



GUHRING

Recondition to original quality

Re-grinding and Re-coating Service



GUHRING – YOUR WORLD-WIDE PARTNER

Maximize your cost savings

Utilize Guhring's tool reconditioning services

Even the most resilient tools wear out eventually. Guhring can recondition your tools back to original manufacturing specifications, allowing you to reproduce the performance of your new tools.

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Recondition to



Collection and delivery service

for in time logistics

Pickup and delivery service available in select markets.

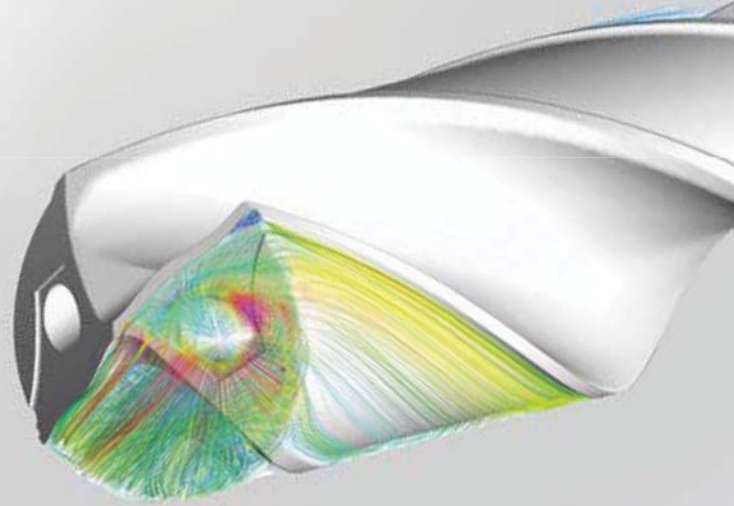
strategically located service centers

Nation-wide service network

In order to expedite our reconditioning process we have established 4 reconditioning centers across the U.S. Our service centers are equipped with state-of-the-art grinding and coating machines designed and manufactured by Guhring.

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original quality



Service with manufacturer's know-how

Thanks to our vertically integrated approach to cutting tool manufacturing, from the production of raw cutting tool materials to the in-house development and construction of grinding and coating machines, we have the necessary expertise across all aspects of new tool production as well as reconditioning.

The uniform standards in production and service we set world-wide ensure that our tools consistently perform according to the expectations of our customers.



Quality is top priority:

As the worlds leader in precision rotary cutting tool manufacturing, Guhring is uniquely qualified to provide the highest quality reconditioned tools.

- Consistent honing processes
- High quality coatings applied in-house
- Tool etching for traceability
- State-of-the-art inspection equipment

Tool Reconditioning

Re-grinding and re-coating



The Reconditioning Process

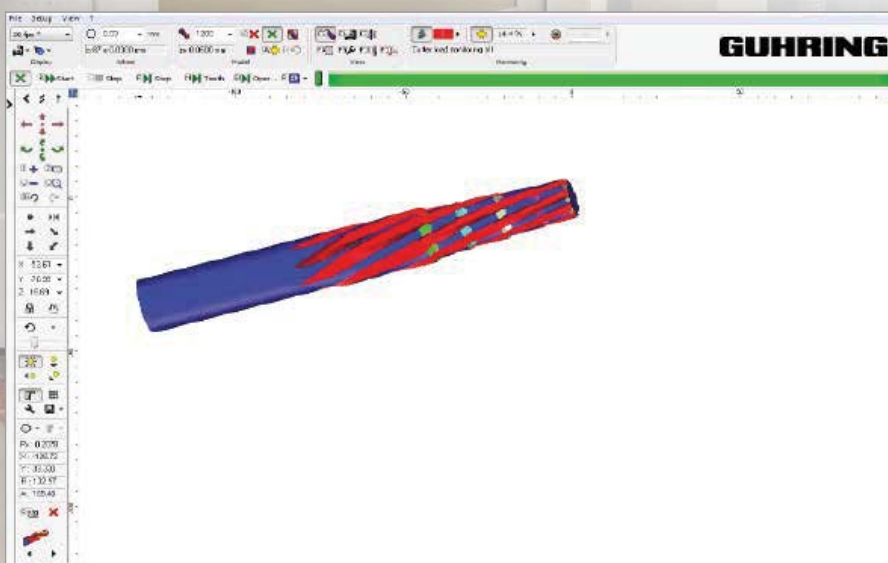


Worn cutting tools are reconditioned on new, state-of-the-art, 5-axis CNC grinding machines. Guhring is one of the few cutting tool manufacturers who designs and builds their own grinding equipment which allows us to build machines specifically designed around the strict requirements of our reconditioning process.

