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Design	Colour number Sheet	Colour number Tile	Colour number Plank	Colour name	NCS	LRV Y (BS8493)	DSDC Rating*	DSDC Comments*
Calgary	290010	590010	990010	ash	NCS S 8505-R80B	4	1b	
	290026	590026		linen	NCS S 8005-R80B	16	X	
	290002	590002	990002	grey	NCS S 8000-N	8	X	
	290012	590012	990012	cement	NCS S 7000-N	13	2	
	290011	590011		quartz	NCS S 5005-Y20R	28	X	
	290023	590023		expresso	NCS S 7010-Y50R	15	X	
	290007	590007		suede	NCS S 5020-Y30R	23	X	
	290006	590006		sahara	NCS S 4020-Y30R	29	X	
	290014	590014		lime	NCS S 3050-G50Y	36	2	
	290008	590008		saffron	NCS S 3040-Y30R	28	X	
	290009	590009		moss	NCS S 6020-G10Y	13	X	
	290004	590004		menthol	NCS S 5020-B70G	17	2	
	290013	590013		caramel	NCS S 5020-Y30R	17	2	
	290015	590015		azure	NCS S 7020-R80B	4	1b	
	290025	590025		riviera	NCS S 8005-Y50R	20	X	
	290001	590001		sky	NCS S5020-R90B	15	X	
	290021	590021		aqua	NCS S3020-B10G	29	X	
	290022	590022		condor	NCS S6020-R70B	10	X	
	290017	590017		crystal	NCS S 5050-R30B	16	X	
	290019	590019	990019	carbon	NCS S 6502-B	18	X	
290005	590005		melon	NCS S 5040-Y60R	10	X		
290024	590024		fire	NCS S 3560-Y50R	11	X		

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Penang	482007	382007	982007	zinc	NCS S 7502-G	9	2	
	482037	382037	982037	grey	NCS S 7502-B	10	X	
	482005	382005		smoke	NCS S 6005-R80B	14	1b	
	482018	382018		bamboo	NCS S 5010-Y30R	21	2	
	482001	382001		anthracite	NCS S 9000-N	3	1a	
	482020	382020	982020	shale	NCS S 7005-Y80R	10	2	
	482031	382031	982031	ash	NCS S 8505-R80B	5	1b	
	482004	382004	982004	mercury	NCS S 5502-B	10	2	
	482075	382075		flax	NCS S 6020-Y10R	15	2	
	482006	382006		sage	NCS S 3020-G50Y	35	1b	
	482010	382010		evergreen	NCS S 5540-G20Y	7	1b	
	482016	382016		coral	NCS S 5020-Y90R	16	2	
	482015	382015		beige	NCS S 6020-Y30R	12	2	
	482011	382011		sapphire	NCS S 3050-R90B	17	1b	
	482116	382116		azure	NCS S 7020-R80B	4	1b	
	482026	382026		neptune	NCS S 3560-R80B	10	1b	
	482017	382017	982017	nimbus	NCS S 6005-R50B	14	2	
	482024	382024		purple	NCS S 6030-R60B	5	1b	
	480019	380019		ginger	NCS S 5030-Y40R	18	X	
	482023	382023		dusk	NCS S 7010-Y90R	8	1b	
482027	382027		orchid	NCS 5010-R50B	22	2		

