






IPT13/IPC13 Application Guide – Speed & Feed (metric)

ISO Code	Work Material	Type of Cut	Axial DOC	Radial DOC	No. of Flutes	Speed (M/min)	Feed (MM per Tooth)			
							12.0	16.0	20.0	
	Gray ASTM-A48 Class 20, 25, 30, 35 & 40	Peripheral - HEM	≤ 2 x D	.07 x D	13	113	.1080	.1436	.1793	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 2 - 3 x D	.07 x D	13	113	.0960	.1277	.1593	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3 - 3.5 x D	.07 x D	13	110	.0816	.1085	.1354	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3.5 - 4 x D	.06 x D	13	110	.0720	.0958	.1195	
		Finish	3 x D	.01 x D	13	111	.0480	.0638	.0797	
	Cast Iron Malleable	Peripheral - HEM	≤ 2 x D	.07 x D	13	116	.1152	.1532	.1912	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 2 - 3 x D	.07 x D	13	116	.1008	.1341	.1673	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3 - 3.5 x D	.07 x D	13	111	.0936	.1245	.1554	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3.5 - 4 x D	.07 x D	13	111	.0864	.1149	.1434	
		Finish	3 x D	.01 x D	13	104	.0408	.0543	.0677	
	Low Carbon Steels ≤ 38 Rc 1018, 1020, 12L14, 5120, 8620	Peripheral - HEM	≤ 2 x D	.07 x D	13	137	.1056	.1404	.1753	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 2 - 3 x D	.07 x D	13	131	.0936	.1245	.1554	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3 - 3.5 x D	.07 x D	13	128	.0864	.1149	.1434	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3.5 - 4 x D	.07 x D	13	125	.0816	.1085	.1354	
		Finish	3 x D	.01 x D	13	120	.0408	.0543	.0677	
	Medium Carbon Steels ≤ 48 HRC 1045, 4140, 4340, 5140	Peripheral - HEM	≤ 2 x D	.06 x D	13	123	.1056	.1404	.1753	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 2 - 3 x D	.06 x D	13	123	.0984	.1309	.1633	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3 - 3.5 x D	.05 x D	13	123	.0936	.1245	.1554	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3.5 - 4 x D	.05 x D	13	123	.0864	.1149	.1434	
		Finish	3 x D	.01 x D	13	113	.0408	.0543	.0677	
	Tool and Die Steels ≤ 48 Rc A2, D2, O1, S7, P20, H13	Peripheral - HEM	≤ 2 x D	.06 x D	13	128	.1080	.1436	.1793	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 2 - 3 x D	.06 x D	13	128	.0960	.1277	.1593	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3 - 3.5 x D	.05 x D	13	126	.0888	.1181	.1474	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3.5 - 4 x D	.05 x D	13	126	.0840	.1117	.1394	
		Finish	3 x D	.01 x D	13	117	.0360	.0479	.0598	
		Martensitic & Ferritic Stainless Steels 410, 416, 440	Peripheral - HEM	≤ 2 x D	.06 x D	13	140	.0984	.1309	.1633
			Peripheral - HEM	> 2 - 3 x D	.06 x D	13	140	.0960	.1277	.1593
			Peripheral - HEM	> 3 - 3.5 x D	.06 x D	13	137	.0888	.1181	.1474
Peripheral - HEM			> 3.5 - 4 x D	.06 x D	13	136	.0840	.1117	.1394	
Finish			3 x D	.01 x D	13	119	.0360	.0479	.0598	
Austenitic Stainless Steels, FeNi Alloys 303, 304, 316, Invar, Kovar		Peripheral - HEM	≤ 2 x D	.06 x D	13	137	.1200	.1596	.1992	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 2 - 3 x D	.06 x D	13	137	.1152	.1532	.1912	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3 - 3.5 x D	.05 x D	13	137	.0960	.1277	.1593	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3.5 - 4 x D	.05 x D	13	136	.0840	.1117	.1394	
		Finish	3 x D	.01 x D	13	126	.0432	.0575	.0717	
Precipitation Hardening Stainless Steels 17-4, 15-5		Peripheral - HEM	≤ 2 x D	.06 x D	13	134	.1080	.1436	.1793	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 2 - 3 x D	.06 x D	13	134	.0984	.1309	.1633	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3 - 3.5 x D	.05 x D	13	133	.0912	.1213	.1514	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3.5 - 4 x D	.05 x D	13	133	.0816	.1085	.1354	
		Finish	3 x D	.01 x D	13	122	.0408	.0543	.0677	
	Titanium Alloys 6Al-4V, 6-2-4	Peripheral - HEM	≤ 2 x D	.08 x D	13	120	.1200	.1596	.1992	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 2 - 3 x D	.07 x D	13	119	.1080	.1436	.1793	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3 - 3.5 x D	.06 x D	13	116	.0984	.1309	.1633	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3.5 - 4 x D	.06 x D	13	116	.0816	.1085	.1354	
		Finish	3 x D	.015 x D	13	108	.0528	.0702	.0876	
	Difficult-to-Machine Titanium Alloys 10-2-3	Peripheral - HEM	≤ 2 x D	.06 x D	13	107	.1200	.1596	.1992	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 2 - 3 x D	.06 x D	13	101	.0864	.1149	.1434	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3 - 3.5 x D	.055 x D	13	96	.0840	.1117	.1394	
	Precipitation Hardening Stainless Steel  13-8	Peripheral - HEM	> 3.5 - 4 x D	.05 x D	13	94	.0768	.1021	.1275	
		Finish	3 x D	.01 x D	13	91	.0408	.0543	.0677	
	Hastalloy, Waspalloy	Peripheral - HEM	≤ 2 x D	.07 x D	13	32	.1704	.2266	.2828	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 2 - 3 x D	.065 x D	13	30	.1536	.2043	.2550	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3 - 3.5 x D	.055 x D	13	27	.1488	.1979	.2470	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3.5 - 4 x D	.05 x D	13	27	.1368	.1819	.2271	
		Finish	3 x D	.01 x D	13	27	.1056	.1404	.1753	
	Inconel 718, Rene 88	Peripheral - HEM	≤ 2 x D	.06 x D	13	30	.1248	.1660	.2072	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 2 - 3 x D	.05 x D	13	29	.1248	.1660	.2072	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3 - 3.5 x D	.05 x D	13	29	.1152	.1532	.1912	
		Peripheral - HEM	> 3.5 - 4 x D	.04 x D	13	29	.1152	.1532	.1912	
		Finish	3 x D	.01 x D	13	27	.0552	.0734	.0916	

D = Tool Diameter

HEM = High-efficiency machining (chip thinning calculations have already been applied to HEM parameters)

Information on tips and adjustments can be found in our Technical Resources section beginning on page 129.