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You realize that CCS is, at best, a loose guideline, right? Its an imprecise system that exists to do its best to help provide a starting point in baselining graphite rods, and it generally begins to fall apart the as you explore materials outside of the graphite norm.

You can use it to help discover a starting point, but relying on it to give you an absolute number is a mistake simply because it is imprecise, the only way to "know" the casting power of a rod is to stick a line on it, walk outside and cast it. Adjust accordingly.

You cannot simply put a number on everything. Its tilting at windmills.

Also, globbing more epoxy on a rod should actually cause it to slow in action, not speed up, as the weight you're adding to the rod will cause it to load further and with less effort. If you've managed to make the rod stiffer, I'd suggest not gluing a coat hanger to the side of your rod.