduced.

When considering the parameters of a heat exchanger to be optimized, such as the connection between tube and fins, operating temperatures, corrosion resistance, overall dimensions etc., a wide range of finned tube designs is available and suitable for special applications.

The technical and economical advantages for heat exchangers are not only caused by the increase of the heat transfer by finned tubes, but also by the reduction of the overall dimensions. By the use of finned tubes heat exchangers cannot only be built very much smaller, but also, because of the lower pressure load, be designed with reduced material thickness for shell and tube plates, with its consequent material savings.

## Environmental Protection and Corrosion Resistance

In addition to the use of the approved materials copper and copper alloys Schmöle can manufacture finned tubes from corrosion resistant metallic materials, such as stainless steel, special stainless steel, titanium and nickel-base alloys.

Special double-walled safety tubes with leak-detecting possibilities offer maximum safety when using aggressive media.



# Finned Tubes

## ROLLED OR INTEGRAL FINNED TUBES

### Low finned tubes

- Trufin® S / T ①
- Trufin® S / TT ②
- Trufin® S / TK ③
- Trufin® S / TV ④

### Medium-high finned tubes

- Trufin® W / H ⑤
- Trufin® W / HS ⑥
- Trufin® W / HT ⑦

### Inside grooved tubes

- I / R-Evaporator Tube ⑧
- S / RX-Evaporator Tube ⑨
- Safety (outer) Tube ⑩

### Corrugated tubes ⑪

### High finned tubes

- Trufin® H / R ⑫
- Trufin® L / C ⑬

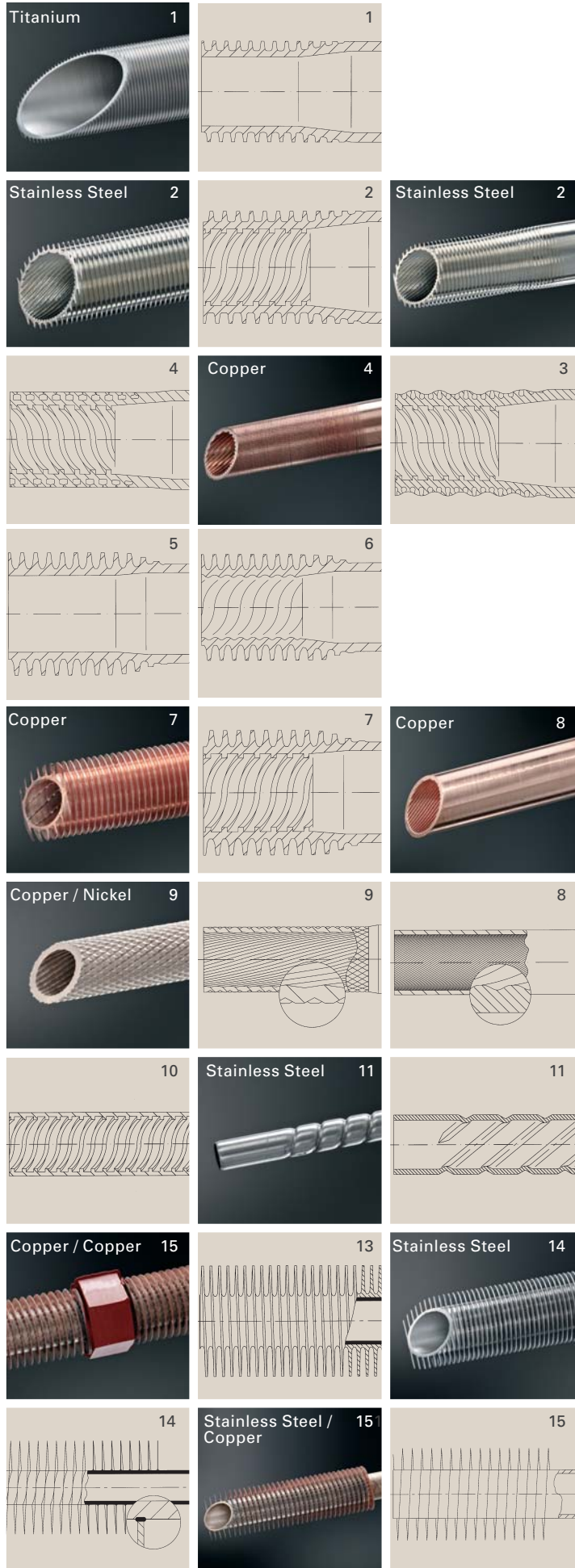
## FINNED TUBES FROM TUBE AND STRIP

### Laser welded

- Laserfin® ⑭

### Soldered

- Corrofin® ⑮

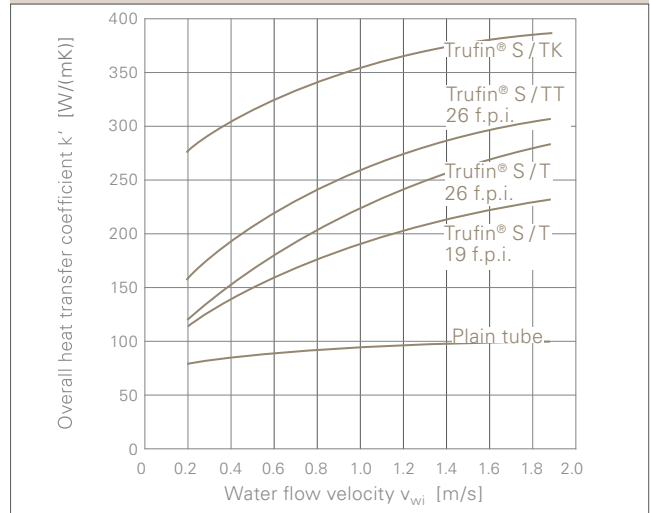


# Performance Comparisons

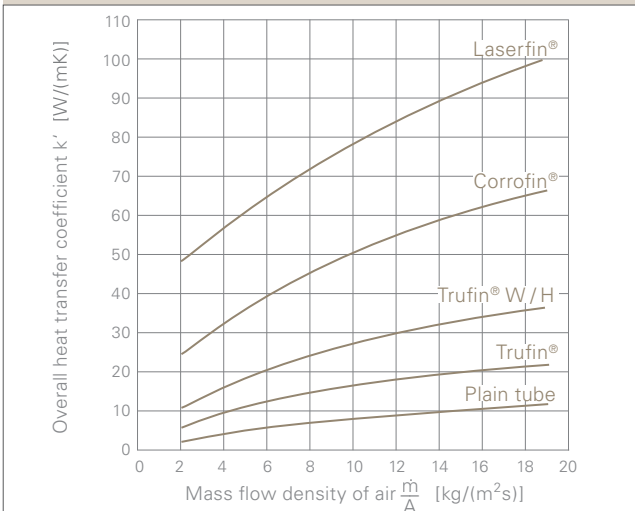
The following graphs show performance comparisons of various finned tubes for five typical fields of application.

By means of these performance comparisons a pre-selection of the finned tube types suitable for a specific application can be made. The performance comparing dimension is for all examples the overall heat transfer coefficient per unit length  $k'$  in  $W/(mK)$ . As variable either the mass flow density of the air  $\frac{\dot{m}}{A}$  in  $kg/(m^2s)$  on the shell side or the water flow velocity  $v_w$  in  $m/s$  on the tube or shell side have been chosen.

