


# M2 Series Application Guide – Speed & Feed (metric)

ISO Code	Work Material	Type of Cut	Axial DOC	Radial DOC	Number of Flutes	Speed (M/Min)	Feed (MM per Tooth)								
							3.0	4.0	5.0	6.0	8.0	10.0	12.0	16.0	20.0
	Aluminum Alloys 2024, 6061, 7075	Slotting	1 x D	1 x D	2	244	.0360	.0480	.0600	.0720	.0960	.1195	.1440	.1915	.2405
		Peripheral - Rough	1 x D	.75 x D	2	305	.0450	.0600	.0750	.0900	.1200	.1494	.1800	.2394	.3006
		Peripheral - Finish	1.5 x D	.01 x D	2	365	.0565	.0754	.0942	.1131	.1508	.1877	.2261	.3007	.3776
	High Silicon Aluminum A380, A390	Slotting	.75 x D	1 x D	2	153	.0312	.0416	.0520	.0624	.0832	.1036	.1248	.1660	.2084
		Peripheral - Rough	1 x D	.5 x D	2	213	.0390	.0520	.0650	.0780	.1040	.1295	.1560	.2075	.2605
		Peripheral - Finish	1.5 x D	.01 x D	2	274	.0490	.0653	.0817	.0980	.1307	.1627	.1960	.2606	.3273
	Magnesium Alloys	Slotting	1 x D	1 x D	2	244	.0360	.0480	.0600	.0720	.0960	.1195	.1440	.1915	.2405
		Peripheral - Rough	1 x D	.75 x D	2	305	.0450	.0600	.0750	.0900	.1200	.1494	.1800	.2394	.3006
		Peripheral - Finish	1.5 x D	.01 x D	2	365	.0565	.0754	.0942	.1131	.1508	.1877	.2261	.3007	.3776
	Copper Alloys Brass, Bronze	Slotting	.75 x D	1 x D	2	153	.0312	.0416	.0520	.0624	.0832	.1036	.1248	.1660	.2084
		Peripheral - Rough	1 x D	.75 x D	2	175	.0390	.0520	.0650	.0780	.1040	.1295	.1560	.2075	.2605
		Peripheral - Finish	1.5 x D	.01 x D	2	198	.0490	.0653	.0817	.0980	.1307	.1627	.1960	.2606	.3273
	Composites Plastics, Fiberglass	Slotting	1 x D	1 x D	2	153	.0312	.0416	.0520	.0624	.0832	.1036	.1248	.1660	.2084
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	High Silicon Aluminum A380, A390	Slotting	.5 x D	1 x D	3	153	.0264	.0352	.0440	.0528	.0704	.0876	.1056	.1404	.1763
		Peripheral - Rough	1 x D	.5 x D	3	213	.0330	.0440	.0550	.0660	.0880	.1096	.1320	.1755	.2204
		Peripheral - Finish	1.5 x D	.01 x D	3	274	.0415	.0553	.0691	.0829	.1106	.1376	.1658	.2205	.2769
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- Z** Number of Flutes
- RPM** Revolutions per Minute
- SFM** Surface Feet per Minute
- M/min** Surface Meters per Minute
- IPM** Inches per Minute
- MMPM** Millimeters per Minute
- IPT** Inch per Tooth
- MMPT** Millimeters per Tooth
- MRR** Metal Removal Rate
- RDOC** Radial Depth of Cut
- ADOC** Axial Depth of Cut

## Technical Resources

Information on tips and adjustments for the following milling operations can be found in our Technical Resources section beginning on page 125.

- HEM slotting
- Face milling
- Helical entry ramping
- Straight line ramping
- Long tool projection adjustments
- Ball nose milling adjustments
- Other helpful tips and calculations