

Insert Grades

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Summary of Insert Grades

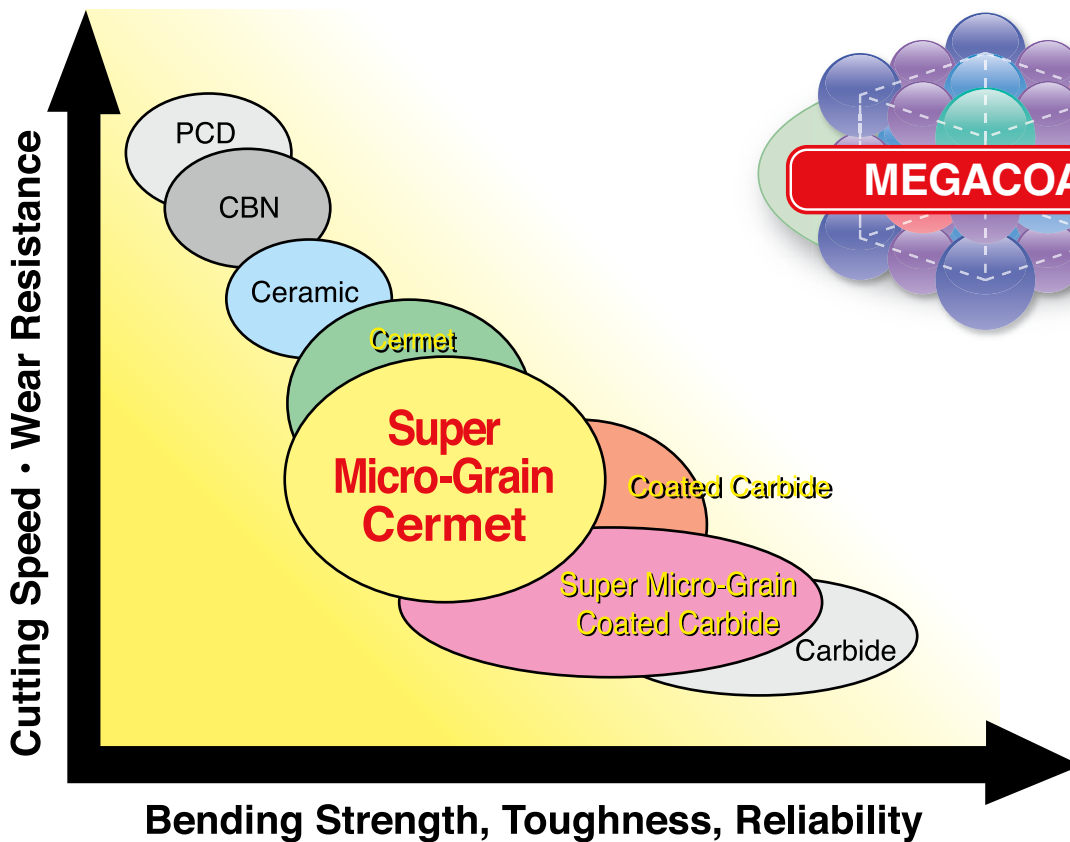
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PCD A8

Workpiece Material		Non-ferrous Material (Aluminum / Non-ferrous Metal)				Heat Resistant Material (Titanium Alloy / Ni Alloy)			
Cutting Range		Finishing ←		→ Roughing		Finishing ←		→ Roughing	
ISO Classification		N01	N10	N20	N30	S01	S10	S20	S30
Turning Milling	PCD	KPD001				KPD001			
		KPD010				KPD010			
		KPD230				KPD230			

CBN A9

Workpiece Material		Hardened Material (Heat treated Steel / Chilled Cast Iron)				Sintered metal				Cast Iron (Gray Cast Iron / Nodular Cast Iron)			
Cutting Range		Finishing ←		→ Roughing		Finishing ←		→ Roughing		Finishing ←		→ Roughing	
ISO Classification		H01	H10	H20	H30	01	10	20	30	K01	K10	K20	K30
Turning	CBN	KBN510											
		KBN525											
		KBN05M											
		KBN10M				KBN65M				KBN60M			
		KBN25M				KBN70M				KBN900			
		KBN30M											
		KBN35M											
		KBN900											

Ceramic A10

Workpiece Material		Hardened Material (Heat treated Steel / Chilled Cast Iron)				Hard-to-machine Material (High temperature alloy / Inconel)				Cast Iron (Gray Cast Iron / Nodular Cast Iron)			
Cutting Range		Finishing ←		→ Roughing		Finishing ←		→ Roughing		Finishing ←		→ Roughing	
ISO Classification		H01	H10	H20	H30	S01	S10	S20	S30	K01	K10	K20	K30
Turning	Ceramic	A65								KA30			
		A66N				CF1				A65			
		PT600M								A66N			
										PT600M			
												KS6000	

Cell Fiber A11

Workpiece Material		Hardened Material (Heat treated Steel / Chilled Cast Iron)				Hard-to-machine Material (High temperature alloy / Inconel)			
Cutting Range		Finishing ←		→ Roughing		Finishing ←		→ Roughing	
ISO Classification		H01	H10	H20	H30	S01	S10	S20	S30
Turning	Cell Fiber	KBN35M				CF1			

Cermet A12

Workpiece Material		General Steel (Carbon Steel / Alloy Steel)				Stainless Steel (Stainless Steel / Steel Castings)				Cast Iron (Gray Cast Iron / Nodular Cast)					
Cutting Range		Finishing ←		→ Roughing		Finishing ←		→ Roughing		Finishing ←		→ Roughing			
ISO Classification		P01	P10	P20	P30	P40	M01	M10	M20	M30	M40	K01	K10	K20	K30
Turning Milling	TN Series	TN6010				TN6010				TN60					
		TN60				TN60				TN90					
	TN90				TN90				TN100M						
	TN100M				TN100M				TC40						
TC Series	TC40				TC60				TC40						
	TC60				TC60										
Super micro-grain	TN6020				TN6020										

PVD Cermet A12

Workpiece Material		General Steel (Carbon Steel / Alloy Steel)				Stainless Steel (Stainless Steel / Steel Castings)				Cast Iron (Gray Cast Iron / Nodular Cast)					
Cutting Range		Finishing ←		→ Roughing		Finishing ←		→ Roughing		Finishing ←		→ Roughing			
ISO Classification		P01	P10	P20	P30	P40	M01	M10	M20	M30	M40	K01	K10	K20	K30
Turning	PV Series	PV7010				PV7010				PV7005					
		PV7020				PV7020									
		PV60				PV60									
		PV90				PV90									

CVD Coated Carbide Ⓢ A13

Workpiece Material		General Steel (Carbon Steel / Alloy Steel)					Stainless Steel (Stainless Steel / Steel Castings)					Cast Iron (Gray Cast Iron / Nodular Cast)			
Cutting Range		Finishing ↔ Roughing					Finishing ↔ Roughing					Finishing ↔ Roughing			
ISO Classification		P01	P10	P20	P30	P40	M01	M10	M20	M30	M40	K01	K10	K20	K30
Turning	CA Series	CA5505, CA5515, CA5525, CA5535					CA6515, CA6525					CA4010, CA4115, CA4120, CA4505, CA4515			
	CR Series	CR9025					CR9025								

Workpiece Material		Non-ferrous Material (Aluminum / Non-ferrous Metal)				Heat Resistant Material (Titanium Alloy / Ni Alloy)				Hardened Material (Heat treated Steel / Chilled Cast Iron)			
Cutting Range		Finishing ↔ Roughing				Finishing ↔ Roughing				Finishing ↔ Roughing			
ISO Classification		N01	N10	N20	N30	S01	S10	S20	S30	H01	H10	H20	H30
Turning	CA Series					CA6515, CA6525							

