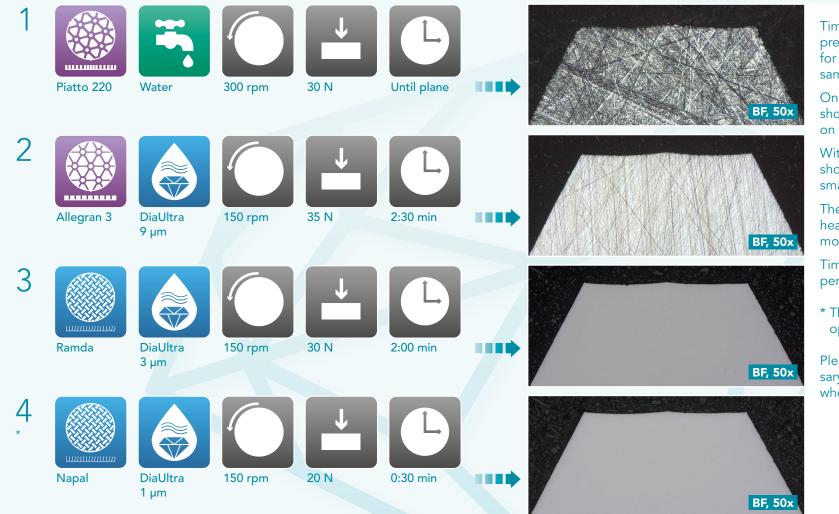
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Times are stated for a 300 mm preparation system and forces for an individual 40 mm dia. sample.

On a 250 mm system the times should be increased by 30%, on a 200 mm system by 100%.

With larger samples the force should be increased, with smaller samples decreased.

The rotational speed of the head (sample holder or sample mover plate) used is 150 rpm.

Time and force may vary depending on the equipment.

\* The last preparation step is optional.

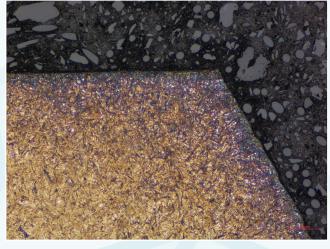
Please make sure that all necessary safety precautions are taken when handling chemicals.



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## FINAL RESULT





Etched with Nital 3%, BF, 50x

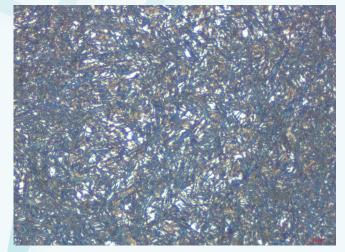
Etched with Nital 3%, BF, 200x



Etched with Nital 3%, BF, 50x



Etched with Nital 3%, BF, 100x



Etched with Nital 3%, BF, 500x

