

COLOUR CHART VAN GOGH WATER COLOURS

Chinese white  +++ 108 PW4	Perm.lemon yellow  ++ 254 PY184	Azo yellow light  +++ 268 PY154	Azo yellow medium  +++ 269 PY154/PO62	Gamboge  +++ 238 PY154/PR101	Azo yellow deep  +++ 270 PY154/PO43	Naples yellow red  +++ 224 PY42/PO43	Permanent orange  +++ 266 PY154/PO73
Vermilion  +++ 311 PR254/PY154	Permanent red lt  +++ 370 PR254	Permanent red dp  +++ 371 PR254/PV19	Madder lake light  +++ 327 PR264/PR254	Madder lake deep  +++ 331 PR264	Quinacridone rose  +++ 366 PV19	Perm.red violet  +++ 567 PV19	Perm.blue violet  +++ 568 PV19/PB29
Ultramarine deep  +++ 506 PB29	Cobalt blue (ultram.)  +++ 512 PB29/PW6	Cerulean blue (phth.)  +++ 535 PB15/PW6	Prussian blue  +++ 570 PB15	Phthalo blue  +++ 508 PB27	Indigo  +++ 533 PB15/PBk6	Perm.yellowish green  +++ 633 PY154/PG7	Hooker green light  +++ 644 PG7/PY154
Hooker green deep  +++ 645 PG7/PY154	Permanent green  +++ 662 PG7/PY154	Viridian  +++ 616 PG7	Phthalo green  +++ 675 PG7	Sap green  +++ 623 PY129/PG7	Olive green  +++ 620 PG7/PY154	Yellow ochre  +++ 227 PY42	Raw sienna  +++ 234 PY42
Raw umber  +++ 408 PY42/PR101	Burnt sienna  +++ 411 PR101/PBk11	Light oxide red  +++ 339 PR101	Burnt umber  +++ 409 PR101/PBk6	Sepia  +++ 416 PBk7/PR101	Vandyke brown  +++ 403 PBk6/PR101	Payne's grey  +++ 708 PBk6/PV19	Ivory black  +++ 701 PBk6/PBk9

The colours illustrated correspond with the real colours as much as possible.

Explanation of the symbols

Lightfastness

+++ = at least 100 years lightfast under museum conditions
The lightfastness of all colours has been tested according to the ASTM standard D4303.

The Colour Index

The pigments used in Van Gogh paint have been indicated according to the Colour Index. The Colour Index is an internationally used system for pigments and dyes that have been used in all types of paint (therefore also in artists' paint). The system is based on a number and name associated to the chemical structure. Originally the Colour Index was developed in the U.S.A., hence the use of English descriptions of the chemical class.

The abbreviations mean the following:

- PW = pigment white
- PY = pigment yellow
- PO = pigment orange
- PR = pigment red
- PB = pigment blue
- PV = pigment violet
- PG = pigment green
- PBr = pigment brown
- PBk = pigment black