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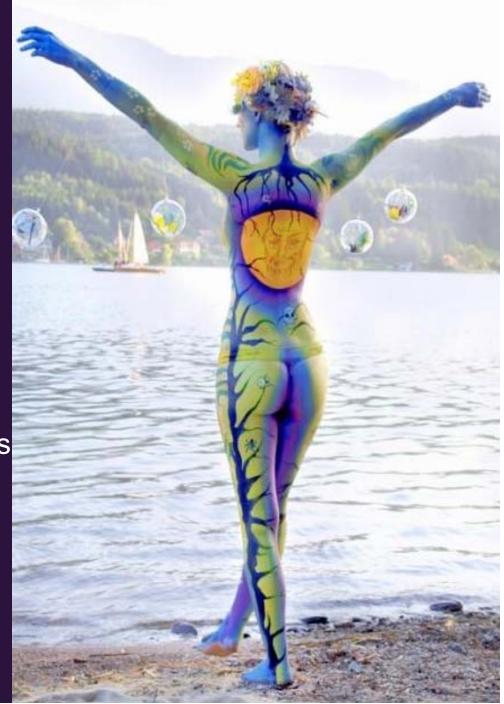
**Chancen und Risiken im modernen Farbmanagment** 

Chances and Risks in the modern Color Management

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## Color challenges

- + to find the right color
- + to communicate it
- + to match it in different materials
- + to dye them constantly

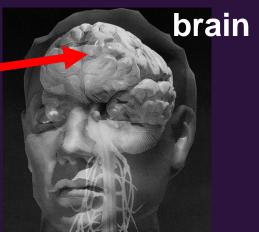




## Risk in Perception of Color











#### Human Eye

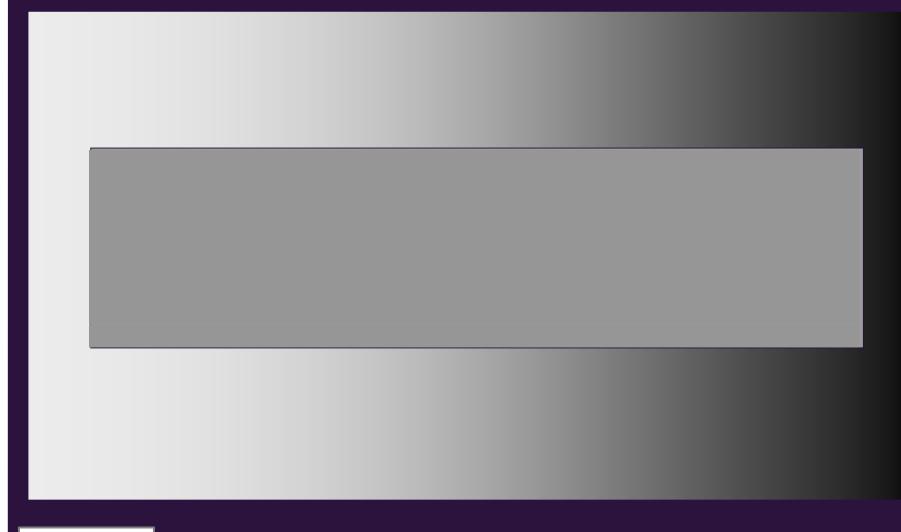


#### **Excellent Instrument**

#### Risks

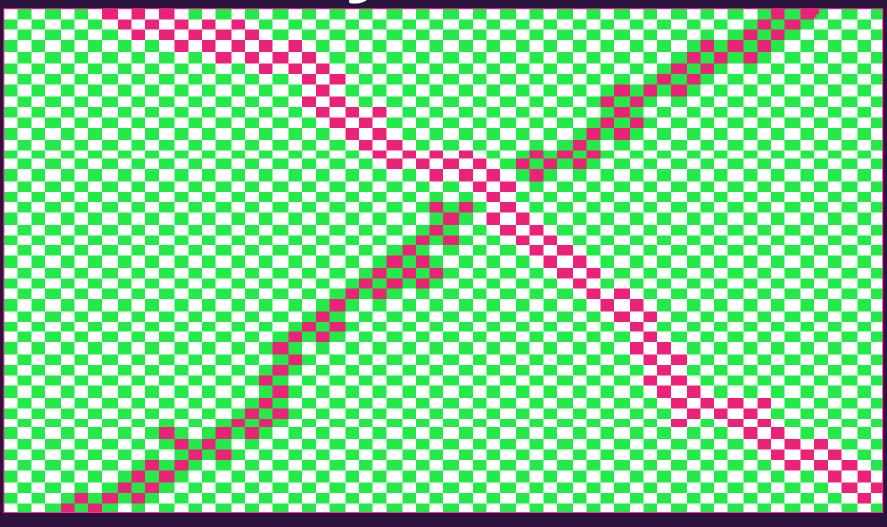
- No exact color memory
- Different perception from one person to another
- The eye can perceive up to 7-10 Million colors

