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# 5P18/3

Advised use:





High Performance Mechanical High Performance Casting

14 kt

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Carats: 14 kt, suitable also for 8, 9, 10 kt (see specific tech data

sheet) and 18 kt (see specific tech data sheet)

Colour: intense red

colour coordinates: L\*=85.0 a\*=10.7 b\*=15.0

universal (both mechanical works and casting)

Special alloy for extra light items

| MECHANICAL WORKS | stamping          | chains          |   | tube           |  | spring |  |
|------------------|-------------------|-----------------|---|----------------|--|--------|--|
| CASTING          | closed<br>systems | open<br>systems | • | pre-set stones |  |        |  |

Density: 12,85 g/cm³
Hardness (as cast): 141 HV
Hardness (after cold work 70%): 266 HV
Hardness (after annealing): 140 HV

#### DIRECTIONS FOR SUGGESTED USE

Melting temperature: 930 °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 outdoor cylinders with vacuum.

Ingot-mould temperature: 150 °C

Cylinders temperature: from 550 °C to 650 °C depending on the machine and

objects dimensions.

Cooling of ingots: quick in lukewarm water (about 40 °C)

Cooling casted objects: in water after 10 minutes Cooling casted objects (with stones): in water after 30/40 minutes

Annealing: 660 °C for 20 minutes followed by a quick cooling in hot

water (40 °C min.)

#### HINTS

Recommended Pandora Alloys 14 kt 5N red solders: TRJ14

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.

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