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# INDUSTRIAL WOOD COLORMIX<sup>®</sup> FORECAST 2022

MODE – defined by Method, Opus, Dreamland and Ephemera – is a direct reflection of the times, both current and forthcoming. Ever evolving and customizable to new styles, it embraces growth and adaptability in our spaces. MODE delivers the striking colors and finishes that will guide new product development and emerging styles in the industry. Curated into four unique collections, we've forecasted how 24 trending finishes will inspire wood product manufacturers in the coming years. When explored through custom color development and proprietary finishes, MODE brings endless possibilities.

Bringing nature indoors, MODE harmonizes wood finish trends that are fluid yet grounding. The Method, Opus, Dreamland and Ephemera collections present trending finishes that highlight the innate beauty of wood to transform spaces.

The textured elements, calming tones and nostalgic influences of MODE have been curated by our team at the Global Color & Design Center to bring refreshing individuality to every product design. As homeowners and business owners refine their spaces, manufacturers in all areas – from flooring and building products, to furniture and kitchen cabinets - are tasked to create products that fit cohesively into those designs. Explore the finishes of MODE to guide and inspire your product development.

Lauren West, Global Color and Design Director, Sherwin-Williams Industrial Wood Coatings Division

Stay well,



# method

the natural order of things

The Method collection — immersed in organic neutrals — brings soft tonal luxury to product designs. Grounded layers that whisper "barely there" finishes paired with refined woodgrain accents feel rooted in nature. Bleached tones are reminiscent of sunbaked driftwood, providing understated texture that is well-worn and familiar. This palette's earthiness and rich warmth results in pieces that balance a polished look with rustic authenticity.















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## method

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influences



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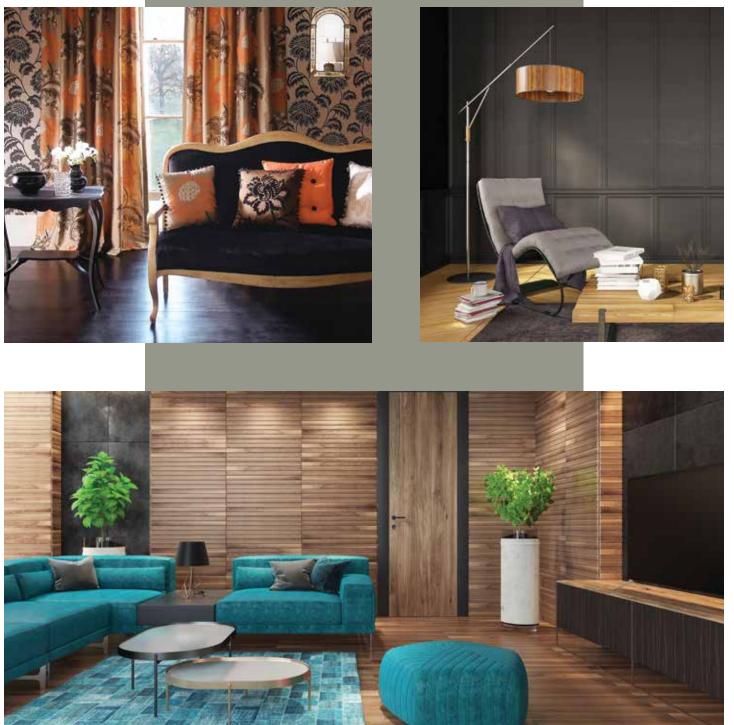
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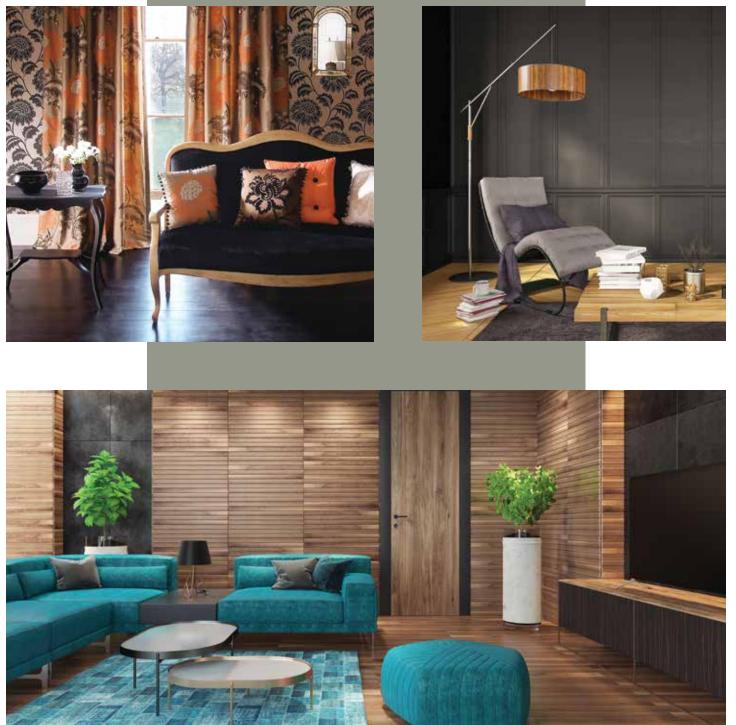
Dramatic depth reminds us of maximalist fundamentals – proving that more is more. In the Opus collection, dark foundations lead to eclectic, luxurious designs.

