

# RECOMMENDED FURNACE SELECTION FOR METALLIC MATERIALS USED AT MANUFACTURING USING THIS TECHNOLOGY

MATERIAL TYPE					
Material	Standard (material identification)	Example of comm. identification	Example of comm. identification	Type of heat treatment	Recommended furnaces and accessories
High-strength steel	18 Mar 300 / 1.2709	EOS High-strength steel ocel MS1	Böhler W 722	<b>Artificial ageing 490 °C</b> 6 h, air circulation	PP furnace with forced air circulation, protective gas box
	EN 1.2709	EOS High-strength steel ocel MS2	Böhler W 722	<b>Artificial ageing 490 °C</b> 6 h, air circulation	PP furnace with forced air circulation, protective gas box
Stainless steel	Stainless steel 17-4 / 1.4542	EOS Stainless steel GPI	Böhler N 700	<b>Relieving of internal stress, 550 °C</b> 1h <b>1. Solution annealing 1040 °C</b> 30 min, cooling with air below 32 °C <b>2. Artificial ageing 460 °C</b> 1h, cooling with air below 32°C	PP furnace with forced air circulation, protective gas box, N2 supply
	Hardenable stainless steel 15-5 / 1.4540	EOS Stainless steel PH1		<b>Hardening 525 °C</b> 4 h	PP furnace with forced air circulation, protective gas box, N2 supply
	1.4404 / UNS S31673	EOS Stainless steel 316L		<b>Relieving of internal stress 550 °C</b> 1h	PP furnace with forced air circulation, protective gas box, N2 supply
	1.44.4 / UNS S31673	EOS Stainless steel 316L VPro		<b>Relieving of internal stress</b>	PP furnace with forced air circulation, protective gas box, N2 supply
	Tooling grade steel	EOS Stainless steel CX	Böhler AM Corrax	<b>Solution annealing 850 °C</b> 30 min, N2, cooling with air <b>Artificial ageing 525-600 °C</b> 4 h, N2	PP furnace with forced air circulation, protective gas box, N2 or Ar supply, cooling table
	Stainless steel 17-4PH / 1.4542 / X5CrNiCuNb17-4 ASTM F899-12b	EOS Stainless steel 17-4PH	Böhler N 700	<b>Relieving of internal stress 550 °C</b> 1h <b>1. Solution annealing 1040 °C</b> 30 min, cooling with air below 32 °C <b>2. Artificial ageing 460 °C</b> 1h, cooling with air below 32 °C	PP furnace with forced air circulation, protective gas box, N2 supply
	Inconel™ 718, UNS N07718, AMS 5662, mat # 2.4668	EOS Nickel alloy IN718	Böhler L 718	<b>Solution annealing 980 °C</b> 1h, Ar, cooling with air <b>Artificial ageing 720 °C</b> 8 h, Ar cooling to 620 °C within 2 h, holding for 8 h, Ar	K furnace, protective gas box, Ar supply, cooling table
Nickel alloys	Inconel™ 625, UNS N06625, AMS 5666F, mat # 2.4856 etc.	EOS Nickel alloy IN625	Böhler L 625	<b>Relieving of internal stress 890 °C</b> air circulation <b>Solution annealing 1090-1200 °C</b> cooling <b>Annealing 950-1000 °C</b> cooling	PKRC retort furnace with hot wall
	UNS N06002	EOS Nickel alloy HX		<b>Solution annealing 1177 °C</b> 1h, air quick cooling with air under 60 °C	K furnace
	CoCrMo super alloys, UNS R31538, ASTM F75	EOS Cobalt-chromium MP1		<b>Relieving of internal stress 1150 °C</b> 6 h, Ar	K furnace, protective gas box, Ar supply
Cobalt-chromium	CoCrMo super alloys	EOS Cobalt-chromium SP2		<b>Relieving of internal stress 750 °C</b> 1h, Ar	PP furnace with forced air circulation, protective gas box, Ar supply
	CoCrMo super alloys	EOS Cobalt-chromium RPD		<b>Relieving of internal stress 750 °C</b> 1h, Ar	PP furnace with forced air circulation, protective gas box, Ar supply
	Ti64 Ti6Al4V light metal	EOS Titanium		<b>Relieving of internal stress 300 °C</b> 2-4 h, Ar	PKRC retort furnace with hot wall, Ar supply, vacuum pump
Titanium	Ti6Al4V ELI	EOS Titanium Ti64ELI		<b>Relieving of internal stress 300 °C</b> 2-4 h, Ar	PKRC retort furnace with hot wall, Ar supply, vacuum pump
	TiCP Grade 2, 3.7035, ASTM F67 (UNS R50400), (ISO5832-2)	EOS Titanium TiCP		<b>Relieving of internal stress 300 °C</b> 2-4 h, Ar	PKRC retort furnace with hot wall, Ar supply, vacuum pump
	AlSi10Mg light metal	EOS Aluminium AlSi10Mg		<b>Relieving of internal stress 300 °C</b> 2 h	PP furnace with forced air circulation
Aluminium	AlSi7Mg0.6 light metal	EOS Aluminium AlF357		<b>Relieving of internal stress 300 °C</b> 2 h	PP furnace with forced air circulation
	Pure tungsten	EOS Tungsten W1		<b>Austenitization annealing</b> , annealing, hardering	Consult the LAC representative
Refractory metals	Cr-C tool steel		Uddeholm Orvar Supreme	<b>Austenitization annealing</b> , annealing, hardering	Consult the LAC representative