

Material Code:

**AISI H13**

DE - Brand:

**WP5V**

**Chemical composition:**  
(Typical analysis in %)

|      |      |      |      |  |  |  |  |
|------|------|------|------|--|--|--|--|
| C    | Cr   | Mo   | V    |  |  |  |  |
| 0,40 | 5,30 | 1,40 | 1,00 |  |  |  |  |

**Steel properties:**

High strength at elevated temperatures, high hot wear resistance, good toughness, thermal conductivity and resistant to hot cracking, limited water cooling possible. Similar to 1.2344.

**Applications:**

Standard material for hot forming tools, extrusion tools, forging dies, pressure casting tools, hot shear knives, tools for plastic industry. Also available in EFS and ESR condition where better properties are required.

**Condition of delivery:**

Soft annealed to max. 229 HB

**Physical properties:**

|                               |   |          |          |          |           |
|-------------------------------|---|----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| Thermal expansion coefficient | $\left[ \frac{10^{-6} \cdot \text{m}}{\text{m} \cdot \text{K}} \right]$ | 68-212°F | 68-572°F | 68-932°F | 68-1292°F |
|                               |   | 10,8     | 12,3     | 13,0     | 13,5      |
| Thermal conductivity          | $\left[ \frac{\text{W}}{\text{m} \cdot \text{K}} \right]$               | 68°F     | 662°F    | 1292°F   |           |
|                               |   | 25,6     | 28,4     | 29,4     |           |

**Heat treatment:**

Soft annealing

| Temperature   | Cooling | Hardness    |
|---------------|---------|-------------|
| 1380 - 1470°F | furnace | max. 229 HB |

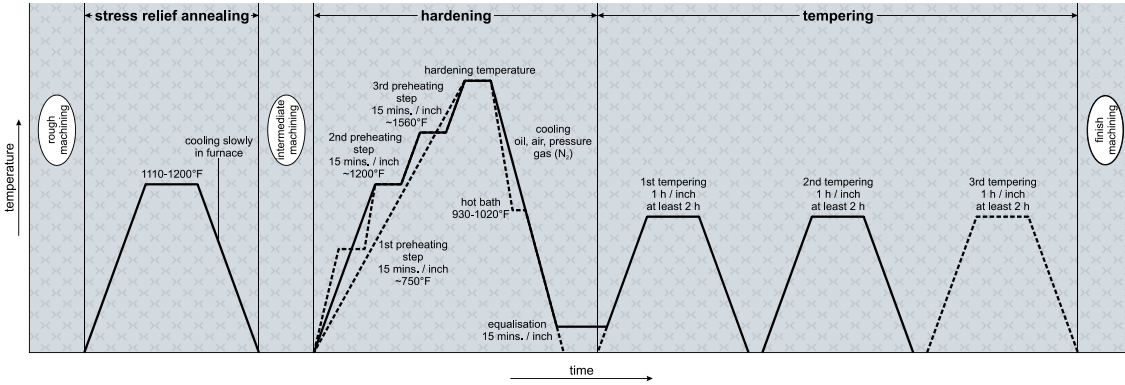
Stress relief annealing

| Temperature   | Cooling |  |
|---------------|---------|--|
| 1110 - 1200°F | furnace |  |

Hardening

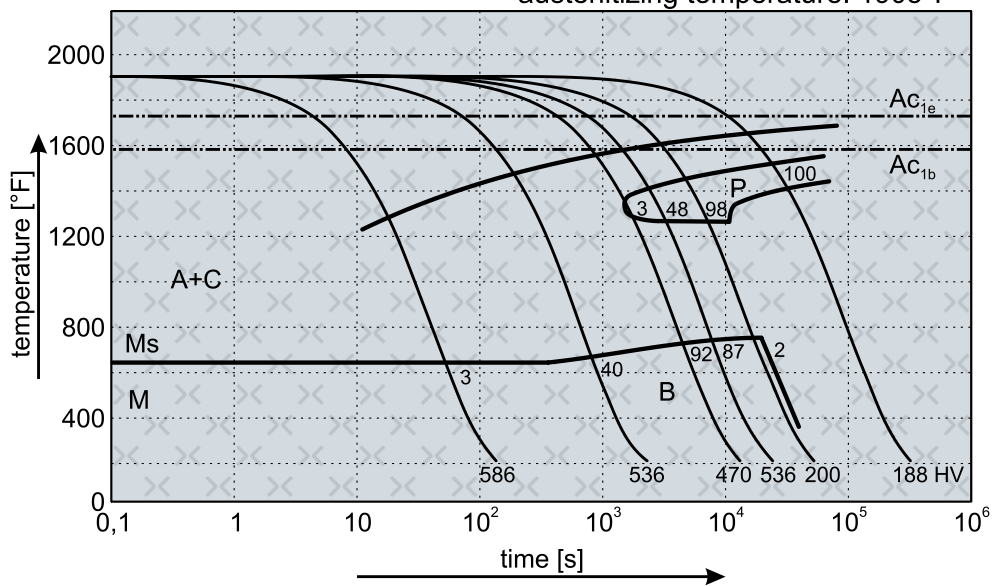
| Temperature   | Cooling   | Tempering                |
|---------------|---|--------------------------|
| 1860 - 1940°F | oil, pressure gas (N <sub>2</sub> ),<br>air or hot bath<br>930 - 1020°F | see tempering<br>diagram |

## (AISI H13) Thermal Cycle Diagram

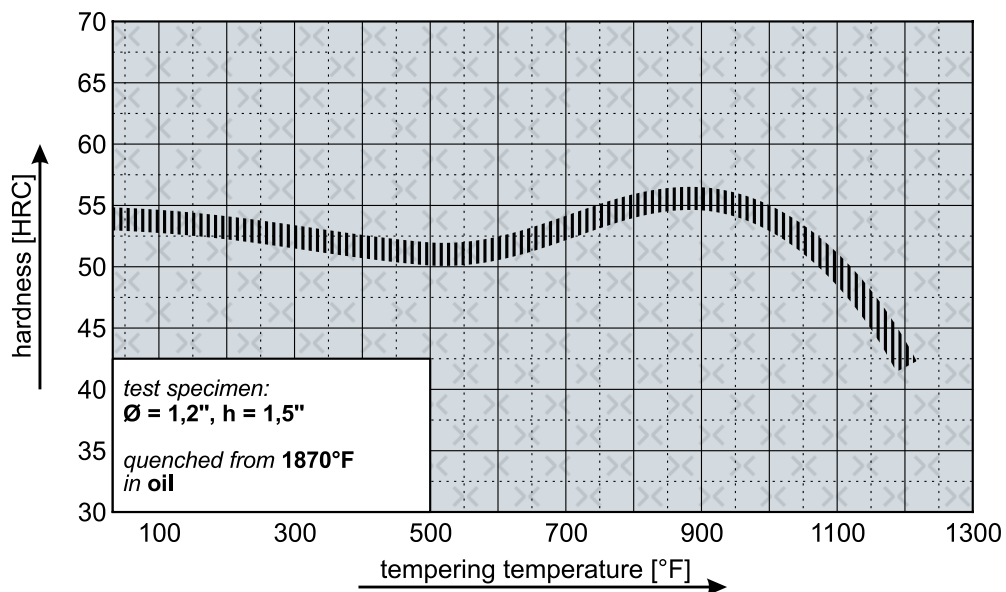


## Continuous Cooling Transformation Diagram (CCT)

austenitizing temperature: 1905°F



## Tempering Diagram



Remarks: All technical information is for reference only.