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<b>Metro</b>	246008	546008	946039	anthracite	NCS S 9000-N	3	1b	
	246024	546024	946024	carbon	NCS S 8505-B20G	5	2	
	246007	546007	946007	ash	NCS S 9000-N	4	1b	
	246009	546009	946009	pepper	NCS S 8005-Y80R	9	X	
	246011	546011	946011	pebble	NCS S 7005-Y20R	14	X	
	246002	546002		tempest	NCS S 7020-B	7	X	
	246018	546018		mineral	NCS S 6010-B90G	15	X	
	246006	546006	946006	grey	NCS S 8502-B	8	X	
	246015	546015		cocoa	NCS S 8010-Y50R	7	X	
	246014	546014	946014	concrete	NCS S 8505-Y20R	4	X	
	246012	2546012		sand	NCS S 6020-G90Y	18	X	
	246021	546021		moss	NCS S 7020-G50Y	7	X	
	246036	546036		gold	NCS S 2040-Y20R - NCS S 2570-Y30R	30	X	
	246037	546037		apple	NCS S 4030-G10Y - NCS S 5030-G30Y	15	2	
	246013	546013		amber	NCS S 4040-Y	22	X	
	246022	546022		evergreen	NCS S 6530-G10Y	6	X	
	246019	546019	946019	citrus	NCS S 4040-G40Y	18	X	
	246028	546028		jade	NCS S 5030-B30G - NCS S 8005-B20G	7	X	
	246033	546033		emerald	NCS S 4040-B60G - NCS S 5040-B70G	11	2	

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Metro	246001	546001	946001	indigo	NCS S 8010-R70B	3	1b	
	246020	546020	946020	lagoon	NCS S 5040-R80B	10	X	
	246005	546005	946005	nimbus	NCS S 7005-R50B	13	X	
	246004	546004		gull	NCS S 6020-R90B	11	X	
	246032	546032	946032	petrol	NCS S 6030 B10G - NCS S 7020-B10G	4	2	
	246016	546016	946016	grape	NCS S-R50B	5	X	
	246027	546027		burgundy	NCS S 7010-R10B - NCS S 8502-R	2	X	
	246017	546017	946017	berry	NCS S 6030-R	5	X	
	246035	546035		pink	NCS S 3055-R30B - NCS S 4050-R20B	7	X	
	246030	546030		cinnamon	NCS S 7020-Y50R - NCS S 8505-Y80R	4	X	
	246025	546025	946025	tangerine	S 4550-Y40R / S 3560-Y50R	17	X	
	246010	546010		chocolate	NCS S 8505-Y80R	3	X	
	246031	546031		cherry	NCS S 2070-R - NCS S 5040-R	6	2	
	246026	546026	946026	red	S 4550-Y80R	9	2	
246029	546029		truffle	NCS S 5010-Y50R - NCS S 8005-Y50R	9	X		

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Canyon	445022	545022	945022	limestone	S 5502-B	17	2	Rated 2 due to contrast in tone between background & pattern. This makes the pattern more noticeable.
	445020	545020	945020	pumice	S 7502-B	8	1b	Rated 1b as contrast in tone between background & pattern is minimal.
	445019	545019	945019	slate	S 8502-B	4	1b	Rated 1b as contrast in tone between background & pattern is minimal.
	445021	545021	945021	stone	S 6005-R80B	13	2	Rated 2 due to contrast in tone between background & pattern. This makes the pattern more noticeable.
	445023	545023		linen	S 6502-R	17	1b	Rated 1b as contrast in tone between background & pattern is minimal.
	445024	545024		cloud	S 5010-R70B	24	1b	Rated 1b as contrast in tone between background & pattern is minimal.
	445029	545029		seafoam	S 7010-B30G	11	2	Rated 2 due to contrast in tone between background & pattern. This makes the pattern more noticeable.
	445028	545028		sapphire	S 5020-R80B	15	2	Rated 2 due to contrast in tone between background & pattern. This makes the pattern more noticeable.
	445030	545030		sulphur	S 3030-Y10R	31	1b	Rated 1b as contrast in tone between background & pattern is minimal.
	445027	545027		kelp	S 4040-G50Y	19	1b	Rated 1b as contrast in tone between background & pattern is minimal.
	445025	545025		earth	S 6005-Y50R	16	2	Rated 2 due to contrast in tone between background & pattern. This makes the pattern more noticeable.
445026	545026		garnet	S 7010-Y90R	7	1b	Rated 1b as contrast in tone between background & pattern is minimal.	