Tools are held in precision collets and fully supported with bushings throughout the grinding process to achieve near perfect run-out tolerances as well as superior surface finish. Not all reconditioning service providers can claim this level of precision and control.

Specialized tool grinding software:

- Numroto Platform
- Master database structure
- Uniform Grinding wheel system



- precise inspection guidelines
- trained inspectors
- state-of-the-art inspection equipment

- Climate controlled inspection departments.
- ISO certification to ensure the highest quality and repeatability.

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Routing Control:

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JOB ROUTING

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Description: X REGRIND
Customer:
Enduser:

2-08-115002-001R

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0010	49104985	VAPOR HONE (GRAF)	1.7 9.0 10.7				
	0002/0000						
DRY BLAST (GLASS BEAD) COATING DEPT. REMOVE BAKED ON SLUDGE AND RETURN TO RECONDITIONING *** DO NOT CAP TOOLS! ***							
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	0002/0000						
LASER ETCH PRODUCTION ORDER NUMBER							
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	0003/0000						
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	0002/0000						
NOTCH SHANK END TO IDENTIFY NUMBER OF REGRINDS							

- Same procedures & processes used to manufacture new tools are implemented in the reconditioning of used tools.
- Tools are tracked and monitored by tool number and bar coded production sheets.
- Job routings are assigned, and each operation receives its own bar coding.
- Data collection at each station during the reconditioning process.
- Customer-specific tool routings are generated when necessary.

Laser Etching / Process Control:

All tools are laser marked with a unique production order number

- each tool is laser etched
- unique job number is affixed
- allows accurate data collection
- helps customer identify the number of regrinds per tool



All processes are tracked and recorded through our SAP® computer software. Information can be shared between all Guhring reconditioning facilities.

- concise data collection
- archived job information
- repeatability & traceability

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Routing 1001 / 37001 Frn HB 0 Input/Order-Qty 10.000



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0020		1001	6350	0002	0000	45606350	LASER ETCH	7.330	0.089	Min	0.5	Tg			0.00	USD	LASER ETCH PRODU
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0130		1001	0034	0004	0000	45300034	OUTPUT	0.600	0.001	Min	1.0	Tg			0.00	USD	

Tool Types Reconditioned:

- Drills & step drills
- Reamers
- End mills
- Thread mills
- Tool modifications (chamfer, radius, neck relief, shank flats, etc.)

Care should be taken to protect your tools when shipping to Guhring for Reconditioning and Coating services. Convenient shipping totes available upon request.



Diamond Tool Re-Tipping

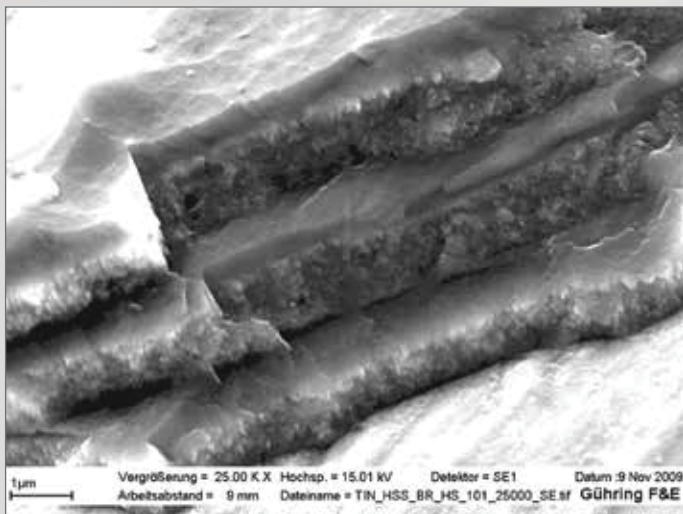
- PCD & CBN tipped cutting tools can be re-tipped and re-ground.
- State-of-the-art EDM and grinding machines.
- Costs a fraction of the price of a new tool.
- Refurbished tools meet original manufacturing specifications.
- It is recommended to ship tools in their original tubes and/or boxes when possible to prevent damage during the shipping process.



