





## Excerpt from MACH3 Turn manual regarding Index slot width:

Suppose the maximum speed of your spindle is N (rpm).

The slot angle required *alpha* (degrees) is given by

 $alpha = 0.0012 \times N$ 

If the diameter of the disc is D (inches or mm) then the slot width W (in same units) will be

 $W = 0.0088 \times alpha \times D$ 

So for example if maximum spindle speed is 3000 RPM and disc diameter is 110 mm then: Alpha =  $0.0012 \times 3000 = 3.6_{\circ}$ 

Slot width =  $0.0088 \times 3.6 \times 110 = 3.48 \text{ mm}$ 

Big slot needs to be 50% wider =  $3.48 \times 1.5 = 5.22 \text{ mm}$ 

Slot with needed for Compact 5 - Modification to timing disk

Max RPM (N) = 2,800

Disk diameter (D) 126mm

Alpha =  $0.0012 \times N (2800) = 3.36 \text{ degrees}$ 

Slot Width (W) =  $0.0088 \times 3.36 \times 110 = 3.25$ mm

Slot needs to be 50% wider or 3.25mm x 1.5 = 4.875mm

Removing the area shown will give a slot width of about 6mm

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	MFG		SIZE	FSCM NO.	DWG NO.  DWG NO.			REV	
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