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## 5P18/R3



## GENERAL INFORMATION

Carats: Colour: Advised use: 18kt intense red universal (both mechanical works and casting)

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

Density:

14,56 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

## DIRECTIONS FOR SUGGESTED USE

Melting temperature 900°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 and vacuum machines with controlled atmosphere

140°C over its melting temperature to cast in outdoor cylinders with vacuum

Ingot-mould temperature: Cylinders temperature:	150°C from 550°C to 650°C depending on the machine and objects dimensions
Cooling of ingots: Cooling casted objects:	quick in lukewarm water (about 40°C) in water after 10 minutes
Annealing:	670°C for 20 minutes followed by a quick cooling in hot water (40°C min.)
Age hardening:	<i>Step 1: solubilization</i> 680°C for 30 minutes. Cooling quickly in warm water (about 40°C).
IINTS	<i>Step 2: hardening</i> 300°C for 2 hours. Cooling at room temperature.

## HINTS

Recommended Pandora Alloys 18kt 5N red solders: TR5NJ (soft), MR5NJ (medium), FR5NJ (hard)

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. Tech Chart and Safety Data Sheet available on our website <u>www.pandoralloys.com</u>