



# Recommended Speeds & Feeds for Carbide Chamfer Mills

Material		Hardness R/C		Parameters for Edge break up to 20% of tool dia.							Parameters for chamfer larger than 20% of tool dia.									
				Starting SFM	Chamfer Mill Diameter							Starting SFM	Chamfer Mill Diameter							
					Feed rate, IPT (Inch per Tooth)								Feed rate, IPT (Inch per Tooth)							
<b>Low Carbon Steel</b> 1006, 1008, 1018, 1020, 1022, 1025, 1117, 1140, 1215, 1330		Up to 30	650	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1	600-500	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1
				.001	.0017	.002	.0025	.0035	.0042	.005	.007		.0006	.0013	.0015	.0018	.0025	.0031	.004	.0052
<b>Medium Carbon and High Carbon, Steels</b> 1030, 1040, 1050, 1060, 1085, 1095, 1541, 1551, 9255, 3135, 3415, 4130, 4140, 4150, 4320, 4520, 5015, 5120, 5140, 8620		30-40 RC	450	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1	400-300	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1
				.0007	.0015	.0018	.0023	.0031	.0037	.0045	.006		.0005	.0011	.0014	.0017	.0023	.0028	.0034	.0045
<b>Tool Steels</b> T1, T2, T15, A2, A7, H13, P20, S7, D2		30-44 RC	350	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1	300-200	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1
				.0008	.0015	.002	.0025	.0032	.004	.005	.0065		.0006	.0013	.0015	.002	.0025	.003	.004	.005
<b>Hardened Steels</b> Hardened Carbon Steels and Tool steels		42-54 RC	200	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1	150-100	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1
				.0005	.0011	.0016	.0021	.0027	.0034	.0042	.005		.0003	.0008	.0012	.0017	.0022	.003	.0038	.0045
		54-62 RC	150	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1	150-100	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1
				.0004	.0008	.0011	.0016	.002	.0025	.003	.0035									
<b>Stainless Steel</b> 430F, 301, 303, 410, 416, 420F, 430, 430F		Up to 30 RC	500	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1	450-350	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1
				.0008	.0015	.002	.0025	.0032	.004	.005	.0065		.0006	.0011	.0016	.0021	.0028	.0033	.0041	.0055
<b>Stainless Steel</b> 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 420, 15-5PH, 17-4PH, 17-7PH		Up to 30 RC	250	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1	200-150	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1
				.0005	.001	.0012	.0015	.002	.0025	.003	.0035		.0002	.0007	.001	.0012	.0016	.002	.0024	.003
<b>Stainless Steel</b> 302B, 304B, 309, 310, 316, 316B, 316L, 317, 317L, 321, Nitronic		Over 30 RC	350	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1	300-200	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1
				.0008	.0015	.002	.0025	.003	.0036	.0043	.006		.0006	.0012	.0016	.0019	.0025	.003	.0037	.0048
<b>High Temp alloys</b> Inconel, Monel, Hastelloy		Up to 42 RC	75	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1	50	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1
				.0004	.0009	.001	.0014	.0018	.0023	.0027	.0036		.0002	.0005	.0007	.0009	.0011	.0014	.0017	.0023
<b>Titanium</b>		Up to 42 RC	150	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1	125-100	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1
				.0005	.0009	.0012	.0015	.002	.0025	.003	.0038		.0003	.0006	.0008	.0009	.0012	.0015	.0018	.0025
<b>Gray Cast iron</b> ASTM A48, Class 20,25,30,35, SAE J431C, Grades G1800,G3000,G3500, GG10,15,20,25,30,35,40		—	1200	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1	1100-900	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1
				.002	.004	.005	.006	.0075	.0095	.012	.015		.0012	.0025	.003	.0035	.005	.006	.007	.009
<b>Ductile Cast Iron</b> 60-40-18, 65-45-12, D40148, D4512, 32510, 35108, M3210, M4504, M5503, 2502, 300, 350, 400, 450		—	750	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1	700-500	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1
				.0015	.0035	.0042	.0052	.0062	.0072	.0095	.011		.001	.002	.0025	.003	.004	.005	.0065	.0075
<b>Aluminum</b> 2024, 6061, 7075, 1050, 6351, 5005, 2017, 7075		Up to 3% Si	1100	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1	1000	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1
				.002	.004	.005	.006	.0075	.0095	.012	.015		.0012	.0025	.003	.0035	.005	.006	.007	.009
<b>Cast Aluminum</b> High Silicon A380, Castings		Over 3% Si	750	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1	700	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1
				.0018	.0035	.0043	.0052	.007	.0085	.010	.0135		.0014	.0028	.0035	.0042	.0055	.007	.0085	.011
<b>Magnesium</b>		—	1500	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1	1500	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1
				.002	.004	.005	.0055	.0075	.0095	.011	.015		.0012	.0025	.003	.0035	.0045	.006	.007	.0095
<b>Non Ferrous</b> Copper, Brass, Bronze		Up to 30 RC	600	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1	500	1/8	1/4	5/16	3/8	1/2	5/8	3/4	1
				.0015	.003	.004	.0045	.006	.0075	.009	.012		.001	.002	.0025	.003	.004	.005	.006	.007