#### Optical IIIusion





#### How Many colors?









#### PANTONE®

- + Founded 1962 by Lawrence Herbert in New Jersey
- Global leader in referencing colors across a big variety of industries
- + Acquired 2007 by X-Rite Inc., an American color measurement technology company

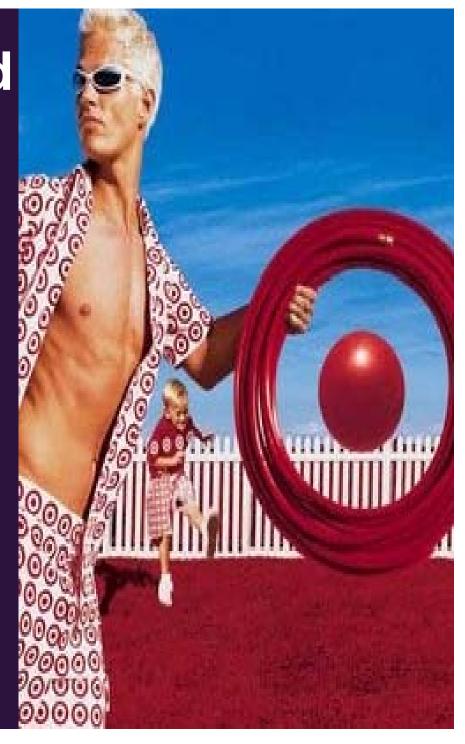




## Chances and Goals for a modern Color Management...

- + Faster and safer Color Communication
- Better match of colors in different materials
- + Improved Color Quality
- + Reduction of Costs and lead time





#### Some of the Customers of PANTONE® Fashion+Home











































# How many "hands" have a color to pass before it

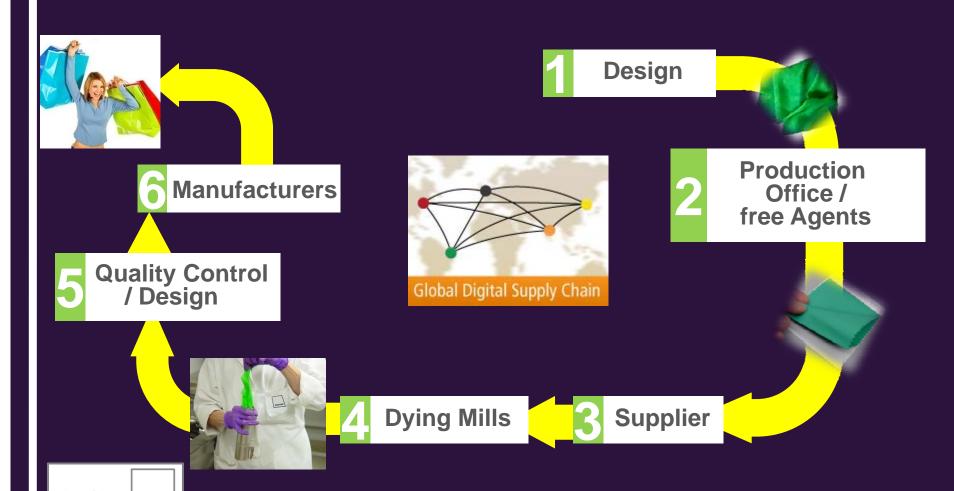
will be approved?





#### Global Ways of color

Every color has to pass 6 different steps and locations worldwide, before they are finally approved.



