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Subject Alloy composition of UNITED # PD-2.

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The composition of the alloy # PD-2 is as below :-

UNITED SILVER COPPER ZINC PALLADIUM # PD-2 53% 10% 7% 30%

If you have any question, Please feel free to contact us.

Yours faithfully,



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# **Technical sheet - Alloy PD2**

Color - Vanilla White Purpose - Casting Karat - 14K - 18K

## **Physical & Mechanical Properties**

Composition		
Cu	9.80%	
Ag	53.10%	
Zn	8.00%	
Pd	29.10%	

Color	Coord	dinate	s
Karat	L*	a*	b*
14K PD2	82.69	1.89	12.77
18K PD2	83.28	2.43	14.35

Density (g/cc)		
14K PD2	14.11	
18K PD2	15.84	

As cast Hardness (HV)	
14K PD2 - 20 mins quench	244
18K PD2 - 20 mins quench	226

### **Melting & Casting Instructions**

Temperatures			
	Karat	°C	°F
Pre alloying	14K - 18K	1140° - 1160° C	2084° - 2120° F
Casting	14K	1120° C - 1140° C	2048° - 2084° F
	18K	1135° C - 1155° C	2075° - 2111° F
Flask	14K - 18K	540° - 675° C	1004° - 1247° F

	Quench Time	15-20 Minutes	Re	melting	50% Fresh Mix
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#### **General Instructions**

- Very little <u>boric acid</u> flux is recommended. Do not use carbon flux such as soda ash, saltpeter etc. No flux needed in bottom pour automatic casting unit.
- <u>Flouric based</u> investment removers are the best for silicon oxide invisible coating. Use of aggressive acid causes corrosion and surface damage. <u>United's brite cast</u> investment removers works effectively.
- To calculate the weight of the metal needed (in grams), <u>multiply density (gm/cc) with weight of wax (grams)</u>. Add 10% of the total weight for button.
- <u>Platinum investment</u> and <u>platinum casting machine</u> is recommded. Follow manufacturer's instruction for burnout cycle.

Note: There are proprietary metals in the formulation which are not included in the composition section.

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