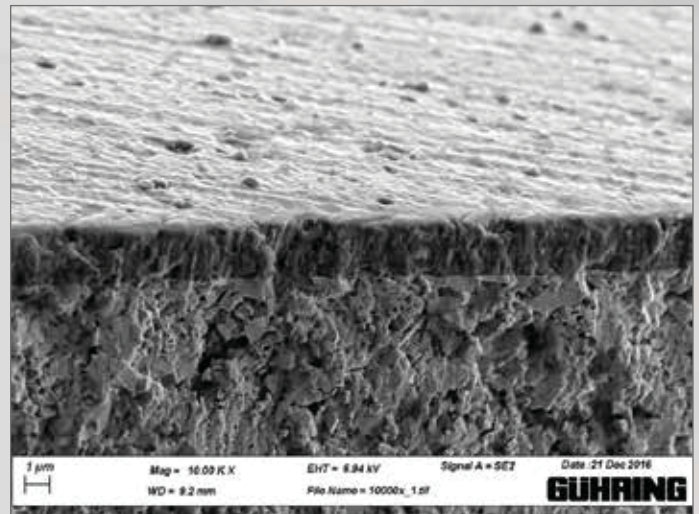
PVD Coatings



Fracture patterns are visualised via scanning electron microscopy (SEM) in order to make differences visible in the phase structure, morphology and structure dependent on process design and deposition conditions.



Fracture pattern, multi-layer coating, 25,000 x magnification



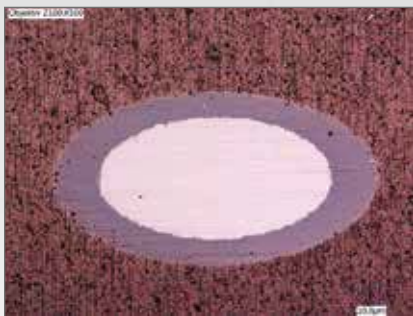
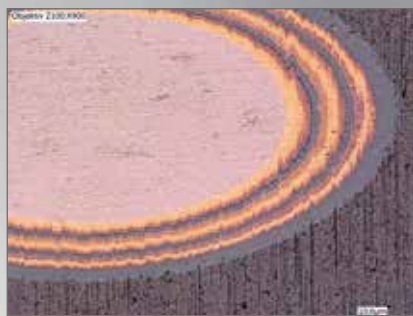
Fracture pattern, Arc-coating, 10,000 x magnification



A spherical calotte is ground into the surface to be inspected using a steel ball as well as an abrasive fluid. The ground form is sectioned through the coating up to the substrate lying underneath. The procedure serves to determine the wear resistance, the coating thickness, and to evaluate the coating structure, and is therefore an important element of a quality inspection.



Calotte grind in a multi-layer coating



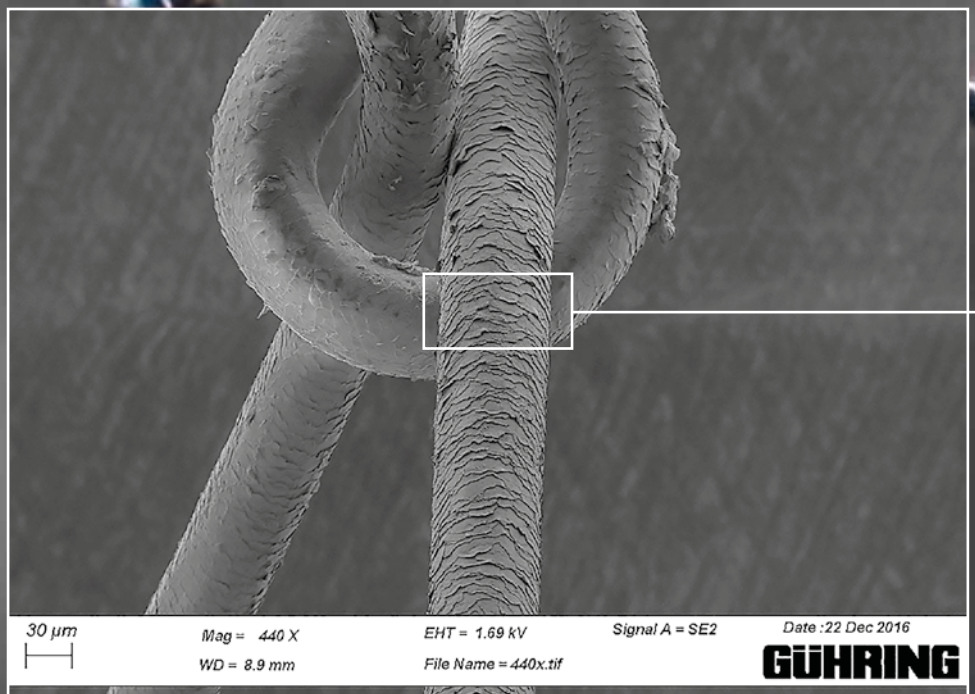
Calotte grind in a nano-structured coating



No matter how fine: Coatings can be adapted.

