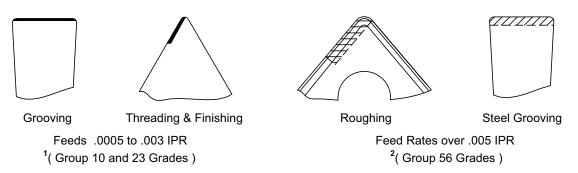
## **Insert Heat and Wear Zones**

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<sup>1</sup> Threading, Grooving and Finishing operations generate considerable heat at the cutting edge. The Inserts often cut through abrasive, work hardened surfaces. Carbide Grades for these applications need to have high heat and wear resistant edges.

<sup>2</sup> Steel Cutting Inserts have to absorb and dissipate the large volume of heat that develops behind the cutting edge where the chips start to curl. Cratering can occur in this area due to high cutting forces. Steel Grades have additives and/or coatings to provide crater resistance. These Grades generally have less heat and wear resistant cutting edges than the Grades used in finishing applications. The edges on Steel Cutting Inserts are usually honed to prevent chipping.

Carbide Groups								
Carbide Groups		Uncoated	TIN Coated	TiALN Coated	Applications			
10	Tough, Chip Resistant C1 Micrograin Grades	C10	110	310	C10 C1 - High wear & chip resistance at very low speeds in most materials			
					110 C1-C2/C5 - Increased tool life, reduced chipping from built-up edge			
					310 C1-C2/C5 - Face Grooving - Small Diameter Threading and Grooving			
23	Heat & Wear Resistant C2-C3 Micrograin Grades	C23	123	323	C23 C2-C3 - Non-Ferrous applications - C23J has polished chipbreakers			
					123 C2-C3/C6 - TIN coating adds lubricity reducing edge build-up & chipping			
					323 C2-C3/C7 - Heat & wear resistance in Threading, Grooving & Finishing			
56	C5-C6 Crater Resistant Steel Cutting Grades	C56 non stock	156	356	C56 C5-C6 - Uncoated Special Order only - use coated Grades 356 or 156			
					<b>156</b> C5-C6 - For use where edge build-up is a problem with Grade 356			
					356 C5-C6 - Steel Cutting Grade - moderate speeds, higher feeds than 323			
PR	IMARY GRADES	1st choic	e for bes	t results	COMPLIMENTARY GRADES - For specific applications			

	Horizon Carb	ide - Standar	d Grade Applic	ation Ranges					
Wear Resistant Grades	for Cast Iron and No	on-Ferrous Ma	terials plus Threa	ading, Grooving a	nd Finishing Applications				
C1 (K40 - K30)	C2 (K25 -	K20)	C3 (K15-K10)		C4 (K05-K01)				
		3F - 323G							
		123							
		C23 - C23J							
310 Threadir	ng & Grooving								
110 Threadir	ng & Grooving								
C10 Threading & G		HCC Ceramet - Special Order							
Increasing Toughness - Shock & Impact Resistance Increasing Hardness - Heat & Wear Resistance									
Crater Resistant Grades f	or Steel & Stainle	ss plus Wea	r Resistant Gra	des for Threadir	ng, Grooving and Finishing				
C5 (P50 - P35)	C6 (P30 - P20)		C7 (P15 - P10)		C8 (P05 - P01)				
	323 - 323F -	323G Threa	ding, Grooving a	& Finishing					
	123 Thi	reading & Gro	oving						
	356								
	156								
310 Threading & Gi	rooving								
110 Threading & Grooving				HCC Ceramet -	Special Order				

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