

**JP-I**  
**WHITE CERAMIC ALLOY**  
**HIGH NOBLE-SILVER FREE**

<b><u>PROPERTIES</u></b>		<b><u>CHEMISTRY</u></b>	
Melting Range .....	2075°F to 2220°F	Gold .....	51.5%
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion		Palladium .....	38.5%
from 25°C to 500°C: .....	13.8x10 <sup>-6</sup> C <sup>-1</sup>	Indium .....	8.5%
from 25°C to 600°C: .....	14.1x10 <sup>-6</sup> C <sup>-1</sup>	Gallium .....	1.5%
Density .....	14 g/cm <sup>3</sup>		
Grain Size .....	38 microns	Contains less than 1%	
Hardness .....	240 HV	Ruthenium	
Tensile Elongation .....	25%		
Tensile Yield Strength (PSI) .....	73,000		
Ultimate Tensile Strength (PSI) .....	110,000	Classification - High Noble	

**PROCESSING TECHNIQUE**

**WAXING**

Wax to a minimum thickness of 0.3mm for single units and 0.5mm for bridge work. Avoid sharp angles and wax to provide for an even thickness of porcelain.

**SPRUNG**

The indirect method is recommended for multi-units. Use an 8 gauge runner bar with 10 gauge connectors. If preferred, the direct method may be used on both single units and small bridges. Use a 10 gauge sprue 1/4" (6mm) to 3/8" (9mm) long. Sprues longer than 3/8" (9mm) should have a reservoir 1/16" (1.5mm) from pattern. Patterns should be a maximum of 1/4" (6mm) from top of investment.

**INVESTMENT**

A phosphate-bonded, high heat investment with or without carbon content is recommended.

**BURNOUT**

Place in a cold furnace and raise temperature to 1500°F (815°C). Hold at 1500°F (815°C) for one and one-half hours. Increase hold time for larger or multiple rings.

**MELTING AND CASTING**

Wind casting arm one turn more than used for casting gold. Use a multi-orifice torch with 10 lbs. gas and 20 lbs. oxygen. As JP-I melts, a cloudy surface will appear. Continue heating until the cloudy surface clears, before releasing the casting arm. DO NOT OVERHEAT. The casting temperature is 2300°F (1260°C). DO NOT USE CASTING FLUX.

**DEVESTING AND FINISHING**

Blast with aluminum oxide to remove investment particles. Shape and finish down metal with aluminum oxide stones. Blast outer surface with non-recycled aluminum oxide (50 micron-white preferred). Clean in ultrasonic for 10 minutes in distilled water.

**CONDITIONING**

Oxidize from 1200° to 1850°F (650° to 1010°C) in air. Hold for 5 minutes at 1850°F in air. Bench cool. Proceed with opaque following porcelain manufacturer's instructions.

**SOLDERS AND FLUX**

Pre-Solder: Spirit Solder  
Post-Solder: 1400 Solder  
Flux: Brown Fluoride Flux for both pre and post soldering