PVD Coated Carbide Ⓢ A14, A15

Workpiece Material		General Steel (Carbon Steel / Alloy Steel)					Stainless Steel (Stainless Steel / Steel Castings)					Cast Iron (Gray Cast Iron / Nodular Cast)			
Cutting Range		Finishing ↔ Roughing					Finishing ↔ Roughing					Finishing ↔ Roughing			
ISO Classification		P01	P10	P20	P30	P40	M01	M10	M20	M30	M40	K01	K10	K20	K30
Turning Milling Drilling	PR Series	PR630, PR660, PR730, PR830, PR1005, PR1025, PR1115, PR1230					PR630, PR660, PR730, PR830, PR1025, PR1125, PR1225					PR905, PR1210			

Workpiece Material		Non-ferrous Material (Aluminum / Non-ferrous Metal)				Heat Resistant Material (Titanium Alloy / Ni Alloy)				Hardened Material (Heat treated Steel / Chilled Cast Iron)			
Cutting Range		Finishing ↔ Roughing				Finishing ↔ Roughing				Finishing ↔ Roughing			
ISO Classification		N01	N10	N20	N30	S01	S10	S20	S30	H01	H10	H20	H30
Turning Milling Drilling	PR Series					PR660, PR915, PR1125				PR1230			

PVD Coated Carbide for High Precision Machining Ⓢ A14, A15

Workpiece Material		General Steel (Carbon Steel / Alloy Steel)					Stainless Steel (Stainless Steel / Steel Castings)					Cast Iron (Gray Cast Iron / Nodular Cast)			
Cutting Range		Finishing ↔ Roughing					Finishing ↔ Roughing					Finishing ↔ Roughing			
ISO Classification		P01	P10	P20	P30	P40	M01	M10	M20	M30	M40	K01	K10	K20	K30
Turning Milling Drilling	PR Series	PR930, PR1005, PR1025, PR1115, PR1225					PR930, PR1025, PR1125, PR1115, PR1225								

Carbide Ⓢ A15

Workpiece Material		General Steel (Carbon Steel / Alloy Steel)					Stainless Steel (Stainless Steel / Steel Castings)					Cast Iron (Gray Cast Iron / Nodular Cast)			
Cutting Range		Finishing ↔ Roughing					Finishing ↔ Roughing					Finishing ↔ Roughing			
ISO Classification		P01	P10	P20	P30	P40	M01	M10	M20	M30	M40	K01	K10	K20	K30
Turning Milling Drilling	Carbide											KW10, GW15			

Workpiece Material		Non-ferrous Material (Aluminum / Non-ferrous Metal)				Heat Resistant Material (Titanium Alloy / Ni Alloy)				Hardened Material (Heat treated Steel / Chilled Cast Iron)			
Cutting Range		Finishing ↔ Roughing				Finishing ↔ Roughing				Finishing ↔ Roughing			
ISO Classification		N01	N10	N20	N30	S01	S10	S20	S30	H01	H10	H20	H30
Turning Milling Drilling	Carbide	KW10, GW15				KW10							

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Turning

Workpiece Material		General Steel (Carbon Steel / Alloy Steel)					Stainless Steel (Stainless Steel / Steel Castings)					Cast Iron (Gray Cast Iron / Nodular Cast)			
Cutting Range		Finishing			Roughing		Finishing			Roughing		Finishing		Roughing	
ISO Classification		P01	P10	P20	P30	P40	M01	M10	M20	M30	M40	K01	K10	K20	K30
Cermets	TN Series	TN6010					TN6010					TN60			
		TN60					TN60					TN90			
		TN90					TN90					TC40N			
	TC Series	TC40N					TC60M					TC60M			
Super micro-grain	TN6020					TN6020					PV7005				
PV Series		PV7010					PV7010								
		PV7020					PV7020								
		PV60					PV60								
	PV90					PV90									
Coated Carbide	CA Series	CA5505					CA6515					CA4010			
		CA5515					CA6515					CA4115			
		CA5525					CA6525					CA4120			
		CA5535					CA6525					CA4505			
		CA5535					CA6525					CA4515			
CR Series		CR7015					CR7015					CR7015			
		CR7025					CR9025								
		CR9025					CR9025								
PR Series		PR630					PR630								
		PR660					PR660								
		PR915					PR915								
		PR930					PR930								
		PR1005					PR1025								
	PR1025					PR1125									
	PR1115					PR1225									
Ceramic												A65			
												KT66			
												A66N			
												PT600M			
Carbide												KS6000			
												KW10			
CBN												GW15			
												KBN60M			
											KBN900				

Workpiece Material		Non-ferrous Material (Aluminum / Non-ferrous Metal)				Heat Resistant Material (Titanium Alloy / Ni Alloy)				Hardened Material (Heat treated Steel / Chilled Cast Iron)				Sintered metal			
Cutting Range		Finishing		Roughing		Finishing		Roughing		Finishing		Roughing		Finishing		Roughing	
ISO Classification		N01	N10	N20	N30	S01	S10	S20	S30	H01	H10	H20	H30	01	10	20	30
Coated Carbide	CA Series					CA6515											
						CA6525											
	CR Series					CR7015											
	PR Series					PR1125								PR930			
Cermets														TN6010			
														TN60			
Ceramic						CF1					KT66						
											A66N						
Carbide		KW10				KW10					PT600M						
		GW15															
CBN										KBN510							
										KBN525							
										KBN05M							
										KBN10M					KBN65M		
										KBN25M					KBN70M		
										KBN30M							
PCD		KPD001				KPD001											
		KPD010				KPD010											

Milling

Workpiece Material		General Steel (Carbon Steel / Alloy Steel)					Stainless Steel (Stainless Steel / Steel Castings)					Cast Iron (Gray Cast Iron / Nodular Cast)			
Cutting Range		Finishing ← → Roughing					Finishing ← → Roughing					Finishing ← → Roughing			
ISO Classification		P01	P10	P20	P30	P40	M01	M10	M20	M30	M40	K01	K10	K20	K30
Cermet	TN Series	TN60					TN60								
	TC Series	TN100M					TN100M								
Coated Carbide				PR630					PR630						
				PR660					PR660						
			PR730						PR730						
			PR830						PR830						
			PR1225						PR1025					PR905	
			CA2325						PR1225					PR1210	
Carbide														KW10	
														GW25	

Workpiece Material		Non-ferrous Material (Aluminum / Non-ferrous Metal)				Heat Resistant Material (Titanium Alloy / Ni Alloy)				Hardened Material (Heat treated Steel / Chilled Cast Iron)			
Cutting Range		Finishing ← → Roughing				Finishing ← → Roughing				Finishing ← → Roughing			
ISO Classification		N01	N10	N20	N30	S01	S10	S20	S30	H01	H10	H20	H30
Coated Carbide								PR660					
	Carbide	KW10						KW10					
		CW12						GW25					
GW25													
CBN									KBN525				
PCD		KPD001				KPD001							
		KPD010				KPD010							
		KPD230				KPD230							

Drilling

Workpiece Material		General Steel (Carbon Steel / Alloy Steel)					Stainless Steel (Stainless Steel / Steel Castings)					Cast Iron (Gray Cast Iron / Nodular Cast)			
Cutting Range		Finishing ← → Roughing					Finishing ← → Roughing					Finishing ← → Roughing			
ISO Classification		P01	P10	P20	P30	P40	M01	M10	M20	M30	M40	K01	K10	K20	K30
Coated Carbide				CA2325							PR660				
				PR660							PR730			PR905	
				PR730							PR830			PR1210	
				PR830							PR915				
			PR915								PR930				
			PR930								PR1025				
			PR1025								PR1225				
			PR1225												
Carbide														KW10	
														GW15	










Workpiece Material		Non-ferrous Material (Aluminum / Non-ferrous Metal)				Heat Resistant Material (Titanium Alloy / Ni Alloy)				Hardened Material (Heat treated Steel / Chilled Cast Iron)			
Cutting Range		Finishing ← → Roughing				Finishing ← → Roughing				Finishing ← → Roughing			
ISO Classification		N01	N10	N20	N30	S01	S10	S20	S30	H01	H10	H20	H30
Coated Carbide	PR Series							PR660				PR1230	
Carbide		KW10						PR905					
		SW11						KW10					
		GW15						GW15					

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Insert Material Selection Table