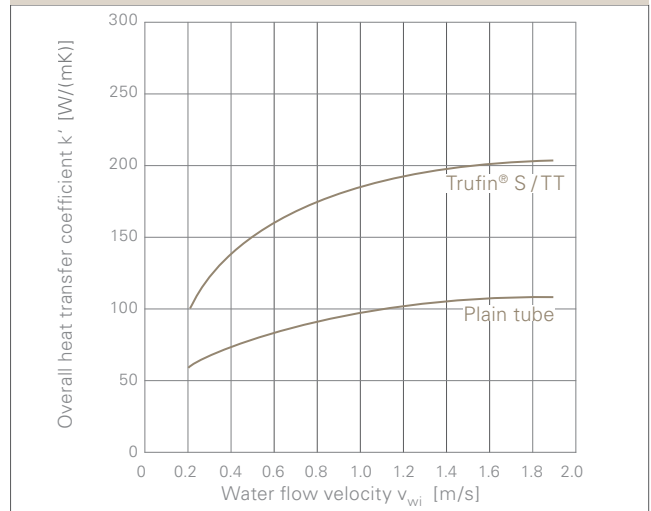
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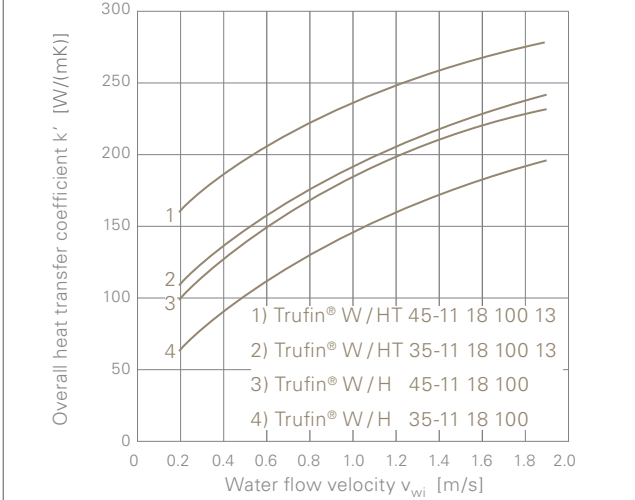
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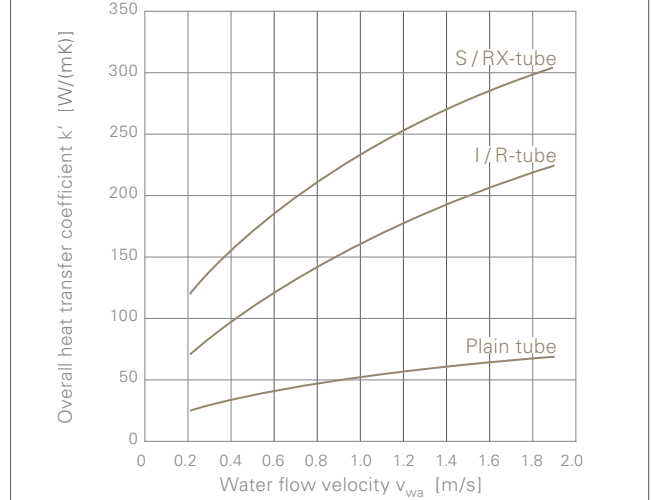
## Shell side evaporation



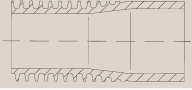
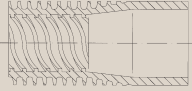
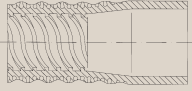
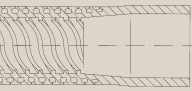
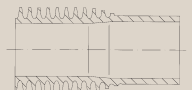
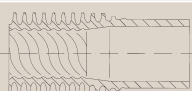
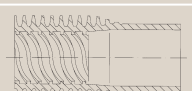