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<b>Savannah</b>			911004	charcoal	S 7502-Y	10	2	Rated 1b as contrast in tone between background & pattern is minimal.
			911002	cement	S 6502-G	12	2	Rated 1b as contrast in tone between background & pattern is minimal.
			911001	pearl	S 5502-G	19	2	Rated 1b as contrast in tone between background & pattern is minimal.
			911003	almond	S 5005-Y50R	18	2	Rated 1b as contrast in tone between background & pattern is minimal.
			911005	walnut	S 8005-Y50R	6	1b	Rated 1b as pattern is familiar and looks similar to straight-cut woodgrain. Contrast in tone between background & pattern is minimal.
			911006	liquorice	S 8005-Y20R	5	1b	Rated 1b as pattern is familiar and looks similar to straight-cut woodgrain. Contrast in tone between background & pattern is minimal.

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<b>Flotex Naturals</b>	10035			distressed oak	19	2	Rated 2 due to visible knots.
	10036			American oak	20	1b	Rated 1b due to very subtle knots compared to most other timber effects in the next category with a 2 rating.
	10037			blackened oak	7	2	Rated 2 due to variation in planks which creates a block effect.
	10038			white oak	30	1b	Rated 1b as relatively subtle due to low contrast in pattern.
	10039			european white wood	23	2	Rated 2 due to distressed pattern & many knots.
	10040			antique pine	12	2	Rated 2 due to distressed pattern & many knots.
	10041			smoked beech	28	2	Rated 2 due to variation in planks which creates a block effect.
	10042			steamed beech	26	2	Rated 2 due to variation in planks which creates a block effect.
	10055			chestnut	9	2	Rated 2 due to knots & variation in planks which creates a block effect.
	10058			titanium oak	26	2	Rated 2 due to small knots.
	10071			summer chevron	18	X	Rated unsuitable due to directional nature of chevron layout.
	10072			autumn chevron	6	X	Rated unsuitable due to directional nature of chevron layout.
	10073			heritage plank	14	2	Rated 2 due to knots.
	10074			shadow plank	8	2	Rated 2 due to tonal variation & figuration which could create a striped effect.
	10075			warm oak	15	2	Rated 2 due to knots & variation in planks which creates a block effect.
	10076			limed wood	25	1b	Rated 1b as colour variation is minimal & pattern more subtle.
	10077			smoked walnut	9	X	Rated unsuitable due to significant block pattern created by variation in planks.
	10078			shaded oak	21	2	Rated 2 due to visible knots.
	10079			Hungarian point grey	20	X	Rated unsuitable due to directional nature of chevron layout.
	10080			Hungarian point	14	X	Rated unsuitable due to directional nature of chevron layout.

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<b>Cirrus</b>		t570003		sisal	NCS S 6020-Y80R - NCS S 6005-Y20R - NCS S 4005-Y20R	14	X	Range not accredited
		t570004		fossil	NCS S 6502-Y - NCS S 5020-G70Y - NCS S 5005-Y20R	14	X	
		t570005		sapphire	NCS S 6020-B - NCS S 5030-B - NCS S 4010-R90B	14	X	
		t570006		ruby	NCS S 6502-B - NCS S 8502-B - NCS S 6010-Y30R	12	X	
		t570007		mint	NCS S 8502-B - NCS S 5030-B30G - NCS S 7502-B	10	X	
		t570008		onyx	NCS S 8505-R80B - NCS S 6020-B - NCS S 7502-B	11	X	
		t570014		eclipse	NCS S 5502-B - NCS S 8502-B - NCS S 5030-R90B	11	X	
		t570015		storm	NCS S 5005-R80B - NCS S 7502-G - NCS S 8502-G	9	X	