Operation	Cutting Range	P	M	K		N	S		H	Sintered Metal	
		Steel	Stainless Steel	Gray Cast Iron	Nodular Cast Iron	Non-ferrous Metal	Heat Resist Steel	Titanium Alloy	Hardened Material		
	Finishing ↑ ↓	TN6010							KT66 A66N A65 PT600M		
		TN60	TN60	KA30	TN60						
		TN6020	PV7020	KS6000	PV7005			CF1			TN6010
		PV7010	CA6515	PV7005	CA5505	KPD001	KW10	KPD001	KBN510	TN60	
		PV7020	CA5525	CA5505	CA4115	KPD010	CA6515	KPD010	KBN05M	PR930	
		CA5505	CA5535	CA4010	CA4120	KW10	CA6525	KW10	KBN10M	KBN65M	
		CA5515	CA6525	CA4505	CA4505		PR1125		KBN25M	KBN70M	
		CA5525	PR1125	CA4515	CA4515		PR660		KBN30M KBN35M KBN900		
CA5535	PR660										
	High speed ↑ ↓ Low speed	TN6010									
		TN60									
		TN6020								KBN510	
		PV7010	PV7020	CA4010		KPD001	CA6515	KPD001	KBN510	TN6010	
		PV7020	PR930	CA4115	CA4115	KPD010	PR1125	KPD010	KBN05M	TN60	
		PR1005	PR1025	CA4120	CA4120	KW10	PR660	KW10	KBN10M	PR930	
		PR930	PR1225	CA4505	KW10				KBN25M	KBN65M	
		PR1025		CA4515					KBN30M	KBN70M	
PR1225		KW10									
	Large ↑ ↓ Small	TN6010									
		TN60	TN60								
		TN6020	PV7020	PV7005						PT600M	
		PV7010	CA6515	CA4010	PV7005					KBN510	TN6010
		PV7020	CA5525	CA4115	CA4115					KBN525	TN60
		CA5515	CA6525	CA4120	CA4120	KPD001	CA6515	KPD001	KBN05M	PR930	
		CA5525	PR930	CA4505	CA4505	KPD010	CA6525	KPD010	KBN10M	KBN65M	
		CA5535	PR1125	CA4515	CA4515	KW10	PR1125	KW10	KBN25M	KBN70M	
PR930	PR1025	KW10	KW10		PR660		KBN30M				
PR1025		KBN60M									
	Large ↑ ↓ Small	CR9025	CR9025								
		PR660	PR660	KW10	KW10	KW10	KW10	KW10			
		PR930	PR930					PR660			
		PR915	PR915								
	(Depends on the workpiece material)	PR1025	PR1025	KW10	KW10	KW10	KW10	KW10			
							PR1025				
	Surface finishing ↑ ↓ Stable cutting	TC40	TC40								
		TN6020	TN6020								
		TN90	TN90							KBN510	
		TC60	TC60	PR905	PR905	KPD001	PR915	KPD001	KBN525	TC40N	
		PR630	PR630	KW10	KW10	KW10	KW10	KW10	PT600M	PR930	
		PR915	PR915	GW15	GW15						
		PR930	PR930								
		PR1115	PR1115								
	Surface finishing ↑ ↓ Stable cutting	TC60	TC60								
		PR630	PR630								
		PR930	PR930	KW10	KW10	KW10	KW10	KW10		PR930	
		PR1115	PR1115	GW15	GW15						
	Good Wear Resistance ↑ ↓ Flexural resistance	PR930									
		PR730	PR730	PR510	PR510						
		PR830	PR830	PR905	PR905			PR660			
		PR915	PR915	PR1210	PR1210	KW10	PR1230	KW10			
		PR1025	PR1025	KW10	KW10		KW10				
		PR1225	PR1225								
		PR1230	PR660								
		PR660									
	Finishing ↑ ↓ Roughing	TN100M									
		PR630				KPD230		KPD230			
		PR730	PR630			KPD001	PR630	KPD001			
		PR830	PR730	PR905	PR905	KPD010	PR730	KPD010			
		PR1025	PR830	PR1210	PR1210	CW12	PR830	KW10			
		PR660	PR1025	KW10	KW10	KW10	PR1025	PR905			
		PR1225	PR660			GW25	PR660				
		PR1230	PR1225								

• Colored material is first recommendation.

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Material Feature List

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Insert Grades

Cermet

Symbol	Color	Main Component	Ratio	Base Material Hardness (HV)	Base Material Hardness (GPa)	Fracture Toughness (MPam ^{1/2})	Transverse Strength (MPa)
TN6010	Gray	TiCN	6.5	1,700	16.7	7.0	2,000
TN6020	Gray	TiCN	6.4	1,500	14.7	10.0	2,500
TN60	Gray	TiCN+NbC	6.6	1,600	15.7	9.0	1,760
TN90	Gray	TiCN+NbC	6.4	1,450	14.2	10.0	1,960
TN100M	Gray	TiCN+NbC	6.7	1,520	14.9	10.5	1,860
TC40	Gray	TiC+TiN	6.0	1,650	16.2	9.0	1,570
TC60	Gray	NbC	8.1	1,500	14.7	10.5	1,670

PVD Coated Cermet

Symbol	Color	Coating Composition	Coating Layer	Gravity	Base Material Hardness (HV)	Base Material Hardness (GPa)	Fracture Toughness (MPam ^{1/2})	Transverse Strength (MPa)
PV7005	Blackish red	MEGACOAT	Thin	6.0	1,650	16.2	8.5	1,470
PV7010	Blackish red	MEGACOAT	Thin	6.5	1,700	16.7	7.0	2,000
PV7020	Gold	TiAlN+TiN	Thin	6.4	1,500	14.7	10.0	2,500
PV60	Gold	TiN	Thin	6.6	1,600	15.7	9.0	1,760
PV90	Gold	TiN	Thin	6.4	1,450	14.2	10.0	1,960

CVD Coated Carbide

Symbol	Color	Coating Composition	Coating Layer	Gravity	Base Material Hardness (HV)	Base Material Hardness (GPa)	Fracture Toughness (MPam ^{1/2})	Transverse Strength (MPa)
CA2325	Gold	TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	Thin	13.7	1,450	14.2	12.0	2,250
CA4010	Gold	Columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	Thick	14.8	1,670	16.4	10.0	3,000
CA4115	Gold	Micro columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	Thick	14.7	1,550	15.2	12.0	2,750
CA4120	Gold	Micro columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	Thick	14.7	1,550	15.2	12.0	2,750
CA4505	Black	Micro columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃	Thick	14.9	1,780	17.4	9.5	2,350
CA4515	Black	Micro columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃	Thick	14.9	1,570	15.4	12.0	2,780
CA5505	Gold	Micro columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	Thick	14.7	1,730	17.0	10.0	2,540
CA5515	Gold	Micro columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	Thick	14.7	1,550	15.2	12.0	2,750
CA5525	Gold	Micro columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	Thick	14.5	1,400	13.7	12.0	2,780
CA5535	Gold	Micro columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	Thick	14.1	1,340	13.1	16.5	2,970
CA6515	Gold	Micro columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	Thin	14.7	1,530	15.0	12.0	2,780
CA6525	Gold	Micro columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	Thin	14.7	1,580	13.5	16.0	3,100
CR9025	Gold	Columnar TiCN+TiN	Thick	14.5	1,400	13.7	12.0	2,780

PVD Coated Carbide

Symbol	Color	Coating Composition	Coating Layer	Gravity	Base Material Hardness (HV)	Base Material Hardness (GPa)	Fracture Toughness (MPam ^{1/2})	Transverse Strength (MPa)
PR630	Gold	TiN	Thin	12.5	1,500	14.7	11.0	2,160
PR660	Gold	TiN	Thin	13.7	1,450	14.2	12.0	2,250
PR730	Gold	TiAlN+TiN	Thin	13.7	1,450	14.2	12.0	2,250
PR830	Gold	TiAlN+TiN	Thin	13.7	1,450	14.2	12.0	2,250
PR905	Bluish purple	TiAlN	Thin	14.8	1,670	16.4	10.0	3,000
PR915	Bluish purple	TiAlN	Thin	14.1	1,700	16.7	11.0	4,140
PR930	Reddish gray	TiCN	Thin	14.1	1,700	16.7	11.0	4,140
PR1005	Reddish gray	TiCN	Thin	14.9	1,800	17.6	10.0	3,300
PR1025	Reddish gray	TiCN	Thin	14.5	1,600	15.8	13.0	3,400
PR1115	Purple red	TiAlN	Thin	14.7	1,700	17.2	11.0	3,000
PR1125	Purple red	TiAlN	Thin	14.5	1,600	15.8	13.0	3,400
PR1210	Blackish red	MEGACOAT	Thin	14.8	1,670	16.4	10.0	3,000
PR1225	Blackish red	MEGACOAT	Thin	14.5	1,600	15.8	13.0	3,400
PR1230	Blackish red	MEGACOAT	Thin	13.7	1,450	14.2	12.0	2,250