Features such as composition, micro-structure and hardness have a direct influence on wear resistance, cutting forces, surface quality and cooling lubricant consumption. Therefore the coating is adapted to the specific application.

Regardless of the application, even an extremely thin coating layer can provide a significant benefit.



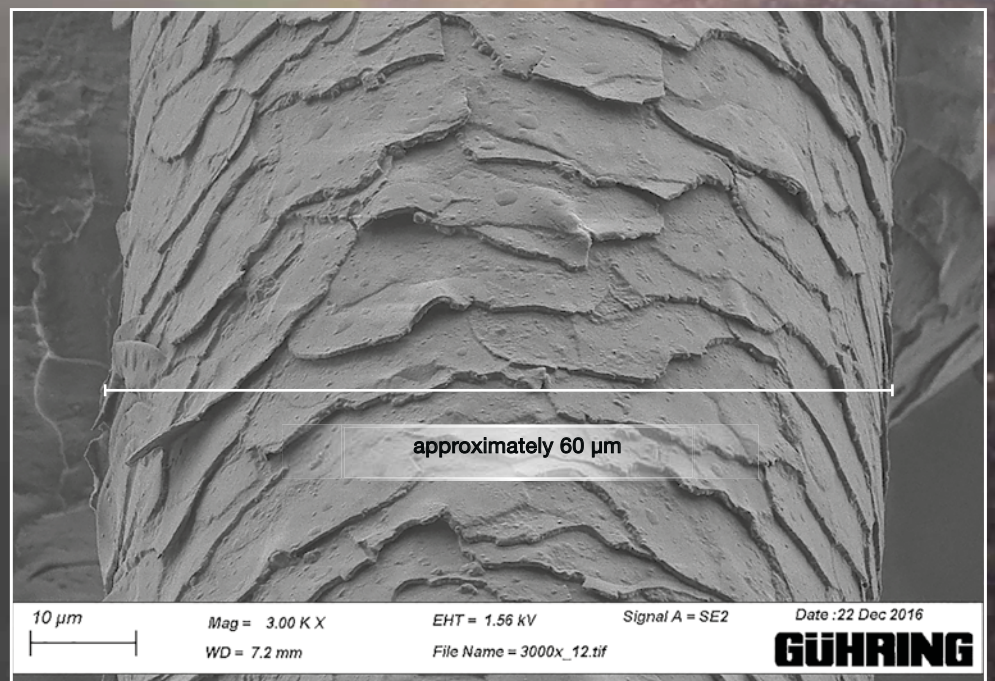
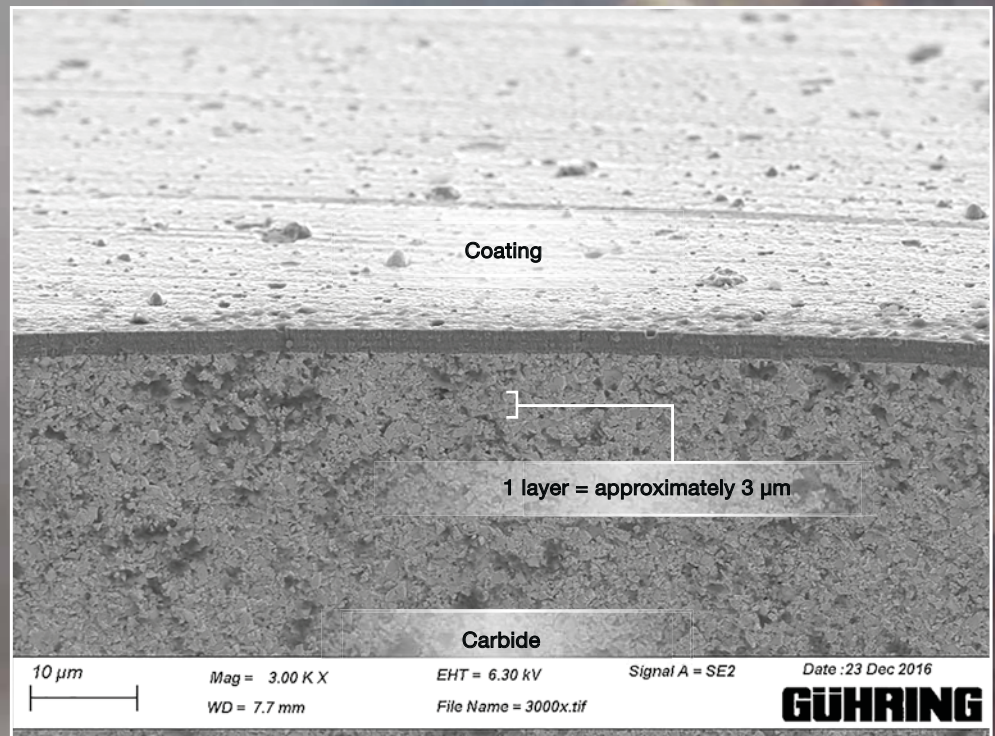
Human hair
440x magnification

