Here is a table which offers some descriptive terms which may be helpful in comparing the tone and output of different magnet types in a given pickup:

AlNiCo-III	<u>AINiCo-II</u>	<u>AINiCo-V</u>	<u>Ceramic-8</u>
Lowest magnetic field strength	Low magnetic field strength	moderate magnetic field strength	High magnetic field strength
Lowest string pull	Lowest string pull	Moderate string pull	Significant string pull
Warm vintage tone	Warm vintage tone	Hot vintage tone	Modern aggressive tone
Lowest output	Low output	Moderate output	High output
Very soft attack	Soft attack	Strong attack	Sharp attack

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