#### Risks...

- "Chinese Whisper": Loosing Information
- "Language of Color": Lab-Values for examples, use Spectral Data etc.
- Insufficient physical sample: Cut Swatch Cards, bought samples (cut T-Shirts)
- No Transparency, no Rules, no Control in Color Development Process



#### 3 Global Leader...

working since end of 2007 very close together and can offer you the perfect solution for your Color Management without making efforts in matching processes of different companies!



Color management and measurement technologies



Selection, referencing and communication of colors



Application specialist for color and textile effects



## Perfect COLOR MANAGEMENT

from design through production.



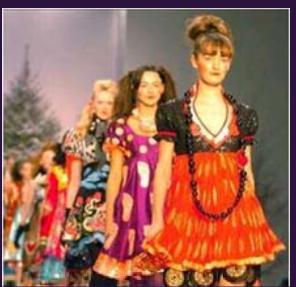


#### Pick up Color for Inspiration



Designer found a highly interested color on their trend search tour, on a catwalk show or in a magazine.

Instead of bying the articel only because of the color...









#### **Professional Color Selection**



The ColorMunki measure all colors from opaque materials in a high quality.

The benefit which ColorMunki gives you against the measurement by your eyes:

- Independence form Lightsources
- Indepentence on the subjective perception
- Real Spectrophotometer



ColorMunki-Software shows you the PANTONE Codes from every measured color.

Your Benefit:

- Safe Time!
- Software also shows HTML Codes (to program colors on Websites) CMYK Codes (this will be needed by your printer), Lab- and RGB-Codes.



ColorMunki-Software also calibrates the Screen and profiles the printer within a few minutes!

**COLORMUNKI DESIGN** 

Code: MEU 115

Price: 399 €



#### **Color Verification - FABRIC**



All Cotton Books will allow you to check the color appaerance of the selected PANTONE code in physical cotton swatche.

**COTTON PLANNER** 

Code: FFC105 Price: 795 €



All Cotton Books contain all 1.925 Colors in Cotton Chips in different size.
All colors have the suffix TCX (Textile on Cotton).

COTTON SELECTOR

Code: FFC 102 Price: 1.500 €



#### **Color Verification - FABRIC**



All Cotton Books will allow you to check the color appaerance of the selected PANTONE code in physical cotton swatche.

SWATCH FILE Code: FFC103 Price: 3.799 €



All Cotton Books contain all 1.925 Colors in Cotton Chips in different size.
All colors have the suffix TCX (Textile on Cotton).

SWATCH SET Code: FFC 106 Price: 2.999 €



#### Color Verification- Leather, Plastic, Ceramics etc.



All Paper Products helps you to find the physical sample in a guide or book with NITROCELLUSE LACQUE applied on paper.

COLOR GUIDE Code: FGP 100 Price: 165 €



Also all Paper products contain all 1.925 Colors in in different size. All colors have the suffix TPX (Textile colors on Paper).

SPECIFIER Code: FBP 100 Price: 375 €



## Risks in using wrong or old PANTONE tools...

- + Background (Paper) has been turned towards yellow
- Colors on Cotton has been destroyed by UV Light (not visible, only with a Spectrophotometer)
- No sufficient match between Colors on Paper (TPX) and any kind of fabric



#### TPX - TCX

There are two suffixes in the new Fashion + Home-System (old system TP-suffix):

TPX means Textile Color on Paper

TCX means Textile Color on Cotton

Example: 17-16 64 TPX



#### Differences between Paper and Cotton



TPX CMYK-Value: 15, 80, 76, 4

TCX CMYK-Value: 16, 81, 81, 4



### Chances for Cross References...

Colors in Cotton...



Colors in Paper...

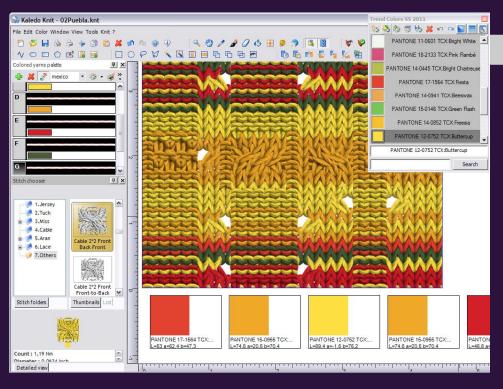


and Colors in Plastic...





