

## **INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE USE OF ACIDS**

Example with 18k Rub the jewelry to leave marks. Add a drop of 18k acid to the line and wait a few minutes. If the gold line disappears after a short time (less than 30 seconds), it means it is not 18K gold. It can be low-karat gold or another metal.	(?) Unknown metal to try. (18) 18 carat gold	The article analyzed is not gold or has an extremely low price, so it is not considered gold for joy.
Using the object to be tested, have a mark approximately 3 to 4 cm wide on the stone to be tested. To test platinum, the process is identical.	Place the different reagents (9 – 14 – 18 – 19.2 – 24k).	After 30 seconds, see which acid is more resistant. The one that offers the greatest resistance corresponds to your object (14k is detected).
For silver ▲ The reaction is different than for gold. ▲ The metal tested should react by turning red when in contact with the silver acid. It is not possible to determine the fineness; you will have to refer to the punch.	(?) Unknown metal to try. (AG) Silver	(?) The metal tested is not silver. AG : he blushes, it's silver
${f  m A}$ Dangerous products for professional use. Wear gloves, a mask, and		

perform the exam in a ventilated area.  $\triangle$ 

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