Rapidur 3343

HS6-5-2C

Steel properties

C 0.90 **Si** 0.30 **Mn** 0.30 **Cr** 4.10 **Mo** 5.00 **V** 1.90 **W** 6.40

Standard high-speed steel grade. Its well-balanced alloy composition forms the basis of its high toughness and good cutting edge retention, rendering it suitable for a large variety of applications.

Standards	AISI M2	AFNOR Z85WDCV06-05-04-02					
Physical properties	Thermal conduct at °C W/(m ∙ K)	ivity	20 32.8	35 23		700 25.5	
Applications	For all metal-cutting tools for roughing or finishing such as twist drills, diverse milling cutters, thread dies, broaches, reamers, countersinks, thread chasers, circular saw segments, shaping tools and woodworking tools. Also highly suitable for cold-forming tools such as cold extrusion rams and dies, as well as cutting and precision cutting tools, plastic moulds with elevated wear resistance and screws.						
Heat treatment	Soft annealing °C 770 – 860		Cooling Furnace		Hardness HB max. 269		
	Stress-relief annealing °C 630 – 650		Cooling Furnace				
	1st pre-heating °C up to approx. 400 in an air-circulating	2nd and 3 pre-heatii		Hardening ¹ °C	Quenching	Tempering °C	Hardness after tempering HRC
	furnace	a) 850		1190 – 1230	a) Saltbath, 550 °C	at least twice	64 - 66
		b) 850 and	1050		b) Oil c) Air	530 - 560	

¹ For cold-forming tools with a complex geometry, a hardening temperature at the lower end of the quoted range is recommended. The stated hardening temperatures apply to saltbath hardening only. For vacuum hardening, we suggest a reduction of 10 °C to 30 °C.

Isothermal timetemperaturetransformation diagram



Tempering diagram

