**High-Speed Steel** 

### **CHEMICAL COMPOSITION**

С	Cr	Мо	W	Со	V
0.72	4.0	5.0	1.0	8.0	1.0

SAFETY DATA SHEET SDS: B

#### **STANDARDS**

• Europe: HS 1-5-1-8

#### **DELIVERY HARDNESS**

- Typical soft annealed hardness is 240 HB
- Cold drawn and cold rolled material is typically 10-40 HB harder

#### **DESCRIPTION**

EMatrixII is a high speed steel with excellent toughness combined with a good heat resistance.

#### **APPLICATIONS**

- Bi-metal saws
- Bandsaws
- Sabre saws

#### **FORM SUPPLIED**

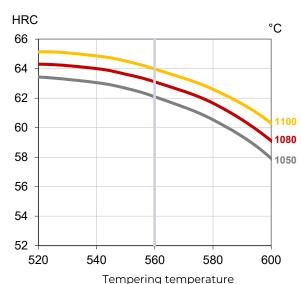
- Bi-metal edges
- Strips

Available surface conditions: cold rolled.

#### **HEAT TREATMENT**

- Soft annealing in a protective atmosphere at 850-900°C for 3 hours, followed by slow cooling 10°C per hour down to 700°C, then air cooling.
- Stress-relieving at 600°C to 700°C for approximately 2 hours, slow cooling down to 500°C.
- Hardening in a protective atmosphere with preheating in 2 steps at 450-500°C and 850-900°C and austenitising at a temperature suitable for chosen working hardness.
- 2 tempers at 560°C are recommended with at least 1 hour holding time each time.

## **GUIDELINES FOR HARDENING**



Hardness after hardening, quenching and tempering 2x1 hour

Tool	Hardening	Tempering
Saws	1050-1100°C	550-570°C

### **PROCESSING**

EMATII can be worked as follows:

- machining (grinding, turning, milling)
- polishing
- hot forming
- electrical discharge machining
- welding (special procedure including preheating and filler materials of base material composition).

### **GRINDING**

During grinding, local heating of the surface, which can alter the temper, must be avoided. Grinding wheel manufacturers can provide advice on the choice of grinding wheels.

## **SURFACE TREATMENT**

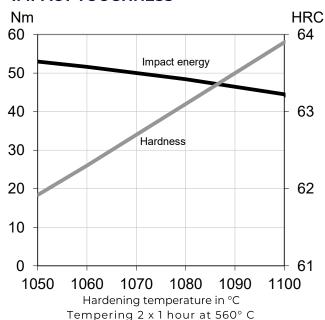
The steel grade is a perfect substrate material for PVD coating. If nitriding is requested, a small diffusion zone is recommended but avoid compound and oxidized layers.

## **PROPERTIES**

#### **PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**

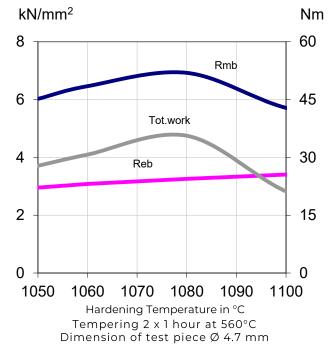
Temperature	20°C
Density g /cm³	7.9

## **IMPACT TOUGHNESS**



Unnotched test piece 7 x 10 x 55 mm

# **4-POINT BEND STRENGTH**



Rmb = Ultimate bend strength in kN/mm² Reb = Bend yield strength in kN/mm² Tot. work = Total work in Nm

## **COMPARATIVE PROPERTIES**

