MATERIAL GROUPS

According to DIN / ISO 513 and VDI 3323

ISO	Material		Condition	Tensile Strength [N/mm²]	Kc1(1) [N/mm²]	mc(2)	Hardness HB	Material No.
P	Non-alloy steel and cast steel, free cutting steel	< 0.25 %C	Annealed	420	1350	0.21	125	1
		>= 0.25 %C	Annealed	650	1500	0.22	190	2
		< 0.55 %C	Quenched and tempered	850	1675	0.24	250	3
		>= 0.55 %C	Annealed	750	1700	0.24	220	4
			Quenched and tempered	1000	1900	0.24	300	5
	Low alloy steel and cast steel (less than 5% of alloying elements)		Annealed	600	1775	0.24	200	6
			Quenched and tempered	930	1675	0.24	275	7
				1000	1725	0.24	300	8
				1200	1800	0.24	350	9
	High alloyed steel, cast steel, and tool steel		Annealed	680	2450	0.23	200	10
			Quenched and tempered	1100	2500	0.23	325	11
	Stainless steel and cast steel		Ferritic/martensitic	680	1875	0.21	200	12
			Martensitic	820	1875	0.21	240	13
M	Stainless steel		Austenitic, duplex	600	2150	0.20	180	14
K	Grey cast iron (GG)		Ferritic/pearlitic		1150	0.20	180	15
			Pearlitic		1350	0.28	260	16
	Nodular cast iron (GGG)		Ferritic		1225	0.25	160	17
			Pearlitic		1350	0.28	250	18
	Malleable cast iron		Ferritic		1225	0.25	130	19
			Pearlitic		1420	0.3	230	20
N	Aluminum-wrought alloy		Not hardenable		700	0.25	60	21
			Hardenable		800	0.25	100	22
	Aluminum-cast, alloyed	<=12% Si	Not hardenable		700	0.25	75	23
			Hardenable		700	0.25	90	24
		>12% Si	High temperature		750	0.25	130	25
	Copper alloys	>1% Pb	Free cutting		700	0.27	110	26
			Brass		700	0.27	90	27
			Electrolytic copper		700	0.27	100	28
	Non metallic		Duroplastics, fiber plastics					29
			Hard rubber					30
S	High temperature alloys	Fe based	Annealed		2600	0.24	200	31
			Hardened		3100	0.24	280	32
		Ni or Co based	Annealed		3300	0.24	250	33
			Hardened		3300	0.24	350	34
			Cast		3300	0.24	320	35
	Titanium alloys		Pure	RM 400	1700	0.23		36
			Alpha+beta alloys hardened	RM 1050	2110	0.22		37
H	Hardened steel		Hardened		4600		55 HRC	38
			Hardened		4700		60 HRC	39
	Chilled cast iron		Cast		4600		400	40
	Cast iron		Hardened		4500		55 HRC	41

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(1) Specific cutting force for 1 mm² chip section. (see page 523).
(2) Chip thickness factor. (see page 523).