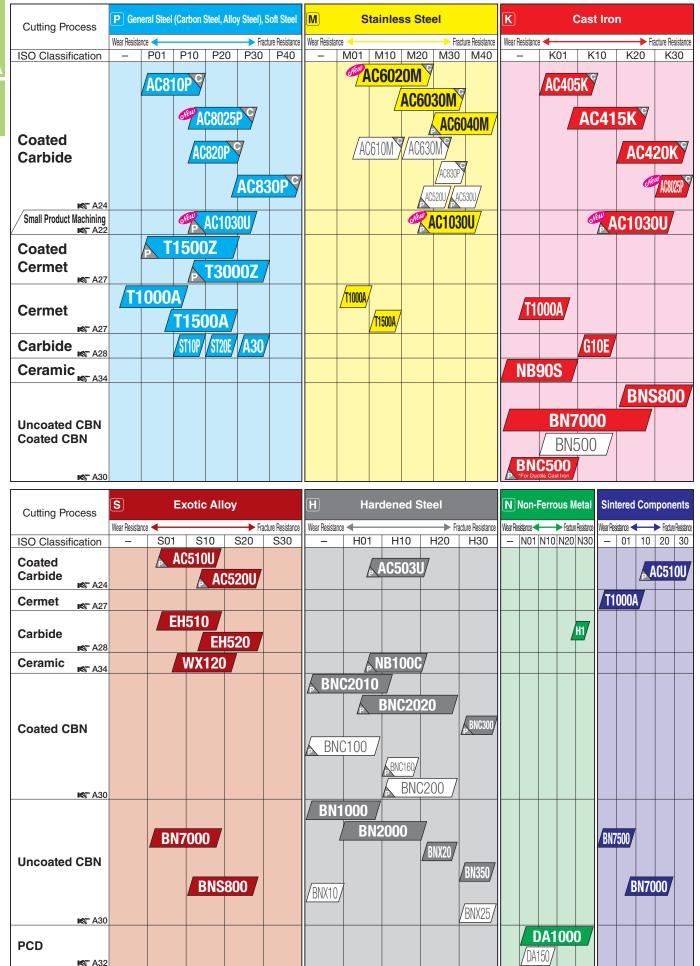
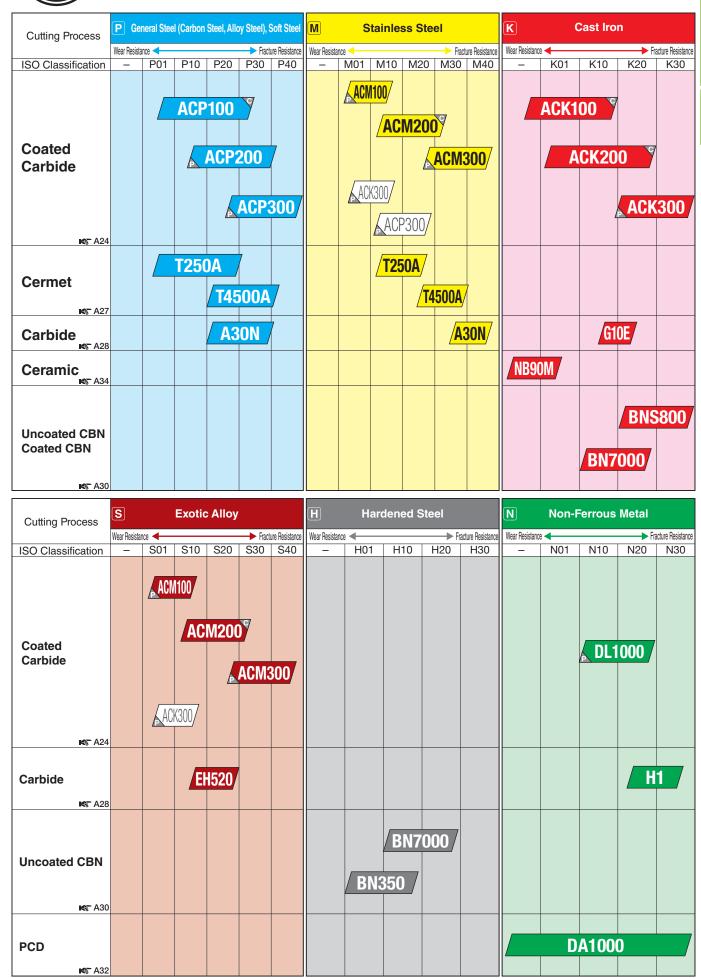
Selection of Sumitomo Grades (Turning)

Selection Guide by Work Material and Cutting Process



Selection of Sumitomo Grades (Milling)



SUMIBORON Series Coated SUMIBORON Series

Grades

Carbide Ceramic Cermet



High hardness and heat resistance for cutting high hardness steel and hard cast iron. Long tool life with high-speed finishing of grey cast iron.