### Chances to export Color to Software



All important Software companies allow to important PANTONE colors or have it already listed in their system.













## Everbody speaks "PANTONE®"!

All important Trend Forecast Companies reference their colors with PANTONE®!









THE FUTURE OF YOUR CREATIONS







## Chances for your Global Color Communication



The only PANTONE® Tool with a 100% guarantee for a color standard less then 0,5 Delta E.

The only PANTONE® Tool which have to be used for visible QUALITY CONTROL checks and for the COMMUNICATION with GLOBAL SUPPLIERS.



## Your Chances in working with the SWATCH Card

- All colors have been reformulated for optimum commercial reproduction.
- Optimized Color Constancy. Constancy refers
  to how the color matches itself when lighting
  conditions change.
   First light source is D65, second CWL (similar
  to TL 84).
- + SWATCH CARDS will be available in 102 countries worldwide!



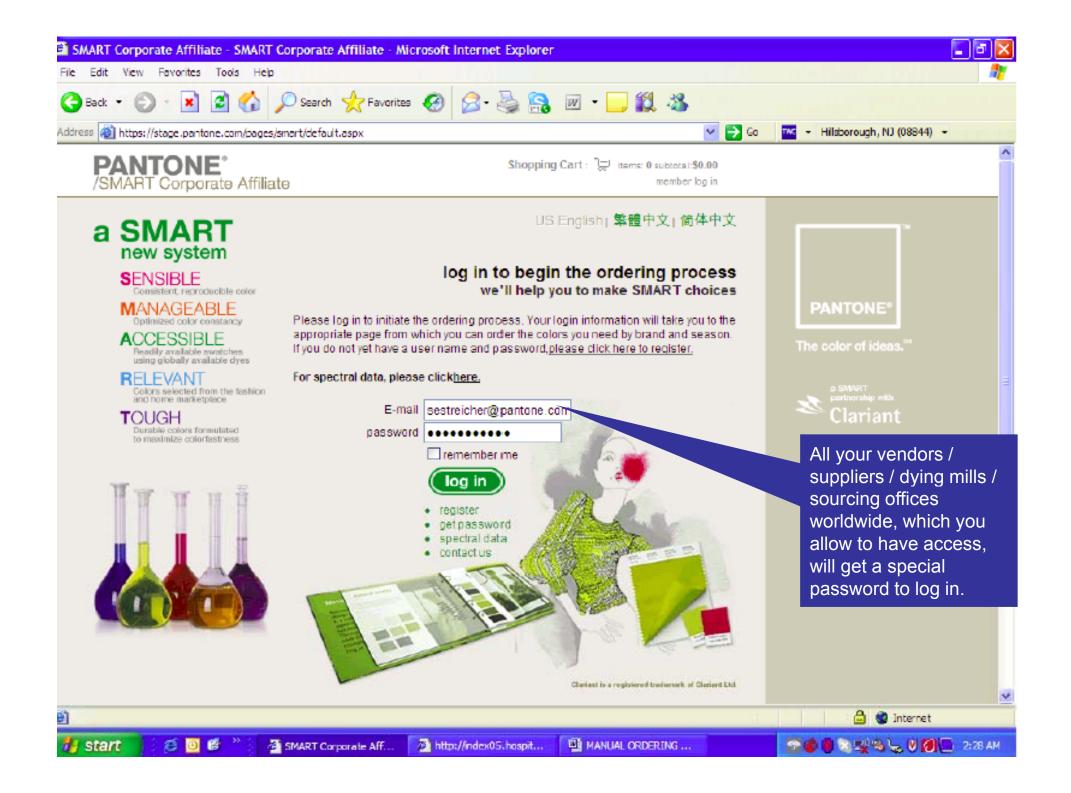


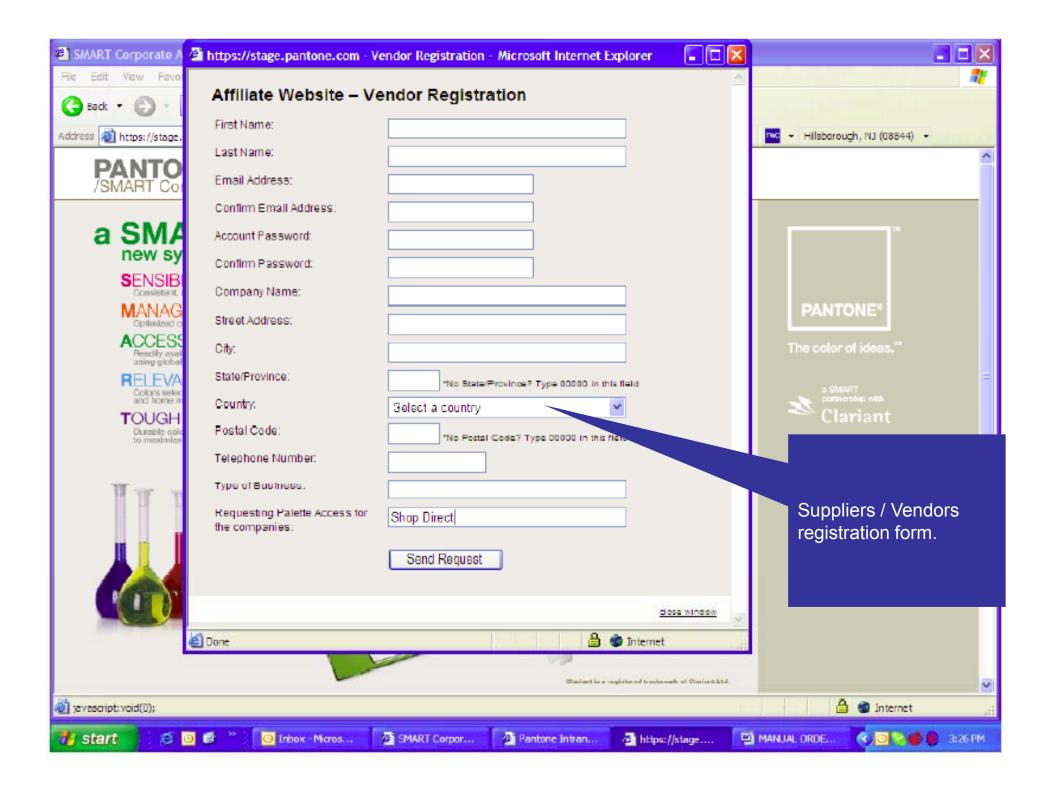


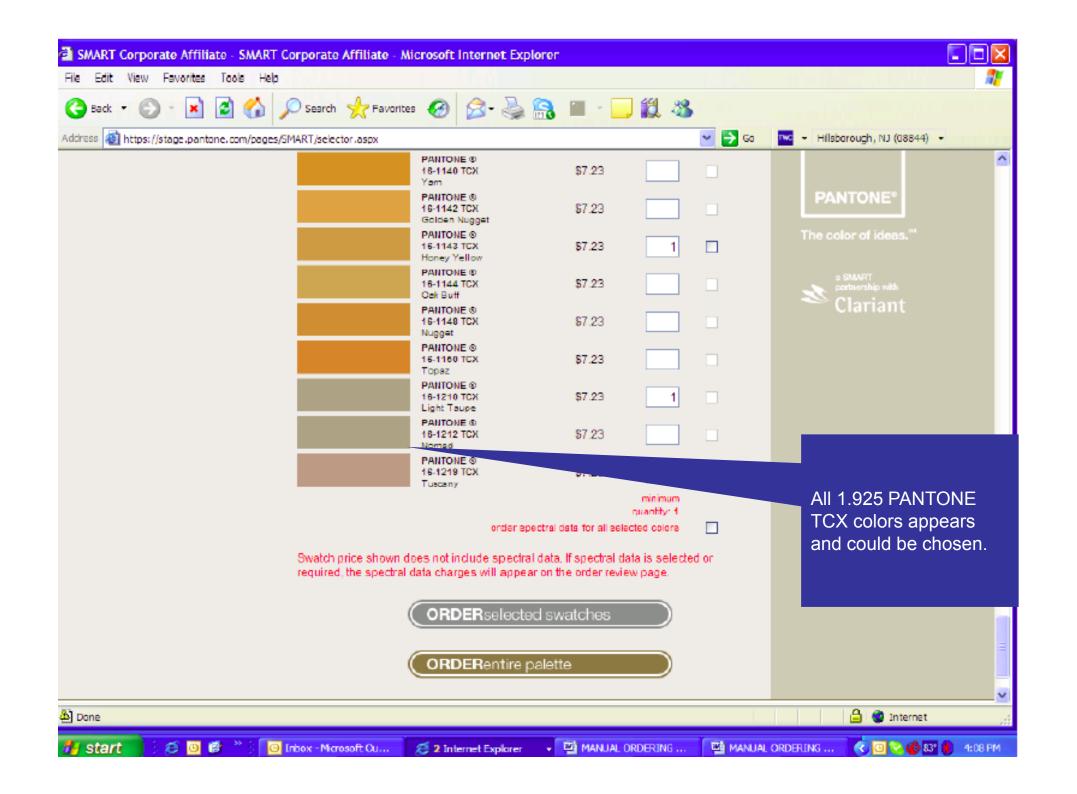
## How to order SWATCH CARDS worldwide easy: Affiliate Website