Thin coating, enormous effect

1 hair | 20 coatings




















*Fracture pattern
Arc-PVD coating
on carbide substrate*

*3000 x magnification,
approximately 0.003 mm*






















Human hair
*3000 x magnification,
approximately 0.06 mm*

Application of Guhring coatings

	D R I L L I N G			M I L L I N G		
	C A R B I D E		H S S	C A R B I D E		H S S
	conv. coolant	MQL		conv. coolant	MQL	
C-steels, Free-cutting steels, Mn-steels 		Endurum nano-Ra nano-FIREX	Endurum nano-Ra nano-FIREX nano-FIREX	Endurum FIREX nano-Ra	FIREX Endurum nano-Ra	FIREX
Steel, low-alloyed 		nano-FIREX Endurum nano-Ra	nano-FIREX Endurum nano-Ra nano-FIREX TiN	FIREX nano-Si nano-A	FIREX nano-Si nano-A	FIREX TiCN
Steel, alloyed 		nano-Si nano-FIREX TiAlN	nano-Si nano-FIREX TiAlN nano-FIREX TiN	FIREX nano-A nano-Si	FIREX nano-A nano-Si	FIREX TiCN
Steel, hardened, <55 HRC 		nano-Si nano-FIREX TiAlN	nano-Si nano-FIREX TiAlN	nano-Si nano-A TiAlN	nano-Si nano-A TiAlN	
Steel, hardened, 55 – 65 HRC 		nano-Si nano-FIREX TiAlN	nano-Si nano-FIREX TiAlN bright	nano-Si nano-A	nano-Si nano-A	
Steel, stainless and acid-resistant 		nano-A Sirius Endurum	nano-A Sirius Endurum Sirius nano-FIREX TiN	nano-A Sirius FIREX	nano-A Sirius FIREX	FIREX
Cast iron 		nano-Si nano-FIREX nano-A	nano-Si nano-FIREX nano-A nano-FIREX	nano-Si FIREX nano-A	nano-Si FIREX nano-A	FIREX TiCN
Nickel-based alloys (i.e. Inconel) 		nano-A nano-Si nano-FIREX	nano-A nano-Si nano-FIREX nano-FIREX	nano-A nano-Si Zenit	nano-A nano-Si	FIREX
Titanium / titanium-alloys 		Zenit nano-A	Zenit nano-A nano-FIREX	Zenit nano-A	Zenit nano-A	FIREX
Cobalt-chromium-alloys 		nano-A nano-Si nano-FIREX	nano-A nano-Si nano-FIREX nano-FIREX	nano-A nano-Si FIREX	nano-A nano-Si FIREX	
Precious metals 		nano-A	nano-A	nano-A	nano-A	
Aluminium-wrought alloys 		bright	bright	bright Zenit	bright Zenit	bright
Aluminium-cast alloys (< 12% Silizium) 		bright Zenit	bright Zenit bright Zenit	Zenit	Zenit	bright
Aluminium-cast alloys (≥ 12% Silizium) 						
Copper / bronze / brass 			TiN			TiN
Ceramics 						
Plastics, not reinforced 						
Plastics, fiber-reinforced 		nano-Si	nano-Si	nano-Si	nano-Si	
Graphite 						

Note: The overview shows the general application recommendations for Guhring coatings.
Prioritization is from top to bottom.

