










The purpose of this specification is to define indicating colors to be used on RF Code products, labels or literature, which indicate to the observer the general year of manufacture. RF Code will selectively begin to mark physical goods as necessary with these colors. This specification, along with a specific method, size and pattern of marking may be included in the Bill of Materials in an assembly.

Refer to the table below. For the year of manufacture, select the color whose year ends in the YEAR column. Drawing structures or Purchase Order instructions may override this specification. Repeat after 2025.

YEAR	REFERENCE	PANTONE	COLOR VALUES
2016 2026		White	
2017 2027		Pantone Yellow 012 C	<b>RGB</b> 255 215 0 <b>HEX/HTML</b> FFD700 <b>CMYK</b> 0 2 98 0
2018 2028		Pantone Rubine Red C	<b>RGB</b> 206 0 88 <b>HEX/HTML</b> CE0058 <b>CMYK</b> 0 100 22 3
2019 2029		Pantone Green C	<b>RGB</b> 0 171 132 <b>HEX/HTML</b> 00AB84 <b>CMYK</b> 93 0 63 0
2020 2030		Pantone Purple C	<b>RGB</b> 187 41 187 <b>HEX/HTML</b> BB29BB <b>CMYK</b> 40 90 0 0
2021 2031		Pantone Process Blue C	<b>RGB</b> 0 133 202 <b>HEX/HTML</b> 0085CA <b>CMYK</b> 100 15 0 6
2022 2032		Pantone Orange 021 C	<b>RGB</b> 254 80 0 <b>HEX/HTML</b> FE5000 <b>CMYK</b> 0 65 100 0
2023 2033		Pantone Brown C	<b>RGB</b> 139 99 75 <b>HEX/HTML</b> 8B634B <b>CMYK</b> 0 41 53 42

2024 2034	 PANTONE Cool Gray 8 C	Pantone Cool Grey 8 C	<b>RGB</b> 136 139 141 <b>HEX/HTML</b> 888B8D <b>CMYK</b> 44 34 29 10
2025 2035	 PANTONE 912 C	Pantone Pink 912 C	<b>RGB</b> 255 172 182 <b>HEX/HTML</b> FFACB6

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