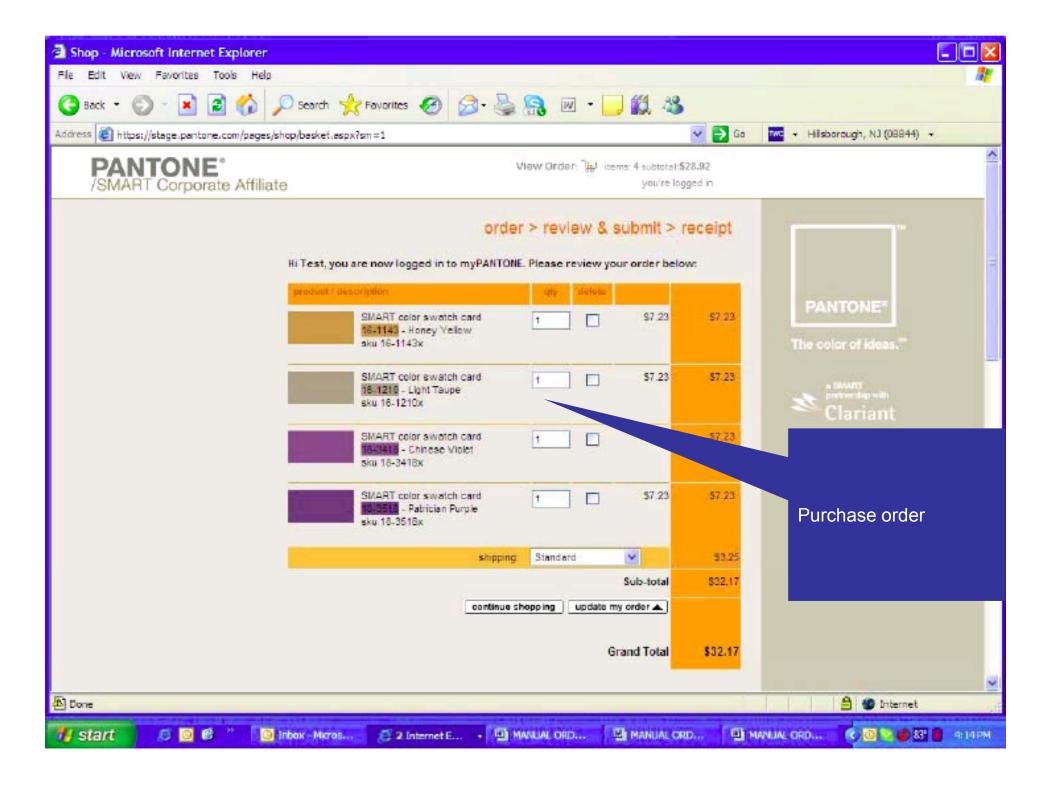
- + Internally information-homepage Controlling instrument
- + Access for all buying-departments, manufacturers, dyeing mills etc.
- + Track your global quantities