	TAPPING			THREAD MILLING		FLUTELESS TAPPING			REAMING		
	CARBIDE		HSS	CARBIDE		CARBIDE		HSS	CARBIDE		HSS
	conv. coolant	MQL		conv. coolant	MQL	conv. coolant	MQL		conv. coolant	MQL	
			TiCN TiAlN TiN	TiCN	TiCN	TiCN TiN	TiCN TiN	TiCN TiN	Endurum nano-A	Endurum nano-A	TiN
			TiCN TiAlN TiN	TiCN	TiCN	TiCN TiN	TiCN TiN	TiCN TiN	nano-A Endurum	nano-A Endurum	TiN
			TiCN TiAlN TiN	TiCN	TiCN	TiCN TiN	TiCN TiN	TiCN TiN	nano-A Endurum		TiN
			TiCN	TiAlN	TiAlN				nano-A	nano-A	
	TiCN			TiAlN	TiAlN				nano-Si		
			Sirius ¹ TiAlN ² TiN	TiCN	TiCN	TiCN TiN	TiCN TiN	TiCN TiN	nano-A	nano-A	TiN
	TiAlN TiCN	TiAlN	TiAlN TiCN TiN	TiCN	TiCN	TiCN TiN	TiCN TiN	TiCN TiN	nano-Si	nano-Si	TiN
			TiCN TiAlN	TiCN	TiCN	TiCN	TiCN	TiCN	nano-A		TiN
			TiCN TiAlN	TiCN	TiCN	TiCN	TiCN	TiCN	Zenit nano-A		TiN
	bright		bright	TiCN	TiCN				nano-A		TiN
									nano-A	nano-A	TiN
	bright	bright	bright	bright	bright						
	TiCN	TiCN	TiCN	TiCN bright	TiCN bright	TiCN	TiCN	TiCN			
	TiCN	TiCN	TiCN	TiCN	TiCN						
	bright	bright	bright	bright					bright		
											
	bright		bright	bright	bright						
	TiCN	TiCN		TiCN	TiCN						
											

¹ for through hole, ² for blind hole

Detailed information on the individual coatings can be found from page 19.

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Smart lights



nano-Si

Hard machining specialist



Sirius

Stainless steel specialist



nano-Ra

Steel specialist



Zenit

Titanium specialist



Endurum

Steel drilling specialist



Hard Coating

Hard machining specialist

nano-Si



Main application

Drilling/milling/reaming of hardened steels and cast iron



Hardened
steel



Cast iron



- ▶ **structure**
multi-layer, nano-structure
- ▶ **color**
bronze
- ▶ **hardness**
5500 HV 0.05
- ▶ **application temperature**
< 1470°F
- ▶ **coating material**
TiAlSiN-based



With a hardness of 5500 HV Guhring's internally developed nano-Si coating is one of the hardest nitride coatings on the market. Guhring was able to achieve this extraordinary coating hardness thanks to the special nano composite structure with a TiAlN and TiAlSiN layer structure. In these nano composite structures extremely fine TiAlN-crystals [<10 nm] are embedded in a glass-type silicon nitride matrix. This results in an extremely high hardness, that is retained even at high temperatures. As there are no continuous grain boundary networks in this structure, the diffusion of chip material is heavily impeded by the coating. Therefore, the nano-Si coating provides an especially high wear-resistance and at the same time a high diffusion resistance.

Hard Coating

Titanium specialist
Zenit



Main application

Drilling / milling of titanium-alloys



Titanium/Ti-Alloys



Aluminum



► **structure**

multi-layer, nano-structure

► **color**

pale gold

► **hardness**

2500 HV 0.05

► **application temperature**

< 1290°F

► **coating material**

TiAlN-ZrN based



With the pale gold Zenit multi-layer system the aluminum content of established coatings was specifically reduced and partly replaced with Zircon. This causes a minimized chemical reaction when coming into contact with titanium alloys.

Thanks to the special structure of the coating system the reaction tendency between material and coating should be significantly reduced. Furthermore, this coating also brings significant benefits for the machining of cast aluminum (<10% Si) and wrought aluminum alloys. The focus here is primarily the prevention of built-up edges between coating and material.

Hard Coating

Stainless steel specialist

Sirius



Main application

Tapping in stainless steels (through holes only)

Drilling / milling in stainless steels



► **structure**

multi-layer, nano-structure

► **color**

pale gold

► **hardness**

3400 HV 0.05

► **application temperature**

< 1650°F

► **coating material**

TiAlSiN-based with ZrN cover coating



When drilling in stainless the cutting edges of cutting tools are subjected to extreme stresses. A coating that's especially mechanically wear resistant with a low friction coefficient prevents damage to the cutting edges.

Another benefit is a very low chemical interaction with stainless steels.

The tough, hard TiAlN functional coating guarantees a very high wear resistance.

The zirconium nitride cover coating significantly improves chip evacuation as the chemical reaction between coating and workpiece is reduced.

Therefore, SIRIUS offers the best features for the machining of stainless materials.

