

METALLIC DESIGN PALETTE

Complete Color Reference and Gradient Guide





8 Metallic Families | 32 Colors | 8 Gradient Sets

Gold · Silver · Bronze · Copper · Steel · Platinum · Rose Gold · Dark Metallics

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GOLD FAMILY


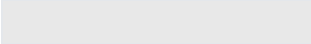

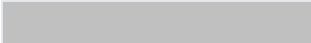
Warm, luxurious tones evoking opulence and prestige

Swatch	Color Name	HEX Code	RGB Value
	Light Gold	#F5D060	RGB(245, 208, 96)
	Gold	#FFD700	RGB(255, 215, 0)
	Antique Gold	#DAA520	RGB(218, 165, 32)
	Deep Gold	#B8860B	RGB(184, 134, 11)

Gradient Set:  #F5D060 →  #FFD700 →  #DAA520 →  #B8860B

SILVER FAMILY





Cool, refined tones for modern elegance

Swatch	Color Name	HEX Code	RGB Value
	Light Silver	#E8E8E8	RGB(232, 232, 232)
	Silver	#C0C0C0	RGB(192, 192, 192)
	Pewter	#A8A9AD	RGB(168, 169, 173)
	Dark Silver	#808080	RGB(128, 128, 128)

Gradient Set:  #E8E8E8 →  #C0C0C0 →  #A8A9AD →  #808080

BRONZE FAMILY





Rich, earthy warmth with artisanal character

Swatch	Color Name	HEX Code	RGB Value
	Light Bronze	#D4956A	RGB(212, 149, 106)
	Bronze	#CD7F32	RGB(205, 127, 50)
	Dark Bronze	#A0522D	RGB(160, 82, 45)
	Deep Bronze	#8B4513	RGB(139, 69, 19)

Gradient Set:  #D4956A →  #CD7F32 →  #A0522D →  #8B4513

COPPER FAMILY

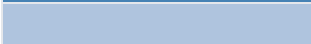



Warm industrial tones with vintage appeal

Swatch	Color Name	HEX Code	RGB Value
	Light Copper	#DA8A67	RGB(218, 138, 103)
	Copper	#B87333	RGB(184, 115, 51)
Swatch	Color Name	HEX Code	RGB Value
	Dark Copper	#96522A	RGB(150, 82, 42)
	Deep Copper	#6E3B20	RGB(110, 59, 32)

Gradient Set:  #DA8A67 →  #B87333 →  #96522A →  #6E3B20

STEEL FAMILY

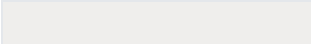

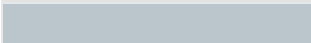

Cool, industrial strength with blue undertones

Swatch	Color Name	HEX Code	RGB Value
	Light Steel	#B0C4DE	RGB(176, 196, 222)
	Steel	#71797E	RGB(113, 121, 126)
	Blue Steel	#4682B4	RGB(70, 130, 180)
	Dark Steel	#36454F	RGB(54, 69, 79)

Gradient Set:  #B0C4DE →  #71797E →  #4682B4 →  #36454F

PLATINUM FAMILY





Ultra-refined, near-white metallic luxury

Swatch	Color Name	HEX Code	RGB Value
	Light Platinum	#F0EFED	RGB(240, 239, 237)
	Platinum	#E5E4E2	RGB(229, 228, 226)
	Cool Platinum	#BCC6CC	RGB(188, 198, 204)
Swatch	Color Name	HEX Code	RGB Value
	Dark Platinum	#A0A0A0	RGB(160, 160, 160)

Gradient Set:  →  →  → 

ROSE GOLD FAMILY




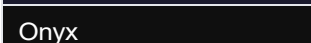
Soft, romantic warmth with blush undertones

Swatch	Color Name	HEX Code	RGB Value
	Light Rose Gold	#F2C1C1	RGB(242, 193, 193)
	Rose Gold	#B76E79	RGB(183, 110, 121)
	Dark Rose Gold	#9E5B65	RGB(158, 91, 101)
	Deep Rose Gold	#7D4E57	RGB(125, 78, 87)

Gradient Set:  →  →  → 

DARK METALLICS FAMILY

Deep, dramatic tones for bold contrast

Swatch	Color Name	HEX Code	RGB Value
	Gunmetal	#2C3539	RGB(44, 53, 57)
	Charcoal	#36454F	RGB(54, 69, 79)
	Obsidian	#1A1A2E	RGB(26, 26, 46)
	Onyx Black	#0F0F0F	RGB(15, 15, 15)

Gradient Set:  →  →  → 

COMPLETE COLOR REFERENCE

All 32 metallic colors organized by family for quick lookup.

