

Slotting

When machine and work material rigidity and chip discharge properties are sufficient, please select the high efficiency cutting conditions.
When machine rigidity, work material rigidity or chip discharge properties are insufficient, please select general-purpose cutting conditions.

High efficiency cutting conditions

Work material	Carbon steel, Alloy steel, Mild steel				Pre-hardened steel, Alloy steel, Alloy tool steel				Austenitic, Ferritic and Martensitic stainless steels, Titanium alloys				Hardened stainless steels, Cobalt chromium alloy				Copper, Copper alloy				Heat resistant alloys							
	Ck45, 41CrMo4, St44-2, Ck10				NAK, X36CrMo17, 40CrNiMoA, X210Cr12, SKT				X5CrNi189, X8CrNiMo173, Ti6Al4V				X5CrNiCuNb16-4, X7CrNiAl17-7								Inconel718							
	Dia. (mm)	Cutting speed (m/min)	Revolution (min ⁻¹)	Feed rate (mm/min)	Depth of cut ap (mm)	Cutting speed (m/min)	Revolution (min ⁻¹)	Feed rate (mm/min)	Depth of cut ap (mm)	Cutting speed (m/min)	Revolution (min ⁻¹)	Feed rate (mm/min)	Depth of cut ap (mm)	Cutting speed (m/min)	Revolution (min ⁻¹)	Feed rate (mm/min)	Depth of cut ap (mm)	Cutting speed (m/min)	Revolution (min ⁻¹)	Feed rate (mm/min)	Depth of cut ap (mm)	Cutting speed (m/min)	Revolution (min ⁻¹)	Feed rate (mm/min)	Depth of cut ap (mm)			
2	150	24000	1200	2	120	19000	610	2	100	16000	640	2	60	9500	300	1	180	29000	1500	2	30	4800	130	0.6				
3	150	16000	1500	3	120	13000	730	3	100	11000	660	3	60	6400	360	1.5	180	19000	1700	3	30	3200	150	0.9				
4	150	12000	1900	4	120	9500	910	4	100	8000	700	4	60	4800	460	2	180	14000	2200	4	30	2400	170	1.2				
5	150	9500	1900	5	120	7600	910	5	100	6400	720	5	60	3800	460	2.5	180	11000	2200	5	30	1900	170	1.5				
6	150	8000	1900	6	120	6400	1000	6	100	5300	740	6	60	3200	510	3	180	9500	2300	6	30	1600	180	1.8				
8	150	6000	1700	8	120	4800	960	8	100	4000	800	8	60	2400	480	4	180	7200	2000	8	30	1200	190	2.4				
10	150	4800	1500	10	120	3800	840	10	100	3200	900	10	60	1900	420	5	180	5700	1800	10	30	950	210	3				
12	150	4000	1300	12	120	3200	770	12	100	2700	860	12	60	1600	380	6	180	4800	1500	12	30	800	200	3.6				
16	150	3000	1100	12	120	2400	670	12	100	2000	640	12	60	1200	340	8	180	3600	1300	12	30	600	150	4.8				
20	150	2400	860	12	120	1900	530	12	100	1600	510	12	60	950	270	10	180	2900	1000	12	30	480	120	6				
25	150	1900	760	12	120	1500	420	12	100	1300	420	12	60	760	210	12	180	2300	920	12	30	380	100	7.5				
Depth of cut																												

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2	100	16000	550	2	80	13000	270	2	60	9500	250	2	50	8000	170	1	120	19000	650	2	25	4000	74	0.6
3	100	11000	670	3	80	8500	310	3	60	6400	250	3	50	5300	200	1.5	120	13000	790	3	25	2700	86	0.9
4	100	8000	840	4	80	6400	410	4	60	4800	280	4	50	4000	250	2	120	9500	1000	4	25	2000	93	1.2
5	100	6400	840	5	80	5100	400	5	60	3800	280	5	50	3200	250	2.5	120	7600	1000	5	25	1600	95	1.5
6	100	5300	840	6	80	4200	440	6	60	3200	300	6	50	2700	290	3	120	6400	1000	6	25	1300	96	1.8
8	100	4000	740	8	80	3200	420	8	60	2400	320	8	50	2000	260	4	120	4800	890	8	25	990	100	2.4
10	100	3200	680	10	80	2500	360	10	60	1900	350	10	50	1600	230	5	120	3800	800	10	25	800	120	3
12	100	2700	570	12	80	2100	330	12	60	1600	340	12	50	1300	210	6	120	3200	680	12	25	660	110	3.6
16	100	2000	480	12	80	1600	300	12	60	1200	250	12	50	990	180	8	120	2400	570	12	25	500	84	4.8
20	100	1600	380	12	80	1300	240	12	60	950	200	12	50	800	150	10	120	1900	450	12	25	400	68	6
25	100	1300	340	12	80	1000	180	12	60	760	160	12	50	640	120	12	120	1500	400	12	25	320	50	7.5
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- 1) VQ coating has less electrical conductivity; therefore an external contact type (electrically transmitted) tool setter may not work.
When measuring the tool length, please use an internal contact type (non-electrical type) tool setter or a laser type tool setter.
- 2) Effective cutting of stainless steel, titanium alloys and heat-resistant alloys etc. can be achieved with the use of emulsion coolant.
- 3) Chattering can still occur if the machine rigidity and clamping method are insufficient.
In these cases the feed and speed should be reduced proportionately.
- 4) When the depth of cut is smaller than shown the revolution and feed rate can be increased.