

Pigments for Wood Stain

Coloring Wood

Wood is one of the world's oldest and most and sustainable versatile building materials. As the evolution of applications grew, expectation raised for improving the durability of wood using coatings to seal the fibers and creating a harder surface. protective Many of these coatings eventually moved from purely functional to also providing decorative enhancement.



The beauty of wood's natural grain and coloring can be enhanced through the application of transparent stains and glazes to create simply subtle to beautifully bold highlights.

Oxerra offers a wide range of iron-oxide pigments offering inherent lightfastness, chemical resistance, natural color shade and ability to absorb UV light which provides protection that would normally damage most resin systems.

Wood Species & Color

The wood species natural coloring will impact the final appearance. Oxerra is the world's leader in semi-transparent iron-oxide pigments for wood finishes and offers a full range of Umbers, Siennas, Ochres and Van Dyke Brown.





778BN Van Dyke Brown applied and sanded to highlight the wood grain pattern

Colored stain is applied and wiped off (a wiping stain)



Natural Iron Oxides

Umbers and Siennas are natural earth pigments containing iron oxide, manganese dioxide and clay minerals. The variation of shades in this range is due to the chemical composition, degree of calcination and mining location. Their semi-transparent properties make them ideal for giving a natural finish to wood stains and protecting wood by absorbing harmful UV rays but also for artists' paint.

<u>RAW SIENNA</u> 211RS	Color Index Pigment Yellow 43	Primary Composition Goethite	Heat Stability 175°C	Masstone	Tint (1:3)
BURNT SIENNA 310BS	Color Index Pigment Red 101:1	Primary Composition Fe ₂ O ₃	Heat Stability 315°C	Masstone	Tint
<i>RAW UMBER</i> 406RU	Color Index Pigment Brown 7	Primary Composition Goethite	Heat Stability 175°C	Masstone	Tint
413RU	Color Index Pigment Brown 7	Primary Composition Goethite	Heat Stability 175°C	Masstone	Tint
9546RU	Color Index Pigment Brown 7	Primary Composition Goethite	Heat Stability 175°C	Masstone	Tint
<u>BURNT UMBER</u> 511BU	Color Index Pigment Brown 7	Primary Composition Hematite	Heat Stability 315°C	Masstone	Tint
L1653/535BU	Color Index Pigment Brown 7	Primary Composition Hematite	Heat Stability 315°C	Masstone	Tint
550BU	Color Index Pigment Brown 7	Primary Composition Hematite	Heat Stability 315°C	Masstone	Tint
<i>VAN DYKE BROWN</i> 778BN	Color Index Synthetic Brown 8	Primary Composition Carbon, Magnesium Silicate	Heat Stability 175°C	Masstone	Tint