Carbide

Symbol	Color	Main Component	Gravity	Base Material Hardness (HV)	Base Material Hardness (GPa)	Fracture Toughness (MPam ^{1/2})	Transverse Strength (MPa)
KW10	Gray	WC+Co	15.0	1,650	16.2	10.0	1,470
GW15	Gray	WC+Co	14.7	1,700	17.2	11.0	3,000
GW25	Gray	WC+Co	14.5	1,600	15.8	13.0	3,400

PCD



PCD

Kyocera diamond material is a synthetic diamond sintered under high temperatures and pressures. PCD (Polycrystalline diamond) is ideal for non-ferrous metals and non-metals.

Advantages

- Long tool life due to extreme hardness
- Stable machining due to high thermal conductivity
- Capable of high cutting speeds which increases machining productivity
- Reduced edge build up allows for high precision machining
- Diversified applications for machining of non-ferrous metals and non-metals

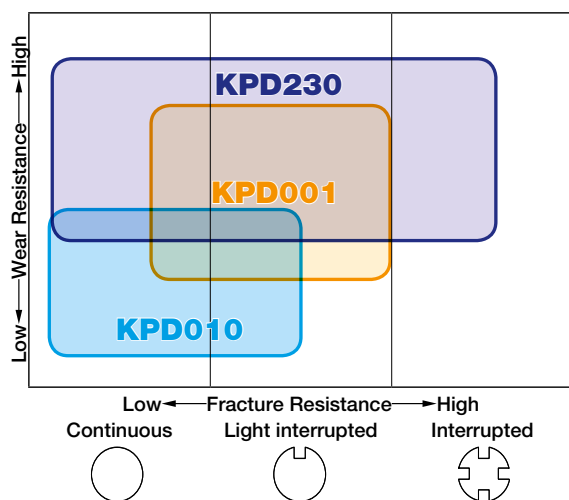
Features of PCD

Material	Symbol	Av. grain size (μm)	Advantages
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	KPD010	10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Universal grade well balanced for both wear resistance and grindability High speed machining of aluminum alloy, brass and non-ferrous metals including carbide, ceramic, fiberglass, and plastics
	KPD230	2-30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Superior wear and chipping resistance due to the high density, micro-grain mixed sintered diamond High speed machining of aluminum alloy, brass and non-ferrous metals including carbide, ceramic, fiberglass, and plastics

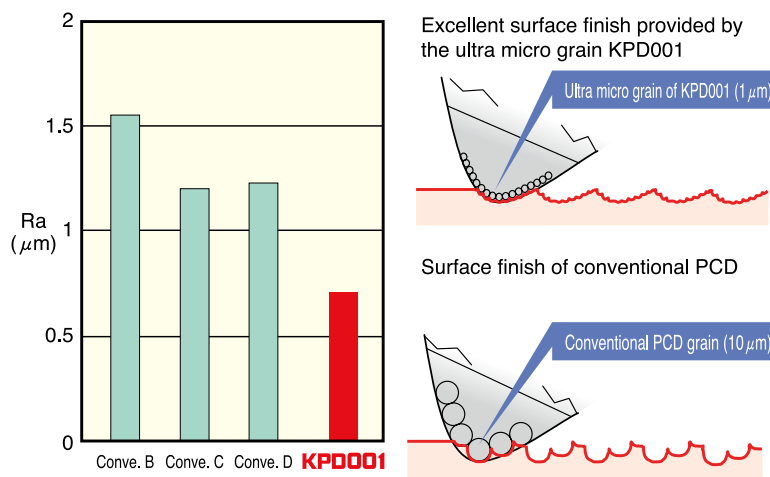
Application

Workpiece Material		Non-ferrous Material (Aluminum / Non-ferrous Metal / Non metal)				Hard-to-machine Material (Titanium Alloy / Ni Alloy)			
		Finishing		Roughing		Finishing		Roughing	
Cutting Range Classification		N01	N10	N20	N30	S01	S10	S20	S30
Turning Milling	PCD	KPD001				KPD001			
		KPD010				KPD010			
		KPD230				KPD230			

PCD Area Map



Finishing surface comparison in Aluminum machining



(Grain size affects finishing surface quality)



CBN

Kyocera CBN is second only to diamond in hardness. CBN(Cubic Boron Nitride) is a synthetically produced material with high thermal conductivity providing stable machining.

Advantages

- Superior wear resistance when machining hardened materials
- Suitable for high speed machining of cast iron and heat treated steel
- High thermal conductivity provides stable machining

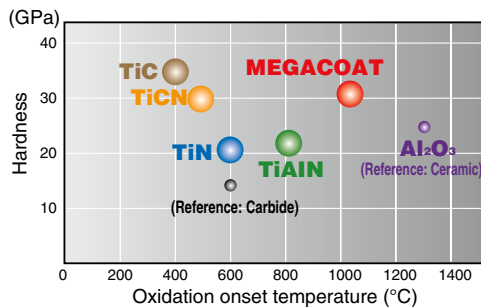
Features of CBN

Material	Symbol	Color	Average grain size (μm)	CBN content (%)	Base Material Hardness (GPa)	Transverse Strength (MPa)	Advantages
H Hardened material	KBN510	Black	2	50	28	1,000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Excellent wear resistance and crack resistance • Application: Finishing and the continuous machining of hard die steel
	KBN525	Black	under 1	45	25	1,250	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Well balanced for both toughness and wear resistance from its micro grain CBN and heat resistant binder phase • Application: General grade for hardened alloy steel, high stability at high speed and high feed machining
	KBN05M (MEGACOAT)	Blackish red	0.5-1.5	55	27	1,000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Highly heat resistant MEGACOAT substrate • Application: High speed finishing of hard alloy steel
	KBN10M (MEGACOAT)	Blackish red	2	50	28	1,000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hard binder phase with MEGACOAT, superior anti-crater wear resistance • Application: High speed finishing of hardened die steel
	KBN25M (MEGACOAT)	Blackish red	under 1	45	25	1,250	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Heat resistant MEGACOAT on micro grain CBN with heat resistant binder phase • Application: Stable machining of hardened alloy steel at high speed
	KBN30M (MEGACOAT)	Blackish red	1-4	65	30	1,350	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Heat resistant MEGACOAT on tougher substrate • Application: Stable machining of hardened alloy steel for continuous to interrupted machining
Ferrous sintered alloy	KBN65B	Black	2	85	32	1,150	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Superior wear resistance due to excellent heat resistant binder phase • Application: For ferrous sintered alloy
	KBN65M (MEGACOAT)	Blackish red	2	85	32	1,150	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Heat resistant MEGACOAT on substrate with heat resistant binder phase • Application: Stable machining of ferrous sintered alloy
	KBN70M (MEGACOAT)	Blackish red	2-4	90	34	1,350	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Heat resistant MEGACOAT on CBN rich substrate • Application: General machining of ferrous sintered alloy
K Cast Iron	KBN60M (MEGACOAT)	Blackish red	0.5-6	80	33	1,250	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Heat resistant MEGACOAT on CBN rich substrate with hard binder phase • Application: High speed finishing of gray cast iron
	KBN900 (TiN COAT)	Gold	9	90	31	1,050	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TiN coated solid CBN • Application: Heavy duty, interrupted and finishing operations of hardened steel and cast steel