Hard Coating

Steel specialist

Endurum

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Main application

Drilling carbon, free-cutting and manganese steel
at low and medium cutting speeds



► **structure**

multi-layer with nano-layers,
nano composite

► **color**

copper

► **hardness**

4000 HV 0.05

► **application temperature**

< 1470°F

► **coating material**

TiAlSiN based



Thanks to a nano-layer structure as well as reduced aluminum content Endurum was specifically adapted for the drilling of low-alloyed steels such as carbon, free-cutting and manganese-alloyed steels.

By adding silicon it forces a nano composite structure causing higher hardness. In addition, thanks to the composition the reaction tendency is significantly reduced. Particularly for low and medium cutting speeds it is the first choice for drilling operations.

Hard Coating

Stainless steel & beyond

nano-A^a

Main application

Drilling/milling of stainless steels



Stainless Steel



Cast iron



Titanium/Nickel Alloys



► **structure**

multi-layer, nano-structure

► **color**

dark grey

► **hardness**

3800 HV 0.05

► **application temperature**

< 1650°F

► **coating material**

TiAlN / AlTiN layers



The TiAlN based nano-A coating has proven itself especially in the machining of stainless steels, but it is sometimes also applied for drilling and milling of cast iron, titanium, and nickel-based and cobalt chrome alloys. Its nano-layered structure delays the fracture growth.

Hard Coating

Steel specialist

nano-Ra

R

Main application

Drilling/milling of carbon, free-cutting as well as low-alloyed steels



- ▶ **structure**
multi-layer, graded
- ▶ **color**
pale gold
- ▶ **hardness**
3300 HV 0.05
- ▶ **application temperature**
< 1470°F
- ▶ **coating material**
TiN/TiAlN based
with ZrN cover coating



Guhring's nano-Ra coating relies on a proven TiN and TiAlN multi-layer structure combined with a ZrN based cover coating. The multi-layer structure guarantees good values of hardness and toughness reducing the mechanical wear. The cover coating minimizes the chemical reaction between the coating and the material to be machined, thereby reducing the development of edge build-up and the adhesion of the material to the cutting edge as much as possible.

Hard Coating

Well-rounded champion

FIREX®/ nano-FIREX®

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Main application

Drilling/milling of steel and cast iron



Steel



Cast iron



- ▶ **structure**
multi-layer, nano-structure
- ▶ **color**
red-violet
- ▶ **hardness**
3000 - 3300 HV 0.05
- ▶ **application temperature**
< 1470°F
- ▶ **coating material**
TiN / TiAlN nano layers



FIREX coating was introduced at the end of the 90's. Its further development, nano-FIREX was brought to market in 2008. Along with titanium and nitrogen, the coating also contains aluminum, and distinguishes itself with a higher hardness and improved thermo-chemical resistance. It is suitable for coating both HSS and carbide. Today it is the #1 choice for drilling and milling in steels.

Hard Coating

Low friction, high hardness & toughness

TiCN 

Main application

Tapping/forming/thread milling



Stainless



Steel



Cast iron



- ▶ **structure**
monolayer
- ▶ **color**
grey violet
- ▶ **hardness**
3000 HV 0.05
- ▶ **application temperature**
< 750°F
- ▶ **coating material**
Titanium Carbonitride



Due to the additional embedding of carbon, TiCN distinguishes itself with a higher toughness and hardness, and a reduced friction coefficient compared to TiN. With its high wear resistance it is very well suited for abrasive threading applications.

Hard Coating

Superhard coating for steels and cast iron

TiAlN

A

Main application

Drilling, milling and threading in alloy steels or cast iron



Steel, alloyed
or hardened



Cast iron



- ▶ **structure**
monolayer
- ▶ **color**
black violet
- ▶ **hardness**
3300 HV 0.05
- ▶ **application temperature**
< 1470°F
- ▶ **coating material**
Titanium Aluminum Nitride



The TiAlN coating with its titanium-aluminum structure displays similar characteristics to FIREX and nano-FIREX. Due to its single-layer structure it is especially suitable for coating micro-precision tools.

Hard Coating

Universally applicable, time-tested

TiN



Main application

For HSS and carbide tooling in drilling and tapping applications



Stainless



Steel



Copper/Bronze/Brass iron



► **structure**

monolayer

► **color**

gold

► **hardness**

2400 HV 0.05

► **application temperature**

< 1100°F

► **coating material**

Titanium Nitride



Guhring introduced the world's first TiN coated twist drill in 1981. Today, TiN is still utilized as a universal, cost efficient coating that can be applied for drilling, milling, and tapping on both HSS and carbide cutting tools.