Family	Color Name	HEX	R	G	B
Gold	Light Gold	#F5D060	245	208	96
Gold	Gold	#FFD700	255	215	0
Gold	Antique Gold	#DAA520	218	165	32
Gold	Deep Gold	#B8860B	184	134	11
Silver	Light Silver	#E8E8E8	232	232	232
Silver	Silver	#C0C0C0	192	192	192
Silver	Pewter	#A8A9AD	168	169	173
Silver	Dark Silver	#808080	128	128	128
Bronze	Light Bronze	#D4956A	212	149	106
Bronze	Bronze	#CD7F32	205	127	50
Bronze	Dark Bronze	#A0522D	160	82	45
Bronze	Deep Bronze	#8B4513	139	69	19
Copper	Light Copper	#DA8A67	218	138	103
Copper	Copper	#B87333	184	115	51
Copper	Dark Copper	#96522A	150	82	42
Copper	Deep Copper	#6E3B20	110	59	32
Steel	Light Steel	#B0C4DE	176	196	222
Steel	Steel	#71797E	113	121	126
Steel	Blue Steel	#4682B4	70	130	180
Steel	Dark Steel	#36454F	54	69	79
Platinum	Light Platinum	#F0EFED	240	239	237
Platinum	Platinum	#E5E4E2	229	228	226
Platinum	Cool Platinum	#BCC6CC	188	198	204
Platinum	Dark Platinum	#A0A0A0	160	160	160
Rose Gold	Light Rose Gold	#F2C1C1	242	193	193
Rose Gold	Rose Gold	#B76E79	183	110	121
Rose Gold	Dark Rose Gold	#9E5B65	158	91	101
Rose Gold	Deep Rose Gold	#7D4E57	125	78	87
Dark Metallics	Gunmetal	#2C3539	44	53	57
Dark Metallics	Charcoal	#36454F	54	69	79
Dark Metallics	Obsidian	#1A1A2E	26	26	46
Dark Metallics	Onyx Black	#0F0F0F	15	15	15

GRADIENT SETS

Quick reference for all 8 metallic gradient progressions, ordered from lightest to darkest.

Family	Stop 1 (Lightest)	Stop 2	Stop 3	Stop 4 (Darkest)
Gold	#F5D060	#FFD700	#DAA520	#B8860B
Family	Stop 1 (Lightest)	Stop 2	Stop 3	Stop 4 (Darkest)
Silver	#E8E8E8	#C0C0C0	#A8A9AD	#808080
Bronze	#D4956A	#CD7F32	#A0522D	#8B4513
Copper	#DA8A67	#B87333	#96522A	#6E3B20
Steel	#B0C4DE	#71797E	#4682B4	#36454F
Platinum	#F0EFED	#E5E4E2	#BCC6CC	#A0A0A0
Rose Gold	#F2C1C1	#B76E79	#9E5B65	#7D4E57
Dark Metallics	#2C3539	#36454F	#1A1A2E	#0F0F0F

USAGE GUIDE

Best practices and pairing recommendations for metallic palettes in design.

Background Pairing

- Metallic colors pair best with dark backgrounds (#1A1A2E, #0F0F0F) for maximum impact and visual contrast.

Gradient Application

- Use the gradient sets for realistic metallic sheen effects in digital design. Apply stops along highlight-to-shadow transitions to simulate reflective surfaces.

Recommended Pairings

Pairing	Effect
Gold + Dark Metallics	The most classic luxury pairing. Ideal for high-end branding, awards, and premium packaging.
Rose Gold + Platinum	Soft, modern feminine aesthetic. Perfect for beauty, lifestyle, and fashion
Pairing	Effect
	applications.
Steel + Silver	Clean industrial sophistication. Suited for technology, automotive, and architectural design.

Print Considerations

- These colors may require **metallic inks** or **foil stamping** for a true metallic finish in print production. Standard CMYK printing will approximate but not fully replicate metallic sheen.

Digital Rendering Tips

- Layer gradients with a **subtle noise texture** (1–3% monochromatic noise) for realistic metallic rendering on screen.
- Apply directional light simulation by weighting gradient stops toward the lighter values on the highlight side.