



Volkswagen color associations

The colors shown here represent exterior nonmetallic paints available on various VW models except Vanagon, For specific Jetta exterior colors. refer to the inside of this folder.

COLOR	VISIBILITY FACTOR*	MENTAL ASSOCIATIONS	OBJECTIVE IMPRESSIONS	SUBJECTIVE IMPRESSIONS
Alpine White	90%	Neutral, Snow, Innocence	Pure, Clean, Frank	Brightness of Spirit
Cashmere White	78%	Dove	Natural	Calm
Manila Beige	76%	Vanilla	Rich	Soothing
Nevada Beige	60%	Clay, Earth	Desert	Comfortable
Mars Red	45%	Hot, Fire Blood	Speed	Sexy, Dynamic
Royal Red		Autumn	Action	Bold, Courage
Gambia Red	10%	Wine	Dignified	Sophistication
Mahogany	10%	. Wood Furniture	Solid	Warmth
Black	5%	Night	Confidence	Sexy

NOTE: Visibility Factors for Metallic finishes are not included in this chart due to varied light reflections caused by metal particles in the paint.

Personality, emotion, and disposition all affect our subjective reactions . . . likes and dislikes . . . to specific colors. Certain shades and hues have varying appeal as our moods change. Although there are no absolutes, there are many which are almost always valid

When a number of people are auestioned as to their color preferences it will be found that extroverts are inclined to favor the warm active and exciting qualities of red and it's analogous hues while introverts are inclined to favor the cool, passive and violet and green.

In addition to personal preferences, color perception for visibility) should also be considered. Color visibility affects times farther away than dark vehicles in foggy weather or under twilight conditions

When choosing a color for a new VOLKSWAGEN one might consider both relative perceptibility as well as personal color preference.



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