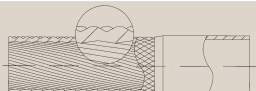
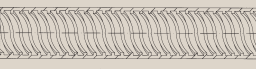
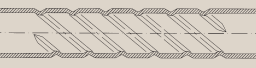
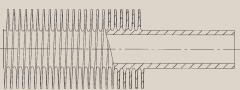
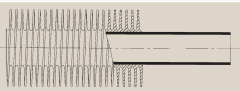
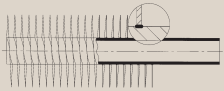
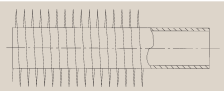
## Instantaneous water heating



## Tube side evaporation



# Range of Finned Tubes and Applications

Finned Tubes		Leaflet No.	Sketch	Surfaces	
Type	Group			outside fin pitch	inside
<b>Rolled or Integral Finned Tubes</b>					
<b>Trufin® S/T</b>	<b>low finned</b> fin height: up to 1.5 mm	835 e		16 – 40 fins / inch 1.59 – 0.64 mm	plain
<b>Trufin® S/TT</b> (Turbo-Chil®)	<b>low finned</b> fin height: up to 1.5 mm	835 e		16 – 40 fins / inch 1.59 – 0.64 mm	6 – 40 ridges
<b>Trufin® S/TK</b> Condenser Tube	<b>special outside texture</b>	836 e			10 – 30 ridges
<b>Trufin® S/TV</b> Evaporator Tube	<b>special outside texture</b>				10 – 30 ridges
<b>Trufin® W/H</b>	<b>medium-high finned</b> fin height: 3.0 – 4.5 mm	837 e		11 fins / inch 2.31 mm	plain
<b>Trufin® W/HS</b>	<b>medium-high finned</b> fin height: 3.0 – 4.5 mm	837 e		11 fins / inch 2.31 mm	corrugated
<b>Trufin® W/HT</b> (Turbo-Chil®)	<b>medium-high finned</b> fin height: 3.0 – 4.5 mm	837 e		11 fins / inch 2.31 mm	6 – 10 ridges
<b>I/R</b> Evaporator Tube	<b>outside plain</b>	833 e		plain	grooves
<b>S/RX</b> Evaporator Tube	<b>special outside texture</b>	833 e		pyramid knurled	grooves
<b>Safety (outer) Tube</b>	<b>for further processing to safety tube</b>			plain	60 – 40 ridges
<b>Corrugated Tube</b>	<b>corrugated structure</b>			swirl grooves single and multi-lane	corrugated
<b>Trufin® H/R</b>	<b>high finned</b> fin height: 6 – 11 mm	838 e		9 – 11 fins / inch 2.82 – 2.31 mm	plain
<b>Trufin® L/C</b>	<b>high finned</b> fin height: 6 – 11 mm	838 e		9 – 11 fins / inch 2.82 – 2.31 mm	with inner tube
<b>Finned Tubes from tube and strip</b>					
<b>Laserfin®</b>	<b>Laser welded</b> fin height: 5 – 17 mm	843 e		5 – 13 fins / inch 5.08 – 1.95 mm	plain
<b>Corrofin®</b>	<b>soldered</b> fin height: 5 – 15 mm	841 e		5 – 14 fins / inch 5.08 – 1.81 mm	plain



