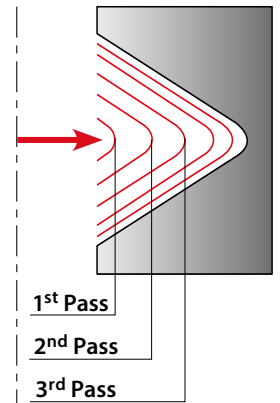


## Efficient Multi-passes Machining Method

Due to the high volume of chips, thinner chips are required. This is achieved by radial multi-pass machining, which reduces the accumulation of chips, and thereby enables high speeds and feed rates.

## MultiFlute



### Recommended No. of Passes According to Pitch

Pitch TPI	48	32	24	20	16	14	12	10	8
Pitch mm	0.50	0.75	1.00	1.25	1.50	1.75	2.00	2.50	3.00
No. of Passes	2-3	2-3	3-4	4-5	5-6	5-6	6-7	7-8	7-9

Conventional milling with multiple passes is required.  
For machining recommendations, use the Vargus GENius.

### Recommended Cutting Speeds $V_c$ [m/min] and Feed $f$ [mm/tooth]

Material Group	Vargus No.	Material	Hardness Brinell HB	2xDo Tools				3xDo Tools				
				$V_c$ [m/min]	Feed $f$ [mm/tooth] by Cutter Dia. = D2			$V_c$ [m/min]	Feed $f$ [mm/tooth] by Cutter Dia. = D2			
					VTH	2.4-4.0	4.0-9.0		>9.0	VTH	2.4-4.0	4.0-9.0
P Steel	1	Unalloyed Steel	Low Carbon (C=0.1-0.25%)	125	145-185	0.05-0.08	0.09-0.14	0.11-0.17	70-110	0.03-0.05	0.07-0.10	0.08-0.13
	2		Medium Carbon (C=0.25-0.55%)	150	135-175	0.05-0.08	0.09-0.14	0.11-0.17	70-110	0.03-0.05	0.07-0.10	0.08-0.13
	3		High Carbon (C=0.55-0.85%)	170	120-160	0.05-0.08	0.09-0.14	0.11-0.17	65-105	0.03-0.05	0.07-0.10	0.08-0.13
	4	Low Alloy Steel (alloying elements ≤5%)	Non Hardened	180	100-140	0.05-0.08	0.09-0.14	0.11-0.17	65-105	0.03-0.05	0.07-0.10	0.08-0.13
	5		Hardened	275	95-135	0.05-0.08	0.09-0.14	0.11-0.17	65-105	0.03-0.05	0.07-0.10	0.08-0.13
	6		Hardened	350	90-130	0.04-0.06	0.06-0.10	0.08-0.11	60-100	0.03-0.05	0.05-0.08	0.07-0.10
	7	High Alloy Steel (alloying elements >5%)	Annealed	200	50-90	0.05-0.08	0.09-0.14	0.11-0.17	50-90	0.03-0.05	0.07-0.10	0.08-0.13
	8		Hardened	325	40-80	0.04-0.06	0.06-0.10	0.08-0.11	40-80	0.03-0.05	0.05-0.08	0.07-0.10
	9	Cast Steel	Low Alloy (alloying elements <5%)	200	145-185	0.05-0.08	0.09-0.14	0.11-0.17	70-110	0.03-0.05	0.07-0.10	0.08-0.13
	10		High Alloy (alloying elements >5%)	225	95-135	0.04-0.06	0.06-0.10	0.08-0.11	65-105	0.03-0.05	0.05-0.08	0.07-0.10
M Stainless Steel	11	Stainless Steel Ferritic	Non Hardened	200	85-125	0.04-0.06	0.06-0.10	0.08-0.11	60-100	0.03-0.05	0.05-0.08	0.07-0.10
	12		Hardened	330	70-110	0.04-0.06	0.06-0.10	0.08-0.11	60-100	0.03-0.05	0.05-0.08	0.07-0.10
	13	Stainless Steel Austenitic	Austenitic	180	80-120	0.05-0.08	0.09-0.14	0.11-0.17	60-100	0.03-0.05	0.07-0.10	0.08-0.13
	14		Super Austenitic	200	75-115	0.05-0.08	0.09-0.14	0.11-0.17	60-100	0.03-0.05	0.07-0.10	0.08-0.13
	15	Stainless Steel Cast Ferritic	Non Hardened	200	90-130	0.05-0.08	0.09-0.14	0.11-0.17	60-100	0.03-0.05	0.07-0.10	0.08-0.13
	16		Hardened	330	65-105	0.04-0.06	0.06-0.10	0.08-0.11	60-100	0.03-0.05	0.05-0.08	0.07-0.10
	17	Stainless Steel Cast Austenitic	Austenitic	200	85-125	0.05-0.08	0.09-0.14	0.11-0.17	60-100	0.03-0.05	0.07-0.10	0.08-0.13
	18		Hardened	330	60-100	0.04-0.06	0.06-0.10	0.08-0.11	60-100	0.03-0.05	0.05-0.08	0.07-0.10
K Cast Iron	28	Malleable Cast Iron	Ferritic (short chips)	130	60-70	0.05-0.08	0.09-0.14	0.11-0.17	60-100	0.03-0.05	0.07-0.10	0.08-0.13
	29		Pearlitic (long chips)	230	85-125	0.05-0.08	0.09-0.14	0.11-0.17	60-100	0.03-0.05	0.07-0.10	0.08-0.13
	30	Grey Cast Iron	Low Tensile Strength	180	95-135	0.05-0.08	0.09-0.14	0.11-0.17	65-105	0.03-0.05	0.07-0.10	0.08-0.13
	31		High Tensile Strength	260	60-100	0.04-0.06	0.06-0.10	0.08-0.11	70-110	0.03-0.05	0.05-0.08	0.07-0.10
	32	Nodular Sg Iron	Ferritic	160	55-95	0.05-0.08	0.09-0.14	0.11-0.17	40-80	0.03-0.05	0.07-0.10	0.08-0.13
	33		Pearlitic	260	50-90	0.04-0.06	0.06-0.10	0.08-0.11	40-80	0.03-0.05	0.05-0.08	0.07-0.10
N Non-Ferrous Metals	34	Aluminum Alloys Wrought	Non Aging	60	200-300	0.06-0.10	0.11-0.17	0.16-0.19	70-110	0.06-0.09	0.11-0.16	0.13-0.20
	35		Aged	100	150-250	0.06-0.10	0.11-0.17	0.16-0.19	70-110	0.06-0.09	0.11-0.16	0.13-0.20
	36	Aluminum Alloys	Cast	75	100-200	0.06-0.10	0.11-0.17	0.16-0.19	70-110	0.06-0.09	0.11-0.16	0.13-0.20
	37		Cast & Aged	90	120-220	0.06-0.10	0.11-0.17	0.16-0.19	70-110	0.06-0.09	0.11-0.16	0.13-0.20
	38		Cast Si 13-22%	130	200-300	0.06-0.10	0.11-0.17	0.16-0.19	70-110	0.06-0.09	0.11-0.16	0.13-0.20
	39	Copper and Copper Alloys	Brass	90	200-300	0.06-0.10	0.11-0.17	0.16-0.19	70-110	0.06-0.09	0.11-0.16	0.13-0.20
	40		Bronze And Non Leaded Copper	100	150-250	0.06-0.10	0.11-0.17	0.16-0.19	70-110	0.06-0.09	0.11-0.16	0.13-0.20