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<b>Stratus</b>		t540003		sisal	NCS S 6010-Y30R	15	X	Range not accredited
		t540004		fossil	NCS S 7005-G80Y	13	X	
		t540005		sapphire	NCS S 6020-B	12	X	
		t540006		ruby	NCS S 7500-N	9	X	
		t540007		mint	NCS S 7502-B	9	X	
		t540008		onyx	NCS 7502-B	10	X	
		t540014		eclipse	NCS S 7502-B	10	X	
		t540015		storm	NCS S 7502-B	10	X	
<b>Integrity<sup>2</sup></b>		t350001		grey	NCS S 6502-B - NCS S 8502-B	8	X	Range not accredited
		t350002		steel	NCS S 5502-B - NCS S 8010-B10G	4	X	
		t350003		charcoal	NCS S 4502-G - NCS S 8500-N	8	X	
		t350004		navy	NCS S 6502-R - NCS S 8505-R80B	3	X	
		t350006		marine	NCS S 5020-B10G - NCS S 8505-B20G	7	X	
		t350009		taupe	NCS S 5010-Y30R - NCS S 8502-Y	12	X	
		t350011		leaf	NCS S 2005-Y - NCS S 7020-Y	19	X	
		t350012		granite	NCS S 3502-B - NCS S 8500-N	8	X	

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<b>Complexity</b>		t550001		grey	NCS S 6020-B - NCS S 6010-R70B	9	X	Range not accredited
		t550003		charcoal	NCS S 6020-B30G - NCS S 7502-B	10	X	
		t550004		navy	NCS S 6020-G70Y - NCS S 7502-R	8	X	
		t550006		marine	NCS S 7020-R10B - NCS S 7502-B	7	X	
		t550007		blue	NCS S 6020-B30G - NCS S 5502-R	11	X	
		t550010		straw	NCS S 5020-Y40R - NCS S 4020-G70Y	18	X	

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<b>Triad</b>			131001	red	NCS S 4040-R	8	X	Entire range not suitable for use
			131002	blue	NCS S 6020-R90B	7	X	
			131003	green	NCS S 6020-G50Y	10	X	
			131004	amber	NCS S 6020-Y10R	12	X	
			131005	platinum	NCS S 7502-G	9	X	
			131006	silver	NCS S 7502-G	8	X	
			131007	steel	NCS S 7502-G	9	X	
			131008	shadow	NCS S 7005-B20G	6	X	
			131009	bronze	NCS S 7010-Y30R	6	X	
			131010	taupe	NCS S 6502-Y	11	X	
			131011	redline	NCS S 7502-G	9	X	
			131012	blueline	NCS S 7502-G	8	X	
			131013	greenline	NCS S 7502-G	8	X	
			131014	amberline	NCS S 7502-G	8	2	
			131015	stone	NCS S 5005-G80Y	18	X	
			131016	mint	NCS S 6005-G20Y	12	X	
			131017	anthracite	NCS S 8000-N	5	X	
			131018	navy	NCS S 8005-R80B	4	X	

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<b>Box Cross</b>			133001	amber	S 5040-Y30R	11	x	Entire range not suitable for use
			133002	pearl	S 3502-B	25	x	
			133003	ocean	S 7020-B	6	x	
			133004	biscuit	S 6005-Y20R	20	x	
			133005	linen	S 6010-G50Y	20	x	
			133006	lagoon	S 6030-R80B	5	x	
			133007	granite	S 7502-G	7	x	
			133008	blueberry	S8010-R90B	4	x	
			133009	petrol	S 7020-B10G	7	x	
			133010	seal	S 8005-G50Y	7	x	
			133011	anthracite	S 8502-B	4	x	
			133012	purple	S 7020-R50B	4	x	
			133013	mulberry	S 7020-R40B	4	x	
			133014	forest	S 8010-B90G	7	x	
			133015	gold	S 6030-G70Y	17	x	
<b>Lava</b>			145002	Tambora	S 6502-G	18	1b	
			145011	Krakatoa	S 8005-B80G	7	2	
			145015	Fayal	S 5040-R40B	4	2	
			145018	Malos	S 4040-G50Y	18	1b	
			145009	Trident	S 7020-R80B	5	2	Rated 2 due to the contrast being higher than in other colours
			145004	Agua	S 5040-R60B	5	2	
			145007	Pinatubo	S 7005-G50Y	10	1b	

