Recommended Cutting Conditions (inch) Carbon Steel, Alloy Steel (180-280HB) Hardened steel (62-70HRC) Alloy steel (≤350HB), Pre-hardened steel (35-45HRC) Workpiece Hardened steel (45-62HRC) Material AISI 1045, AISI 4140, SKD, SKT, AISI P21, AISI P20, AISI H13, L6, AISI W1, AISI M2 AISI D2 Corner Radius RE α≤15° α≤15° α>15° $\alpha > 15^{\circ}$ Depth of cut Depth of cut Depth of cut Depth of cut Revolution Feed rate Revolution Revolution Feed rate Feed rate Revolution Feed rate (mm) (inch) ap ap ae (min⁻¹) (IPM) (min⁻¹) (IPM) (min⁻¹) (IPM) (min⁻¹) (IPM) 0.5 .020 .0003 22.0 40000 22.0 .0002 40000 31.5 40000 31.5 .0003 40000 .0002 0.75 .030 40000 31.5 .0004 .0004 40000 22.0 40000 22.0 .0003 .0003 31.5 40000 35000 1 .039 41.3 35000 41.3 .0004 .0004 35000 27.6 35000 27.6 .0004 .0004 1.25 .049 35000 41.3 35000 41.3 .0005 .0005 35000 27.6 35000 27.6 .0004 .0004 .0006 1.5 .059 35000 41.3 35000 41.3 .0006 35000 27.6 35000 27.6 .0005 .0005 2 .079 25000 39.4 25000 39.4 .0007 .0007 25000 29.5 25000 29.5 .0006 .0006 2.5 .098 25000 39.4 25000 39.4 .0008 .0008 25000 29.5 25000 29.5 .0006 .0006 .118 25000 3 25000 39.4 .0008 .0008 25000 25000 .0006 .0006 39.4 29.5 29.5 Depth of cut

Note 1) The tools are recommended for use only in finish machining.

Note 2) Air blowing or oil mist is recommended as coolants.

Note 3) Note the following points when using the tools.

- Avoid using equipment abruptly without proper preparation. After sufficiently energizing equipment, ensure that there will be no changes to the depth of cut such as due to elongation of the main axis during machining.
- If the tools are used immediately after rough machining of a surface, large uneven areas (cusp heights) will cause deflection of the tools and waviness of the machined surface. Therefore, it is recommended to add a medium finish machining process which uses the same value of ae as indicated in the table above.

Note 4) α is the inclination angle of the machined surface.

