

Textured Colored Eggs

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This project requires one special tool to perform the texture pattern. Sorby makes this tool along with wheels for spiral cutting (that's another project). Homemade versions using a shaft with a slot cut to fit a small sprocket or wheel from a star grinding wheel dresser work well. A hole for a bolt or roll pin the wheel can rotate on is also required as you can see from the picture.



The texturing wheel is the one beveled on both sides in the shaft now. The points are dull. The texturing wheel does not cut the wood it compresses it. The spiral cutters have one bevel only and use a plate attached to the shaft to cut spirals of different pitches.

I always turned my eggs more pointed on one side than the other did. What I turn is my vision of how I think the egg should look. The eggs below are an ostrich egg and a hen egg. You can see that both ends of the eggs are about the same shape. Use a real egg to make a profile template for turning the shape if you want.

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Blank

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The jaws on the right are Nova chuck jaws. The jaws on the left are Oneway.

Blank

Start

Blank

Signe

With

Flowe

Truse

Blare

With

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Using the long point of the skew to make small V cuts is another method to define the bands.

This is not the only one I use. I have a

Use the folded edge of the sand paper in the grooves.

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As perpendicular to the spindle location. Cutting the groove the start coloring joints back and ends up

The long point of the skew making the V cuts to define each side of the cove.

Close up view of the finished cove area.

Will be finished and then a high boot finish of the egg base. This step is not necessary because we

As the bottom of the first egg the top of another egg as it removes the wood for clearance to finish

Take care not to split the skew cleanly cuts the endgrain of the base. Slightly undercut the base to

base so that the mach wood tool support the spinners egg. The egg will break off bottom of the

It use it falls on the point of the skewer part of the egg. My left hand cupped around the egg to catch

wood will cut through on the waste side of the finished piece and sand or cut the small nub of

from the puling pattern is pressed into the wood and held tight while moving sideways it will

Turning an egg without the base section.

Shaping the bottom of the egg with the skew long point.

Parting the egg with my left hand ready to catch it.

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Spent a lot of time making these. The first one I did was a plain one. The second one I did was a plain one. The third one I did was a plain one. The fourth one I did was a plain one. The fifth one I did was a plain one. The sixth one I did was a plain one. The seventh one I did was a plain one. The eighth one I did was a plain one. The ninth one I did was a plain one. The tenth one I did was a plain one. The eleventh one I did was a plain one. The twelfth one I did was a plain one. The thirteenth one I did was a plain one. The fourteenth one I did was a plain one. The fifteenth one I did was a plain one. The sixteenth one I did was a plain one. The seventeenth one I did was a plain one. The eighteenth one I did was a plain one. The nineteenth one I did was a plain one. The twentieth one I did was a plain one. The twenty-first one I did was a plain one. The twenty-second one I did was a plain one. The twenty-third one I did was a plain one. The twenty-fourth one I did was a plain one. The twenty-fifth one I did was a plain one. The twenty-sixth one I did was a plain one. The twenty-seventh one I did was a plain one. The twenty-eighth one I did was a plain one. The twenty-ninth one I did was a plain one. The thirtieth one I did was a plain one. The thirty-first one I did was a plain one. The thirty-second one I did was a plain one. The thirty-third one I did was a plain one. The thirty-fourth one I did was a plain one. The thirty-fifth one I did was a plain one. The thirty-sixth one I did was a plain one. The thirty-seventh one I did was a plain one. The thirty-eighth one I did was a plain one. The thirty-ninth one I did was a plain one. The fortieth one I did was a plain one. The forty-first one I did was a plain one. The forty-second one I did was a plain one. The forty-third one I did was a plain one. The forty-fourth one I did was a plain one. The forty-fifth one I did was a plain one. The forty-sixth one I did was a plain one. The forty-seventh one I did was a plain one. The forty-eighth one I did was a plain one. The forty-ninth one I did was a plain one. The fiftieth one I did was a plain one. The fifty-first one I did was a plain one. The fifty-second one I did was a plain one. The fifty-third one I did was a plain one. The fifty-fourth one I did was a plain one. The fifty-fifth one I did was a plain one. The fifty-sixth one I did was a plain one. The fifty-seventh one I did was a plain one. The fifty-eighth one I did was a plain one. The fifty-ninth one I did was a plain one. The sixtieth one I did was a plain one. The sixty-first one I did was a plain one. The sixty-second one I did was a plain one. The sixty-third one I did was a plain one. The sixty-fourth one I did was a plain one. The sixty-fifth one I did was a plain one. The sixty-sixth one I did was a plain one. The sixty-seventh one I did was a plain one. The sixty-eighth one I did was a plain one. The sixty-ninth one I did was a plain one. The seventieth one I did was a plain one. The seventy-first one I did was a plain one. The seventy-second one I did was a plain one. The seventy-third one I did was a plain one. The seventy-fourth one I did was a plain one. The seventy-fifth one I did was a plain one. The seventy-sixth one I did was a plain one. The seventy-seventh one I did was a plain one. The seventy-eighth one I did was a plain one. The seventy-ninth one I did was a plain one. The eightieth one I did was a plain one. The eighty-first one I did was a plain one. The eighty-second one I did was a plain one. The eighty-third one I did was a plain one. The eighty-fourth one I did was a plain one. The eighty-fifth one I did was a plain one. The eighty-sixth one I did was a plain one. The eighty-seventh one I did was a plain one. The eighty-eighth one I did was a plain one. The eighty-ninth one I did was a plain one. The ninetieth one I did was a plain one. The ninety-first one I did was a plain one. The ninety-second one I did was a plain one. The ninety-third one I did was a plain one. The ninety-fourth one I did was a plain one. The ninety-fifth one I did was a plain one. The ninety-sixth one I did was a plain one. The ninety-seventh one I did was a plain one. The ninety-eighth one I did was a plain one. The ninety-ninth one I did was a plain one. The hundredth one I did was a plain one.



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