

**Cerakote® C-Series** Ambient Cure Ceramic Coating has been designed to protect both metal and non-metal substrates. Additionally, the **C-212 Desert Sage** has been designed to withstand extreme use temperatures (1,200°F). This makes the coating ideal for mid-temperature system and firearm applications. **Cerakote C-Series** Ambient Cure Ceramic Coatings maintain excellent adhesion even after repeated thermal cycling. These coatings provide superior protection against corrosive environments and thermal shock. In addition, the **C-Series** Ambient Cure Ceramic products are designed for ease of application.

**Cure Schedule:**

Tack free in 45 – 60 minutes

Dry after 24 hours

100% cure after 5 days

**Cerakote C-Series** Ambient Cure Ceramic Coatings are available in several metallic or non-metallic finishes and different gloss levels. Visit [www.cerakote.com](http://www.cerakote.com) to view a complete color chart.

**Contact a Cerakote sales representative to determine which coating is appropriate for your application.**

## C-212 DESERT SAGE

Gloss Level*	13 Gloss Units at 60°
Theoretical Solids by Weight	52% ±2%
Theoretical Coverage per gallon at 1.0 mil	835 ft <sup>2</sup>
Viscosity	33 cP
Recommended Film Thickness	1 - 2 mil
5% Salt Spray (ASTM B117)	TBD
Pencil Hardness (ASTM D3363)	9H
Scratch Hardness (ASTM D3363)	8H
Adhesion Cross-Cut Tape (ASTM D3359)	5B
Mandrel Bend (ASTM D522)	98% Resistance
Impact (ASTM D2794)	100/80 inch-lbs
Density (g/mL)	1.37 g/mL
Strainer Size	100

\*Results based on coated blasted steel cured for 5 days after application.

**Shelf Life: 12 Months from date of shipment**

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All Cerakote coatings are VOC compliant under the EPA and have low to no VOC content. To find out the VOC content of an individual coating please contact [sds@nicindustries.com](mailto:sds@nicindustries.com) for more information.

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