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MEGACOAT CBN

Features of PVD coated layer

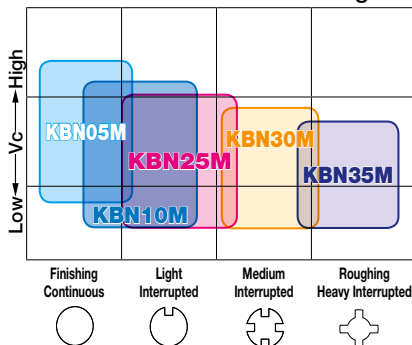


Features of MEGACOAT CBN

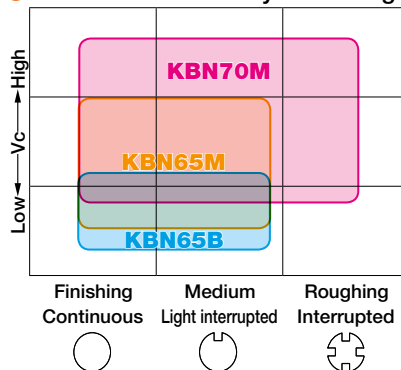


Material Application Map

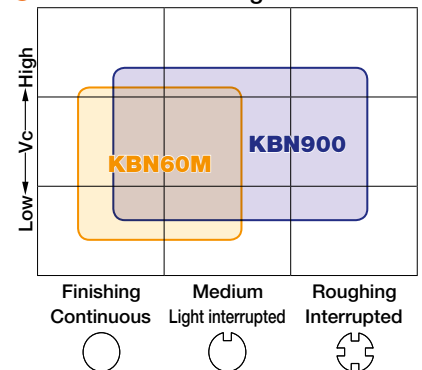
Hardened materials machining



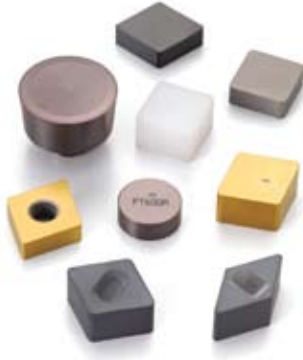
Ferrous sintered alloy machining



Cast Iron Machining



Ceramic






Ceramic

Kyocera's ceramic inserts are capable of running at high speeds, thus reducing expensive machining times. Hard turning of 38Rc to 64Rc carbon and alloy steels or rough to finish turning of cast irons is recommended for ceramic inserts. Kyocera's ceramic grades are designed to resist oxidation and maintain hardness at elevated temperatures.

Advantages

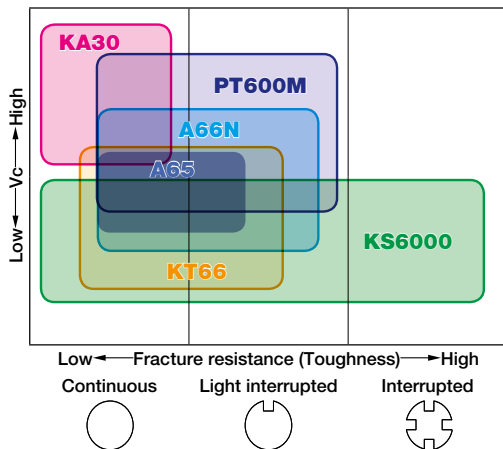
- Excellent wear resistance enables high cutting speeds
- Ceramic maintains good surface finished due to the low affinity to workpiece materials
- Ceramic grade KS6000 has improved thermal shock resistance allowing cast iron machining with coolant

Features of Ceramic

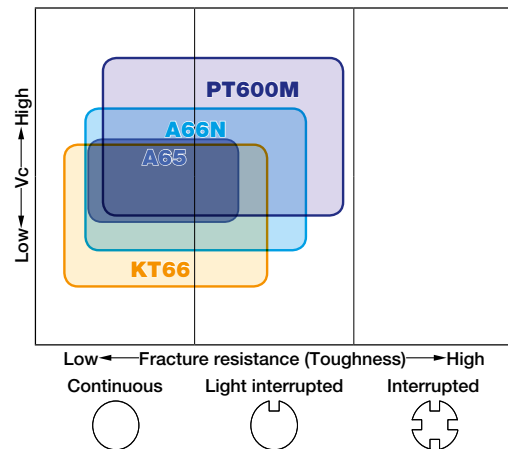
Material	Symbol	Color	Main Component	Coating layer hardness (GPa)	Base Material Hardness (GPa)	Fracture Toughness (MPa·m ^{1/2})	Transverse Strength (MPa)	Advantages
 Cast Iron	KA30	White	Al ₂ O ₃	-	17.5	4.0	750	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aluminum Oxide Ceramic (Al₂O₃) • For finishing of cast iron at high cutting speeds without coolant
	KS6000	Gray	Si ₃ N ₄	-	15.7	6.5	1230	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Silicon Nitride Ceramic (Si₃N₄) • Designed for interrupted, high feed machining of cast iron (with or without coolant).
 Cast Iron	KT66	Black	Al ₂ O ₃ +TiC	-	20.1	4.1	980	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aluminum Oxide and Titanium Carbide (Al₂O₃+TiC) • Application: Hardened material / Rolled steel machining
	A65	Black	Al ₂ O ₃ +TiC ₃	-	20.1	4.1	980	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aluminum Oxide and Titanium Carbide (Al₂O₃+TiC) • Application: Semi-roughing to finishing of steel, cast iron and hardened materials
 Hardened material	A66N (TiN COAT)	Gold	Al ₂ O ₃ +TiC	20	20.1	4.1	980	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aluminum Oxide and Titanium Carbide (Al₂O₃+TiC) + TiN Coated Ceramic • Application: PVD coated ceramics for hardened materials machining
	PT600M (MEGACOAT)	Blackish red	Al ₂ O ₃ +TiC	30	20.1	4.1	980	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aluminum Oxide and Titanium Carbide (Al₂O₃+TiC) + MEGACOAT Coated Ceramic • Application: Hardened materials, rolled steel and cast iron machining

Ceramic Area Map

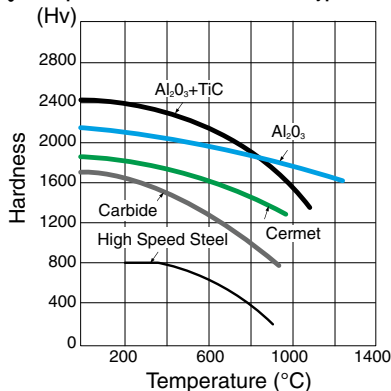
● Cast iron Machining



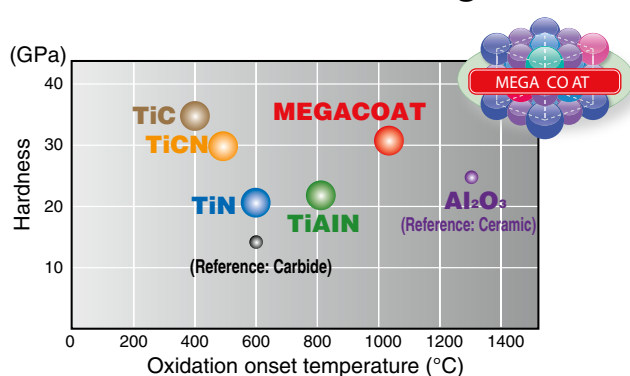
● Hardened materials machining



High Temperature Hardness for various types of tool materials



Features of PVD Coating



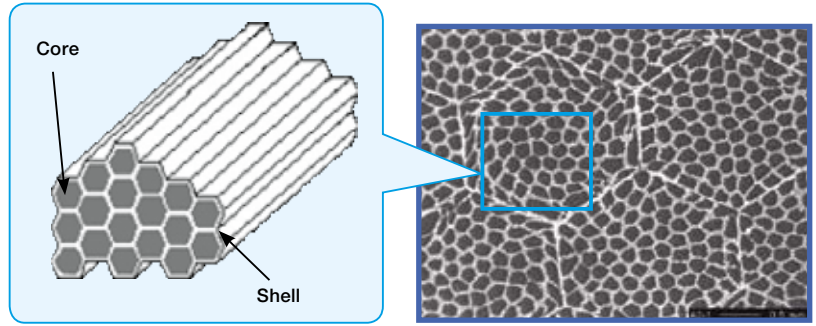
Cell Fiber

Cell Fiber

Continuing with Kyocera's long tradition of cutting edge ceramic technology, cell fiber ceramic combines toughness and wear resistance into one insert, similar to whisker reinforced ceramics. Cell fibers feature a hard, wear resistant ceramic core and a tough ceramic shell. The tough shell stops cracks that form in the core.

