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## 5P18/L



High Performance Mechanical Classic Casting

9kt

TECH DATA SHEET

GENERAL INFORMATION

Carats:

Colour:

14kt, suitable also for 18kt (see specific tech data sheet) and 8, 9, 10kt (see specific tech data sheet) intense red

Advised use:

colour coordinates: L\*=85.4 a\*=10.6 b\*=14.6 universal (both mechanical works and casting)

MECHANICAL WORKS	stamping	chains	tube		spring	
CASTING	closed systems	open systems	pre-set stones		ones	

Density:	11.10 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Hardness (as cast):	110 HV
Hardness (after cold work 70%):	225 HV
Hardness (after annealing):	101 HV

DIRECTIONS FOR SUGGESTED USE

Melting temperature:

960 °C

Casting temperature:

100 °C over its melting temperature to cast into ingot-mould and continuous casting
100 °C over its melting temperature to cast with centrifugal machines
120 °C over its melting temperature to cast in vacuum machines with controlled atmosphere

140 °C over its melting temperature to cast in vacuum machines with controlled atmosp

Ingot-mould temperature: Cylinders temperature:	150 °C from 600 °C to 700 °C depending on the machine and objects dimensions
Cooling of ingots: Cooling casted objects:	quick in lukewarm water (about 40 °C) in water after 15 minutes
Annealing:	680 °C for 20 minutes followed by a quick cooling in hot water (40 °C min.)

## HINTS

Recommended Pandora Alloys 9kt red solders: TR9 (soft), MR9 (medium)

The above directions are only indicative. Strong variations to the above data are possible, depending on personal experience. Please, do not hesitate to contact us for further information.