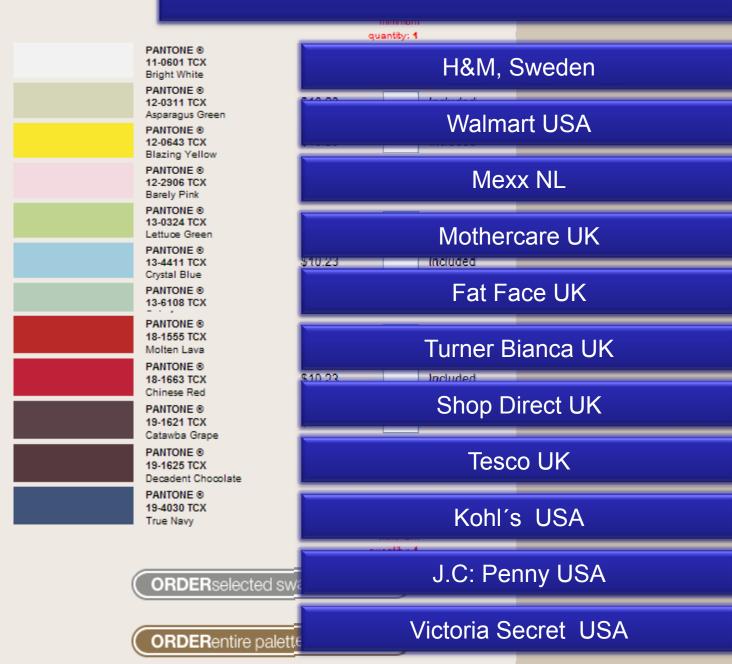




#### **PURCHASE S**

SMART color swatch and

#### Some customers, who use already this service:



# Chances in the Color Development Process

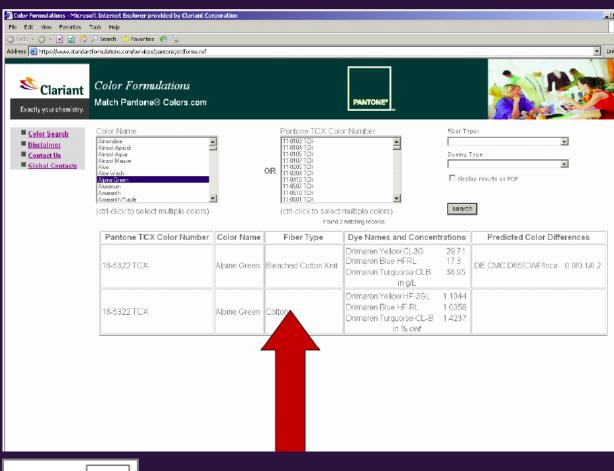
- + www.matchpantonecolors.com
- + After purchasing one PANTONE® product, you will get all Recipes for Cotton, Nylon and Polyester through the Clariant website free of charge.





### www.matchpantonecolors.com

### Clariant Recipes



2.200 customers worldwide use already this service free of charge.



# Calculation of cost for developing a color

- 1 lab dip cost your dyeing mill about 50 USD
- for difficult colors your dyeing mill has to be develop sometimes 5-10 lab dips (up to 500 USD per color standard)
- with Recipes you need mostly 1-2 lab dips to match the original color (up to 100 USD per color standard)



### Rate of Lab Acceptance

PANTONE® classification WITHOUT recipes

PANTONE® classification **WITH** recipes

First Lab Dip Acceptance 30%

First Lab Dip
Acceptance

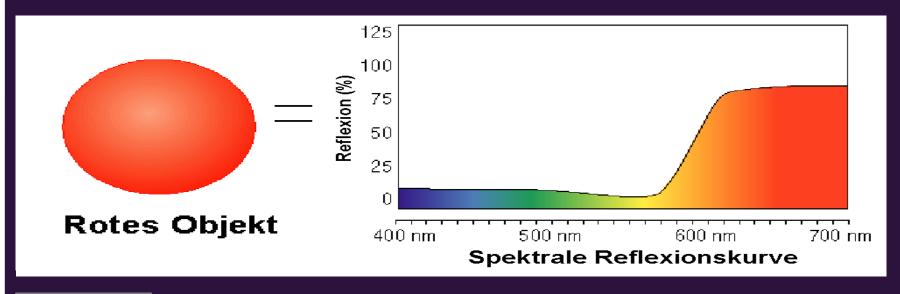
80%





## Chances in Color Checks with Spectral Data

Spectral Data are Colors expressed by numbers listed in a row. The most popular formats are QTX (Datacolor) and CXF (X-rite).