Advantages

- Excellent performance in high temp alloys under 50 Rc
- Combats thermal shock created by coolant interruptions
- Improved resistance to notching

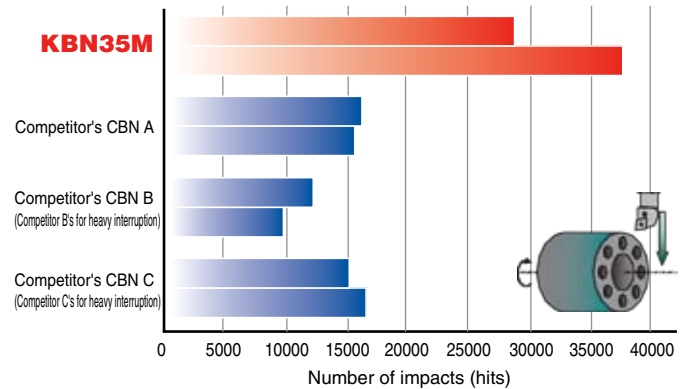
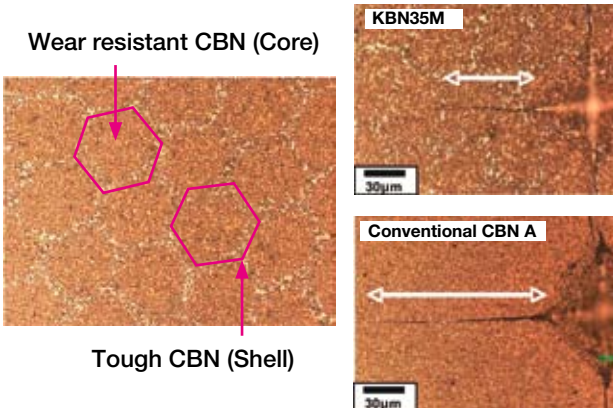


Features of Cell Fiber

Material	Symbol	Color	Main Component	Advantages
H Hardened material	KBN35M (MEGACOAT)	Blackish red	CBN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cell fiber composite material consisting of wear resistant CBN (core) and tough CBN (shell) • High oxidation resistant MEGACOAT on very tough cell fiber based substrate • Application: Stable machining of hardened alloy steel with interruption
S Heat resistant alloy	CF1	Gray	Ceramic	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cell fiber composite material consisting of wear resistant ceramic (core) and tough ceramic (shell) • Application: Heat resistant alloys like inconel

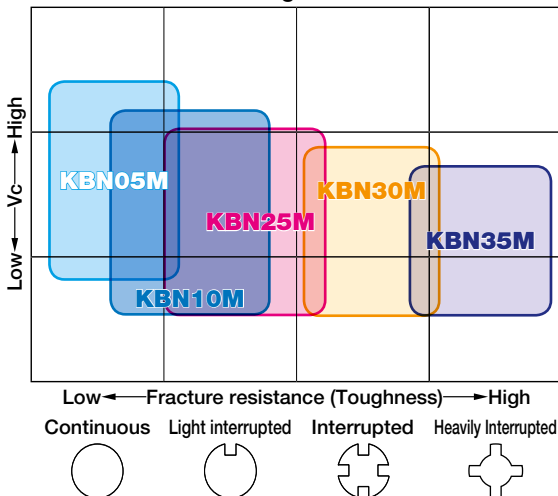
KBN35M (MEGACOAT Cell Fiber CBN)

- Tough CBN (Shell) prevents crack propagation

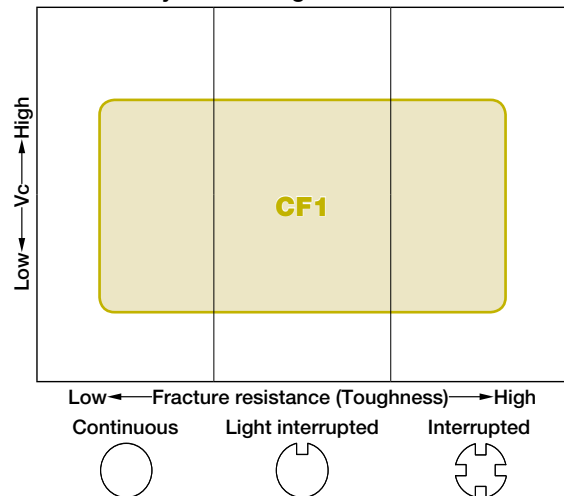


Material Application Map

- Hardened materials machining



- Heat resistant alloys machining



Cermet



Cermet

Kyocera is known as the leading manufacturer of cermets. Kyocera's cermet inserts come in a wide variety of grades and designs in order to satisfy demanding operations. Designed to provide long tool life and excellent surface finishes, cermets combine toughness with superior wear resistance.

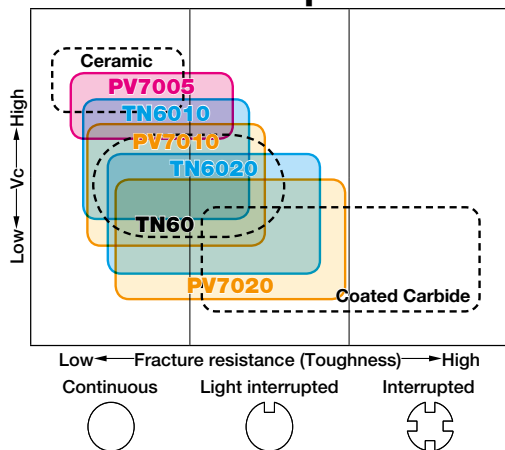
PVD Coated Cermet

PVD Cermet is coated with a thin layer with both high wear resistance and adhesion resistance. Because of the low processing temperature compared to CVD, PVD Coated Cermet features less layer deterioration and more bending strength.

Features of Cermet

Material	Symbol	Color	Main Component (Coated Composition)	Advantages	
<div style="background-color: #0070C0; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center; width: 30px; margin: 0 auto;">P</div> Steel	Cermet	TN6010 (Super Micro-Grain)	Gray	TiCN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Improved surface cermet which has both superior wear resistance and toughness Application: Economical uncoated cermet for steel
		TN60	Gray	TiCN+NbC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Standard cermet with superior wear resistance and toughness Application: Machining of steel, stainless steel, cast iron and non-ferrous metal when excellent surface finish and close size control is required
		TN6020 (Super Micro-Grain)	Gray	TiCN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ultra micro grain cermet with high nitrogen content Application: Standard cermet which has superior wear resistance and toughness
		TN100M	Gray	TiCN+NbC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tough cermet for milling applications with improved oxidation and thermal shock resistance Application: Prevention of oxidational wear in high speed steel milling
		TC40	Gray	TiC+TiN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Good balance of wear resistance and toughness Application: Extended tool life in steel grooving and threading
<div style="background-color: #D9534F; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center; width: 30px; margin: 0 auto;">K</div> Cast Iron	PVD	PV7010 (Super Micro-Grain)	Blackish red	TiCN (MEGACOAT)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MEGACOAT cermet, improved surface substrate with excellent wear resistance and toughness Application: Stable and improved tool life in steel machining, excellent surface finish
		PV7020 (Super Micro-Grain)	Gold	TiCN (TiAlN+TiN)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> TiAlN base PVD-FS (fine surface) coating on ultra micro grain substrate Application: Standard, well balanced PVD cermet for steel
		PV7005	Blackish red	TiC+TiN (MEGACOAT)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MEGACOAT Cermet with superior wear resistance Application: Stable long tool life in finishing application of gray cast iron and nodular cast iron

