

Eternal de Luxe collection
LRV & DSDC product accreditation

Design	Colour number	Colour name	NCS	LRV Y (BS8493)	DSDC Rating*	DSDC Comments*
Eternal de luxe Decibel	3016	light honey oak	NCS S 3020-Y10R	36	2	
	3018	whitewashed oak	NCS S 3010-Y20R	37	2	Rated 2 due to groove lines
	3024	grey pine	NCS S 4005-Y50R	30	2	Rated 2 as some less visible knots
	3052	golden oak	NCS S 5010-Y10R	24	X	Rated unsuitable due to knots
	3066	mortar concrete	NCS S 4005-Y20R	34		Awaiting accreditation
	3092	bleached elegant oak	NCS S 4010-Y10R	32		Awaiting accreditation
	3093	warm elegant oak	NCS S 5020-Y10R	23		Awaiting accreditation
	3111	light neutral grey	NCS S 5000-N	25		Awaiting accreditation
	3117	white neutral grey	NCS S 4500-N	28		Awaiting accreditation
	3095	pale elegant oak	NCS S 4010-Y30R	35	n/a	Awaiting accreditation
	3023	greywashed oak	NCS S4005-Y20R	33	n/a	Awaiting Assessment
	3086	light soft timber	NCS S 3010-Y30R	37	n/a	Awaiting Assessment
	3087	natural soft timber	NCS S 3010-Y30R	32	n/a	Awaiting Assessment
	3089	warm soft timber	NCS S 5020-Y30R	18	n/a	Awaiting Assessment
	3034	clear oak	NCS S 3005-Y20R	42	n/a	Awaiting accreditation
	3036	natural oak	NCS S 4010-Y30R	35	n/a	Awaiting Assessment
	3028	warm oak	NCS S 5010-Y30R	23	n/a	Awaiting Assessment
	3054	greige concrete	NCS S 4005-Y20R	33	n/a	Awaiting Assessment
	3096	warm worn concrete	NCS S 3005-Y20R	36	n/a	Awaiting Assessment
	3097	grey worn concrete	NCS 4502-G	32	n/a	Awaiting Assessment

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	DSDC RATING KEY		
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*RATING	*RATING DESCRIPTION		
Class 1a	<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>		
Class 1b	<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>		
Class 2	<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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