# Chance: Using the right light sources

Recommendation:

First Light Source: D65

(Nordern Day Light)

Second Light Source: TL 84 (Fluorescent Light Source like in Stores).







### Chance: Educate your Suppliers Age of the suppliers

- Cost and Handling transparency for dyeing process (PANTONE Questionaire)
- + Educate your suppliers
   with the support of the
   PANTONE Asian Offices

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# Chance: Set up a Color Management Manual

+ Fix regulations for all your dyeing mills and suppliers

Specification of (for example)

- + Definition of the Light Sources
- + Sizes and Fabric of Lap Dips
- + Definition of Spectrophotometer
- + Acceptable ΔE Difference

PANTONE Service: We support you to develop it!





# Chance: Customized Color Cards



geschnitten in Streifen / 2Stk. loses, doppellagiges Gewebe (5 x 11 cm pro Streifen) 10,35 €(Netto), 12,32 €(Brutto)



geschnitten in Streifen / 4Stk. loses, doppellagiges Gewebe (2,5 x 11 cm pro Streifen) 10,35 €(Netto), 12,32 €(Brutto)



geschnitten in Minis / 2Stk. loses, doppellagiges Gewebe (5 x 5 cm pro Mini) 10,35 €(Netto), 12,32 €(Brutto)



### geschnitten in 16 adhäsive Chips

Stoff einlagig kaschiert\* auf starkem Papier (Chipgröße 4,5 cm x 2,0 cm) 16,95 €(Netto), 20,17 €(Brutto)



### geschnitten in 24 adhäsive Chips

Stoff einlagig kaschiert\* auf starkem Papier (Chipgröße 4,5 cm x 1,5 cm) 16,95 €(Netto), 20,17 €(Brutto)



### **Chance:**

# Customized Colors

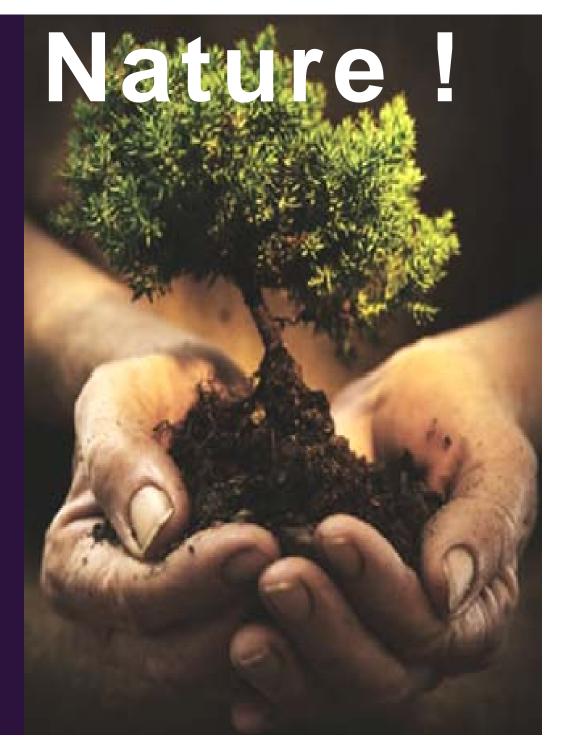
+ Development of customized colors looks alike a PANTONE® Swatch Card, including Recipe and Spectra Data.





### Protecting

- + New dyestuff technology allows the dyeing cycles to be shorter, meaning less water and energy are used.
- + Most of the F+H colors have formulations which meet the GOTS (Global Organic Textile Standard) and qualify for the production of organic cotton.





# Mahatma Gandhi:

"If you have continue doing something now for 2 years, check it carefully!

If you have continue doing something now for 5 years, check it sceptically!

If you have continue doing something now for 10 years, CHANGE IT!