Cermet Area Map



New Cermet Grades: PV7010, PV7005, TN6010

- MEGACOAT Cermet
 - Improved tool life and high speed capability due to its superior heat resistance and hardness
 - Stability improvement by prevention of crater wear (oxidation, diffusional wear)
 - High thermal stability and surface smoothness provide excellent surface finish

PV7010 : MEGACOAT for steel

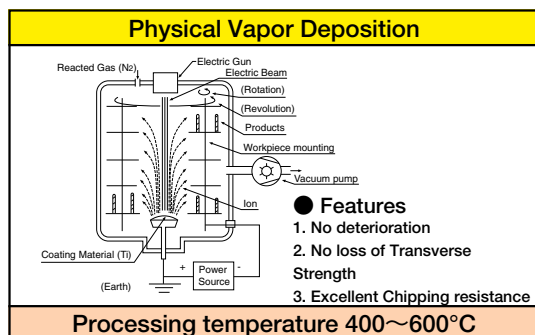
PV7005 : MEGACOAT for cast iron



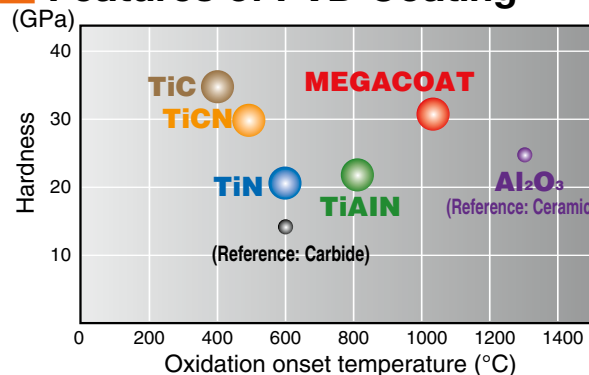
- Improved Surface Cermet
 - Achieves a balance between wear resistance and toughness (New cermet has hard surface and tougher inner phase)
 - Economical uncoated cermet

TN6010 : Uncoated Cermet for Steel

PVD Coated Cermet



Features of PVD Coating



CVD Coated Carbide

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Insert Grades



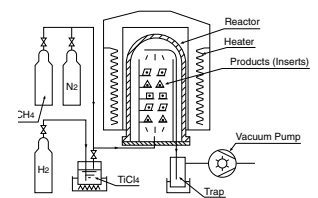
CVD Coated Carbide

Kyocera's CVD coated carbide grades use ceramic thin film coating technology and provide stable, efficient machining at high speeds or heavy interrupted applications.

Advantages

- Applicable to a wide variety of applications, from low to high speed machining and from finishing to roughing
- Stable machining is achieved due to the superior toughness and crack resistance
- Machining times are reduced due to good chip control from effective chipbreakers

Chemical Vapor Deposition



Features

1. Equally deposited on face
2. Easy application for multi layer deposition
3. Enabling thick coating

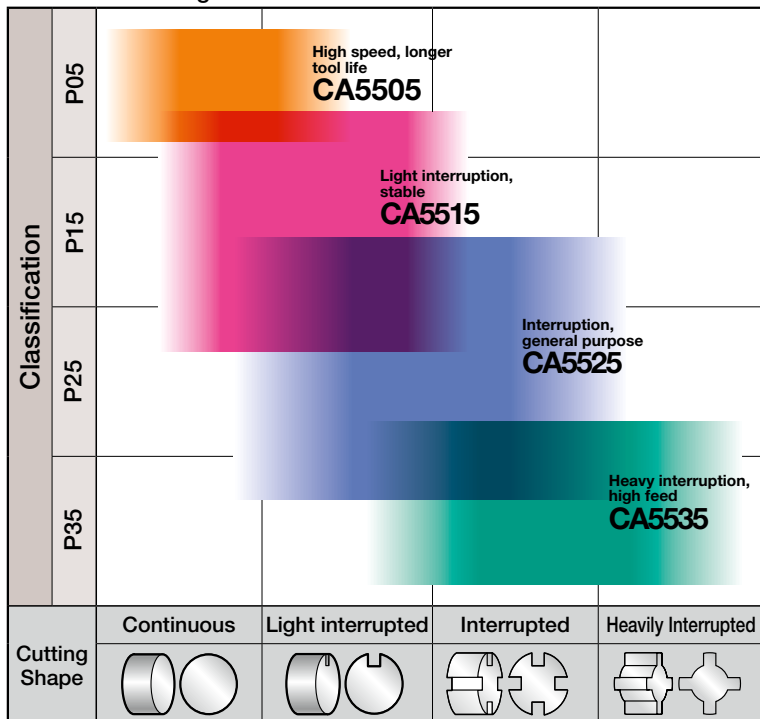
Processing temperature 900~1100°C

Features of CVD Coated Carbide

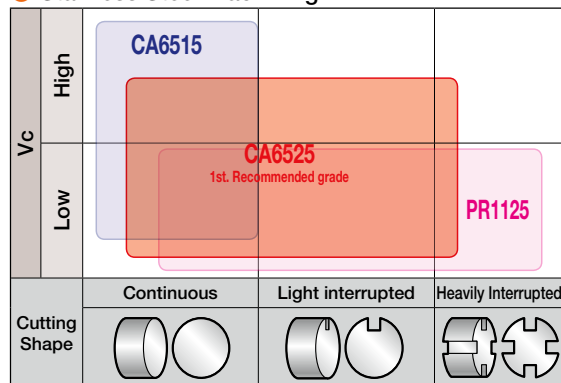
Material	Symbol	Color	Coated Composition	Advantages
 Steel	CA5505	Gold	Micro columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improved toughness and wear resistance from its micro columnar structure, wear resistance oriented, longer tool life • Application: High speed continuous steel turning, continuous to light interruption of cast iron
	CA5515	Gold	Micro columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improved wear resistance by its micro columnar structure, longer tool life • Application: First choice for continuous to light interrupted high speed cutting of steel
	CA5525	Gold	Micro columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improved toughness and wear resistance by its micro columnar structure, wear resistance oriented, reliable machining • Application: First choice for interrupted and general cutting of steel
	CA5535	Gold	Micro columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improved toughness by micro columnar structure and its high flexural toughness substrate • Application: For heavy duty and heavy interruption of steel
	CR9025	Gold	Columnar TiCN+TiN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improved toughness and stability due to its special substrate's superior anti plastic deformation performance • Application: Cut-off, grooving and multi-function machining of steel
 Stainless Steel	CA6515	Gold	Micro columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Special substrate, excellent wear resistance • Application: Continuous to light interrupted high speed cutting of stainless steel
	CA6525	Gold	Micro columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Special substrate, excellent notching resistance and toughness • Application: From continuous to roughing of stainless steel, general purpose
 Cast Iron	CA4010	Gold	Columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Excellent high temperature stability from micro-grain thick film coating • Application: High speed machining of cast iron, from continuous to light interruption
	CA4505	Black	Micro columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Suitable for high-speed and efficient cutting • Improved tool life through superior wear resistance
	CA4515	Black	Micro columnar TiCN+Al ₂ O ₃ +TiN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First choice for stability • Wide application range for continuous to heavy interrupted cutting

Material Application Map

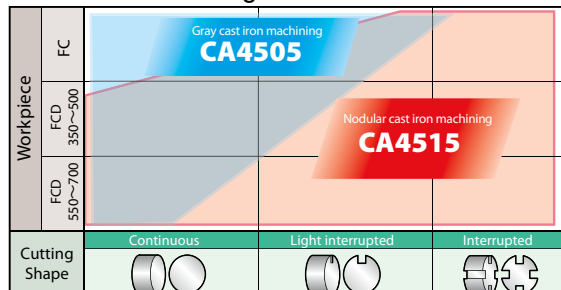
● Steel machining



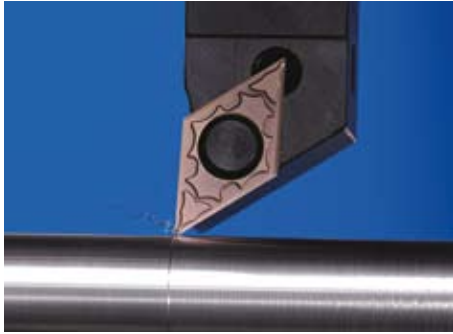
● Stainless Steel machining



● Cast Iron machining



PVD Coated Carbide for Turning



PVD Coated Carbide

Kyocera's PVD coated carbide grades are based on ceramic thin film technology and are good for milling, threading, grooving, and stainless steel cutting. Very tough carbide substrate and innovative coating technology promote excellent wear resistance and strong coating adhesion for long tool life and stable machining.