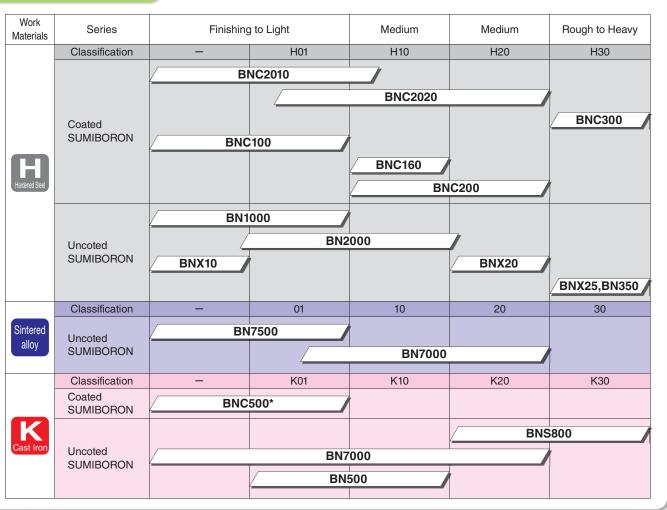
In 1977, Sumitomo Electric successfully developed a revolutionary CBN sintered tool - SUMIBORON. The main component in SUMIBORON is Cubic Boron Nitride with a special ceramic binder sintered under super high pressure and temperature. As compared to other conventional tool materials, CBN has higher hardness and excellent heat resistance.

With these distinct characteristics, SUMIBORON can perform machining of hardened steel, high hardness cast iron and exotic metals where previously only grinding was done. Furthermore, excellent efficiency and longer tool life can also be achieved from high speed machining of cast irons.

Characteristics

Classifications	Structure	CBN Content	Hardness (GPa)	Grades	Application	Characteristics
Mainly CBN grains fused together		High	44	BN700 BN7000 BN7500 BNS800	Carbide Chilled cast iron Ni-Hard cast iron Heat-resistant alloy, Cast iron Sintered ferrous alloy	 High carbon content. Structure consists of strongly fused CBN grains. Suited to cutting cast iron, heatresistant alloy, ultra-hard alloy, and other hard materials.
Mainly CBN grains held together with a binder		Low	V 21	BN500 · BNC500 BN1000 · BN2000 BN350 · BNX10 BNX20 · BNX25 BNC2010 · BNC2020 BNC300 · BNC100 BNC160 · BNC200	Alloy steel Case hardened steel Carbon tool steels Bearing steel, Die steel Ductile cast iron	CBN grains are fused together strongly with a special ceramic binder. Strong CBN binding force gives superior wear resistance and toughness when cutting hardened steel and cast iron.

Grade Range Map



Polycrystalline Diamond

Excellent wear resistance with longer tool life in high-speed, high-efficiency and high-precision cutting of non-ferrous metals and non-metals. SUMIDIA is a polycrystalline diamond material made from sintered diamond powder that was first created using our proprietary technology in 1978.

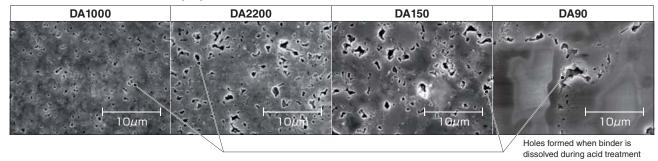
SUMIDIA's superior wear resistance achieves longer tool life in high speed, high efficiency and high precision non-metal cutting and non-ferrous metal applications including aluminum, copper, magnesium and zinc alloys.

Characteristics

Conventional Polycrystalline Diamond

High density sintered material made of diamond particles with particle sizes ranging from submicron to tens of microns.

Structure of Conventional Polycrystalline Diamond after Acid Treatment



Grade Range Map

Work Materials	Series	Finishing	g to Light	Medium	Rough to Heavy			
	Classification	01	10	20	30			
Hard Brittle Material	SUMIDIA Binderless	NPD10						
	SUMIDIA		/ DA	.90				
	Classification	N01	N10	N20	N30			
	SUMIDIA	DA1000						
N			DA2200					
Non-Ferrous Metal			DA150					
		DA90						

Advanced Ceramic



PCD

Superb wear for ultra-high speed machining.

Sumitomo Electric Hardmetal's "Advanced Ceramic" is created through a unique process that ensures excellent sharpness, making possible stable ultra-high speed cutting of cast iron, and cutting of heat-resistant alloys and ultra-hard rolled materials.

Grade Range Map

For Turning

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Work Materials	High-Speed	Finishing	g to Light	Medium	Rough to Heavy			
WOIK Waterials	_	01	10	20	30	40		
K Cast Iron	NB9	0S /						
S Exotic Alloy			V	/X120				
NB100C								