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<b>Lava</b>			145012	Vuisini	S 5040-G90Y	15	1b	
			145010	Thera	S 8502-Y	6	2	
			145001	Vesuvius	S 8505-B20G	5	2	
			145013	Elbrus	S 7020-Y50R	8	1b	
			145005	Madiera	S 7020-B10G	5	1b	
			145017	Fuji	S 6020-G50Y	16	1b	
			145008	Koro	S 5040-Y90R	8	1b	
			145006	Nikko	S 7020-G30Y	8	2	
			145014	Pelee	S 8005-R80B	5	2	
			145003	Etna	S 7010-G90Y	13	1b	
			145016	Ebeko	S 6010-G50Y	18	1b	
<b>Concrete</b>			139001	cloud	S 6005-G80Y	18	2	
			139002	thunder	S 7502-Y	11	X	Rated unsuitable as mottled effect too strong
			139003	smoke	S 6502-Y	16	X	Rated unsuitable as mottled effect too strong
			139004	storm	S 7502-Y	11	X	Rated unsuitable as mottled effect too strong

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<b>Seagrass</b>			111006	liquorice	NCS S 8005-Y80R	5	1b	Rated 1b as not completely plain
			111005	walnut	NCS S 7005-Y50R	8	1b	Rated 1b as not completely plain
			111004	charcoal	NCS S 7500-N	9	1b	Rated 1b as not completely plain
			111003	almond	NCS S 4502-Y	12	1b	Rated 1b as not completely plain
			111002	cement	NCS S 6502-G	13	1b	Rated 1b as not completely plain
			111001	pearl	NCS S 4502-G	26	1b	Rated 1b as not completely plain
<b>Wood</b>			151001	black wood	S 7502-G	8	2	Rated 2 due to stronger grain
			151002	grey wood	S 6502-B	13	1b	
			151003	silver wood	S 4502-B	31	1b	
			151006	antique wood	S 6020-G90Y	9	2	
			151004	American wood	S7010-Y70R	15	1b	
			151005	red wood	S 7010-Y30R	9	2	Rated 2 due to stronger contrasting grain

	<b>2016-074 FORBO FLOORING</b>	
	<b>DSDC RATING KEY</b>	
	<b>NOV-16</b>	
<b>*RATING</b>	<b>*RATING DESCRIPTION</b>	
<b>Class 1a</b>	<p>Flooring within this rating is plain and can be used indiscriminately. That said, bear in mind the need to contrast flooring and walls, skirtings, doors/frames, furniture and sanitary ware.</p> <p>Contrast is the key word.</p> <p>We recommend a minimum contrast of 30 units LRV (Light Reflectance Value) between the critical surfaces mentioned above.</p>	
<b>Class 1b</b>	<p>Flooring within this rating is semi-plain (minimal texture or fleck/pattern, wood effect with no knots) and in general, can be used throughout.</p> <p>Natural patterns such as timber and stone may be used in most areas due to their familiarity but with a degree of caution.</p> <p>Bear in mind minimum contrast of 30 units LRV (Light Reflectance Value) between the critical surfaces mentioned above.</p>	
<b>Class 2</b>	<p>Flooring within this rating has some pattern and needs to be used with caution. The natural patterns such as timber and stone in this range are more figured/patinated and although still familiar they need to be used with more caution than the above range.</p> <p>Bear in mind minimum contrast of 30 units LRV (Light Reflectance Value) between the critical surfaces mentioned above.</p>	

For an environment to be considered 'dementia-inclusive' or 'dementia-friendly', careful consideration must be given to the entire specification, not just the flooring.

As with many design features, individual needs and preferences should also be considered. What is fine for one person, may not be the case for another.

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