Soft Coating

Lubricating top-layer

MolyGlide



Main application

Minimizes friction and adds lubricity, especially in dry machining



Stainless



Steel



Copper/Bronze/Brass iron

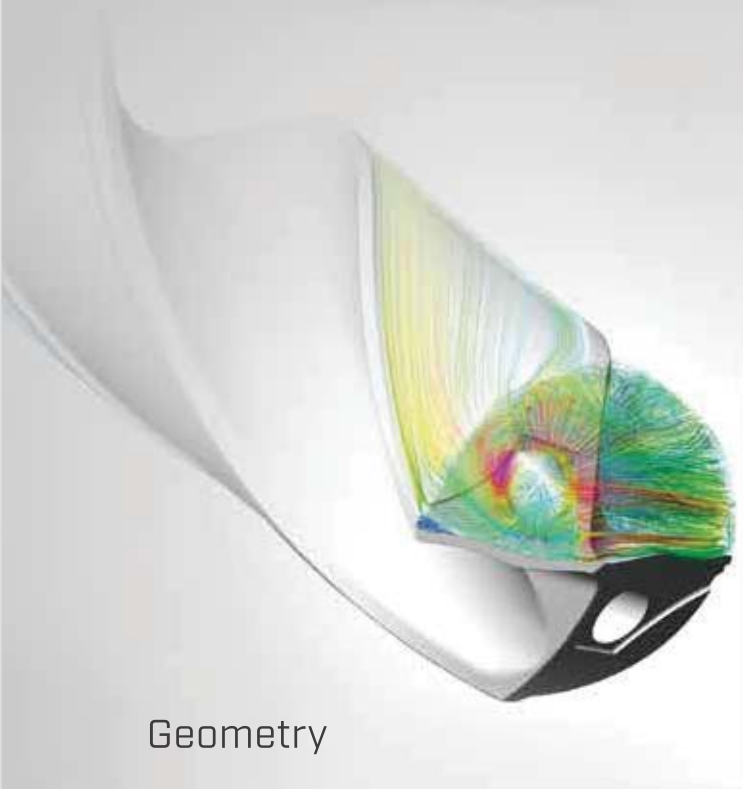


- ▶ **structure**
monolayer
- ▶ **color**
silver
- ▶ **friction coefficient (fetting)**
0.10
- ▶ **application temperature**
< 1470°F
- ▶ **coating material**
MoS₂ - based



MolyGlide is used in applications where increased lubricity or a very low coefficient of friction will be beneficial, for example, when machining aluminum or other “gummy” materials. This unique MoS₂ coating is sometimes referred to as Teflon®-like in that nothing sticks to the coating. MolyGlide can be applied on uncoated surfaces such as injection mold parts, or on top of any hard coatings to provide an extra layer of lubricity.

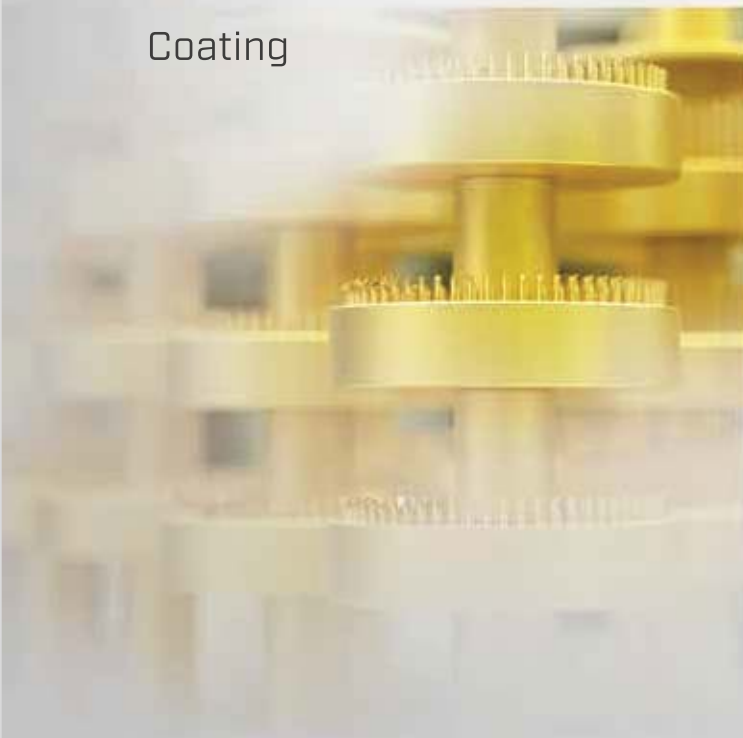
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Tool material



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