Advantages

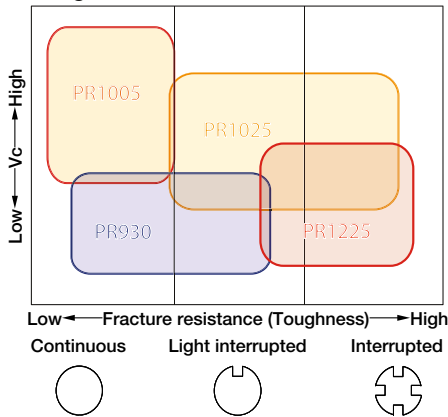
- Good for low to high speeds and finishing to heavy roughing machining
- Stable machining with excellent toughness
- Special coatings provide good surface finish and high precision machining

Features of PVD Coated Carbide

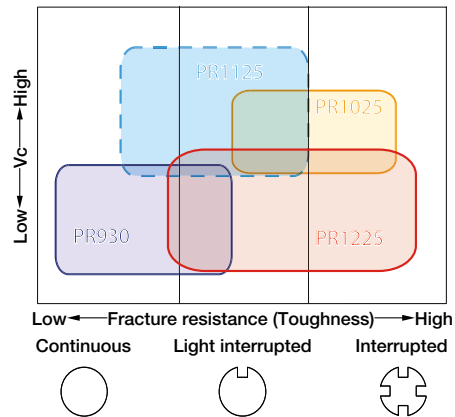
Material	Symbol	Color	Coated Composition	Advantages
<div style="background-color: #0070C0; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center; border-radius: 5px;"> P Steel </div>	PR915 (Super Micro-Grain)	Bluish violet	TiAlN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TiAlN based PVD coating on ultra micro grain carbide, superior wear resistance and anti-oxidation performance • Application: Stable and reliable high precision machining of steel
	PR930 (Super Micro-Grain)	Reddish gray	TiCN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hard TiCN based PVD coating on ultra micro grain carbide • Application: Low cutting speed, precise machining with sharp cutting edge
	PR1005	Reddish gray	TiCN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TiCN based PVD coating on hard micro grain carbide • Application: Turning of free cutting steel, long tool life achieved through anti-welding performance
	PR1025	Reddish gray	TiCN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TiCN based PVD coating on micro grain carbide • Application: General purpose machining of steel and stainless steel, stable and long tool life
	PR1115	Purple red	TiAlN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hard TiAlN based PVD coating on ultra micro grain carbide • Application: Superior anti oxidation performance with well balanced wear resistance and toughness
<div style="background-color: #FFD700; color: black; padding: 5px; text-align: center; border-radius: 5px;"> M Stainless Steel </div>	PR1125	Purple red	TiAlN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hard TiAlN based PVD coating on ultra micro grain carbide, superior toughness and heat resistance • Application : Finishing to interrupted machining of stainless steel
<div style="background-color: #FF0000; color: white; padding: 5px; text-align: center; border-radius: 5px;"> K Cast Iron </div>	PR905	Bluish violet	TiAlN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Smooth fine surface (FS) coating resistant to micro chipping • Application: Suitable for milling gray and nodular cast iron and turning high temperature alloys

Material Application Map

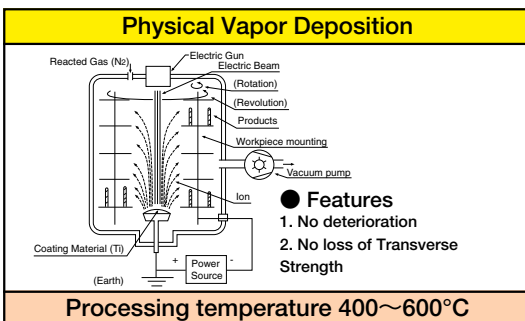
● Steel machining



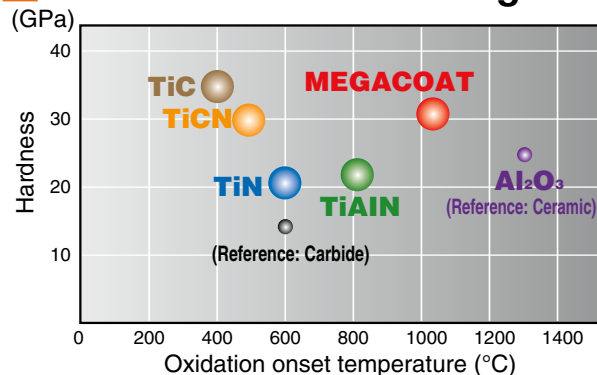
● Stainless steel / Hard-to-machine Material machining



PVD Coated Carbide



Features of PVD Coating






PVD Coated Carbide for milling and drilling



PVD Coated Carbide

Kyocera's PVD coated carbide is coated on a carbide substrate using thin PVD technology. Because of the low process temperature it features superior tool strength, long tool life and stable machining for milling and drilling.

Features of PVD Coated Carbide

Material	Symbol	Color	Coated Composition	Advantages
 Steel	PR630	Gold	TiN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High adhesion strength of TiN PVD coating layer Application: Milling, threading, grooving of steel
	PR730	Gold	TiAlN+TiN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Superior oxidation resistance with well balanced wear resistance and toughness Application: Stable and long tool life at high speed machining of die steel and steel
	PR830	Gold	TiAlN+TiN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Improved high temperature stability and wear resistance by TiAlN based FS (fine surface) PVD Application: Stable and long tool life for milling die steel and steel
	PR1230	Blackish red	MEGACOAT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Superior wear and oxidation resistant MEGACOAT on special tough carbide substrate Application: General and high feed drilling of steel
 Stainless Steel	PR660	Gold	TiN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Superior welding resistant TiN based PVD coating on special tough carbide substrate Application: Covers a variety of workpieces such as steel, stainless steel and heat resistance casting steel
	PR1025	Reddish gray	TiCN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Superior welding resistant TiCN based PVD coating on micro grain carbide substrate Application: Stable and long tool life milling of stainless steel
	PR1225	Blackish red	MEGACOAT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Superior wear and oxidation resistant MEGACOAT on micro grain carbide substrate Application: General and high feed drilling of steel and stainless steel
 Cast Iron	PR905	Bluish violet	TiAlN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> TiAlN based PVD-FS (fine surface) coating on special carbide substrate for cast iron Application: High efficient stable milling and drilling of gray cast iron and nodular cast iron
	PR1210	Blackish red	MEGACOAT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Superior wear and oxidation resistant MEGACOAT on special carbide substrate for cast iron Application: High efficient stable drilling of gray cast iron and nodular cast iron

Carbide




Carbide

Carbide is used for a variety of applications with its superior mechanical features. Kyocera produces a variety of carbides, including KW10 for non-ferrous metals and micro-grain carbides for precision machining.

Advantages

- Tough and hard
- Good thermal conductivity
- Suitable for machining non-ferrous metals and non-metals
- Stable machining at slow cutting speeds, including milling operations.

Features of Carbide

Material	Symbol	Color	Main Component	Advantages
 Non-ferrous metal	KW10	Gray	WC+Co	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Type K Carbide (K10 relevant) Application: High wear resistance and anti-chipping performance for cast iron and non-ferrous metals
	GW15	Gray	WC+Co	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> K grade carbide (equivalent to K10), excellent chipping resistant micro grain carbide Application: Features stable wear resistance and chipping resistance for cast iron, non-ferrous metal and nonmetal
	GW25	Gray	WC+Co	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Type K Carbide (K30 relevant) Application: High wear resistance and anti-chipping performance for milling operations in aluminum