

# Steel GK3 31CrMo12

# **SPECIFICATIONS**

European Standards:

-31CrMo12, 32CrMo12

Numerical designation: 1.8515, 1.7361

AIR : 30 CD 12 WL : 1.8564

# COMPOSITION

Carbon	0.30
Chromium	3.00
Molybdenum	0.40

### TYPICAL MECHANICAL PROPERTIES —

 Annealed condition: heat to 825°C followed by slow cooling.

- Brinell Hardness: 205

### **HEAT TREATMENT REFERENCE**

• Oil quench from 900/925°C. Temper at 625°C

- UTS:  $1000 \text{ N/mm}^2$ - 0.2 % Yield strength:  $850 \text{ N/mm}^2$ - Elongation (5d): 18 %- Impact strength KCU:  $150 \text{ J/cm}^2$ 

### APPLICATIONS —

- Gears
- Spindles
- Machine tool components
- Various mechanical parts

# CHARACTERISTICS -

• Nitriding steel for surface hardness ~800 HV

## HEAT TREATMENT

### **TEMPERING CURVE**

- Harden:
  - Heat to 900/925°C
  - Oil quench
- Temper:
  - Above 525°C

Depending on properties required

- Nitriding:
  - Surface hardness: approx. 850 Vickers

### PHYSICAL PROPERTIES.

• Density: 7.8

• Mean coefficient of expansion in m/m.°C:

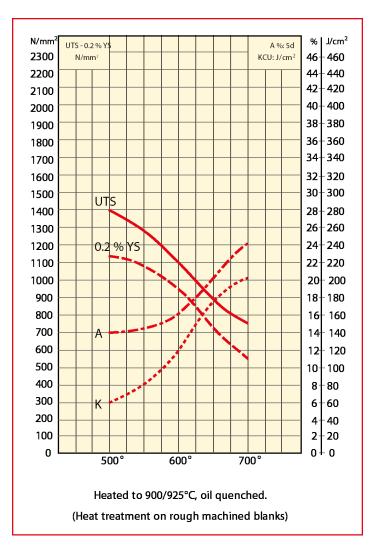
- between 20°C and 100°C: 11.3 x 10<sup>-6</sup>

- between 20°C and 500°C: 13.6 x 10<sup>-6</sup>

Critical points:

- Ac 1: 780°C

- Ac 3: 835°C



### **FORGING**

• 1100/900°C

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