	Materials	Dimensions	Surface area ratio	Examples of application		
				Process	Media outside	Media inside
<b>Rolled or Integral Finned Tubes</b>						
	Cu / Cu alloys, steel, stainless steel, titanium, inconel	Plain tube o.d.: 12.7 – 31.8 mm length up to 40 m	3– 6	condensation evaporation oil cooling	refrigerant refrigerant oil	water water water
	Cu / Cu alloys, steel, stainless steel	Plain tube o.d.: 12.7 – 31.8 mm length up to 20 m	3 – 5	steam reheating flue gas heating flue gas heating	steam flue gas flue gas	steam steam thermal oil
	Cu	Plain tube o.d.: 15.9 – 25.4 mm length up to 20 m	–	condensation	refrigerant	water
	Cu	Plain tube o.d.: 15.9 – 25.4 mm length up to 20 m	–	evaporation	refrigerant	water
	Cu / CuNi. Al and Al alloys	fin o.d.: 16.5 – 35 mm length up to 20 m	5 – 9	water heating oil cooling oil cooling	water air oil	water oil water
	Cu / CuNi. Al and Al alloys	fin o.d.: 16.5 – 35 mm length up to 20 m	5 – 9	water heating oil cooling oil cooling	water air oil	water oil water
	Cu / CuNi. Al and Al alloys	fin o.d.: 16.5 – 35 mm length up to 20 m	4 – 7	water heating condensation evaporating compr. air cooling	water water oil / water air	water refrigerant refrigerant compressed air
	Cu / CuNi. steel and stainless steel	o.d.: 10 – 28 mm length up to 10 m	1	dry expansions evaporation	water heat carrier	refrigerant
	Cu / CuNi steel and stainless steel	o.d.: 10 – 28 mm length up to 10 m	1.7	flooded evaporation	water heat carrier	refrigerant
	Cu / CuNi steel and stainless steel	o.d.: 10 – 28 mm length up to 10 m		Outer tube for safety tube		
	Cu / CuNi steel and stainless steel	o.d.: 7 – 25 mm		AGR tube bundles	air gas gas	flue gas gas water
	Al and Al alloys	fin o.d.: 22 – 60 mm length up to 20 m	6 – 14	gas cooling gas heating	air / gas air / gas	water / oil / air water / oil / air
	Outer tube: Al and Al alloys Inner tube: after choice	fin o.d.: 22 – 60 mm length up to 20 m	6 – 14	gas cooling gas heating	air / gas air / gas	water / oil / air water / oil / air
<b>Finned Tubes from tube and strip</b>						
	Tube and strip: St, stainless steel, Al, special alloys, Ni-base alloys	tube o.d.: 8 – 84 mm fin o.d.: up to 125 mm length up to 12 m	4 – 25	flue gas cooling flue gas heating condensation in gas heaters	flue gas flue gas flue gas	steam / thermal oil thermal oil / water water
	Tube: Cu / Cu alloys, stainless steel Strip: Cu	tube o.d.: 10 – 30 mm fin o.d.: up to 60 mm length up to 6 m	6 – 23	gas cooling gas heating	air / gas air / gas	water / oil / compressed air water / oil



# Inspections and Testings

In order to verify the quality of our finned tubes, the following inspection and test methods are used:

## Non-destructive Testing

- Eddy current test acc. to DKI<sup>1)</sup> 801  
*ASTM B 359 / ASME SB 359*  
*ASTM E 309 / ASME SE 309*  
*ASTM E 426 / ASME SE 426*
- Pneumatic pressure test under water
- Hydraulic pressure test

## Destructive Testing

The following mechanical and structural properties are determined:

- Tensile strength
- Yield strength
- Elongation
- Grain size

<sup>1)</sup>DKI = German Copper Institute, Düsseldorf



## The Company

**Schmöle GmbH is considered to be one of the leading manufacturers in the fields of finned tubes and heat exchangers.**

Our clients expect both our involvement in solving their application-specific problems as well as a constantly being improved products and processes.

With 160 years of experience and a continued commitment to intensive research and development and modern manufacturing procedures, supported by a certified quality system, we shall continue to meet these challenges.

**Schmöle GmbH has two product divisions:**

**Product Division 1:** Finned tubes  
Heat exchangers

**Product Division 2:** Ceiling cooling batteries  
Surface heat exchanger

## Quality Management

**Manufacturing at Schmöle is accompanied by tests laid down in a Quality Assurance plan which is established for the individual product, containing all operations and examinations.**

Schmöle, since 1993, is known for a certified Quality Management System according to DIN EN ISO 9001 as well as approval according to PED 97/23/EC.

By consistent development of the Quality Management System, Schmöle is familiar to its customers as a reliable business partners and manufacturer of high quality products.



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