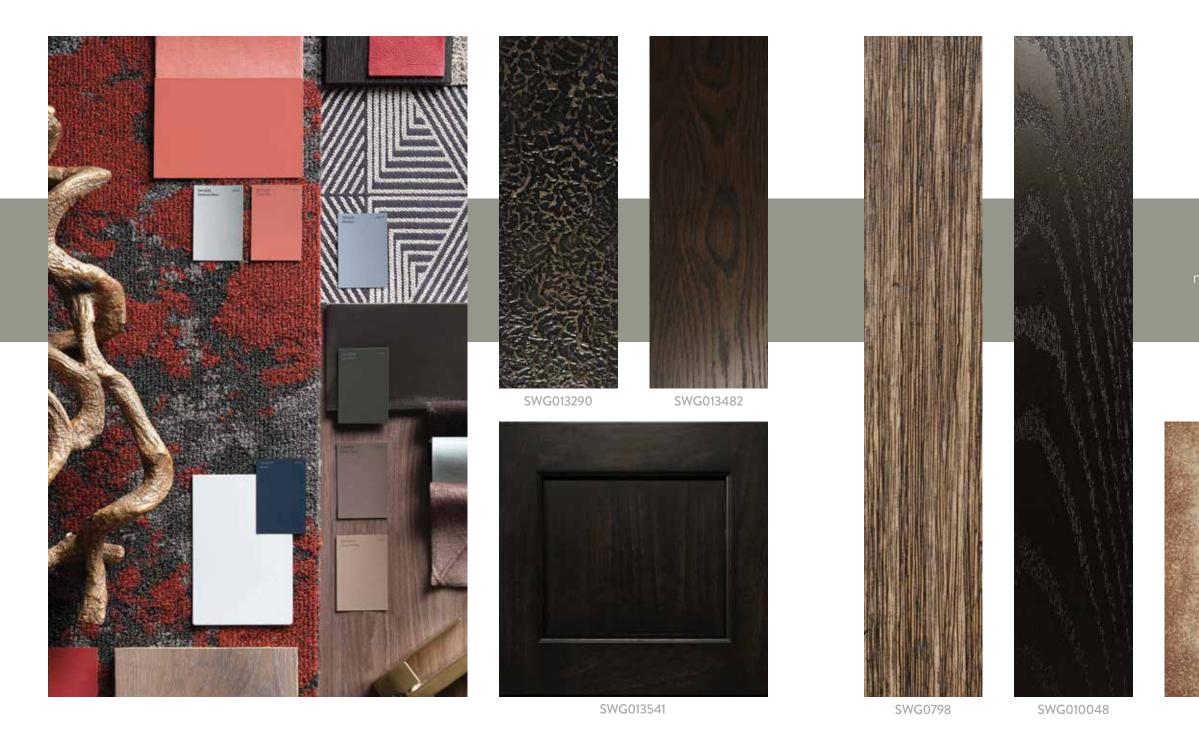
Charred and distressed finishes and unexpected accents highlight pieces with a subtle and natural charm. The innate beauty of wood shines through these dark chocolaty browns and matte blacks, resulting in spaces where dark and natural elements complement each other.











### ODUS bold statements simplified

### influences









## dreamland

### washed styles and wellness

Sophisticated and jovial, the Dreamland collection nurtures renewal and wellness. Bleached styles lend a pearlescent shimmer to woodgrain, leaning into misty metallics that bring additional simplicity to Scandinavian-inspired finishes. Grounding in the natural beauty of wood, warmer blonde finishes join the trusted, soft grays to create ethereal finishes.







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# dreamland

washed styles and wellness

### influences



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### ephemera new takes on the classics

Hailing from fondly remembered midcentury modern interiors, the rich finishes that define the Ephemera collection are playful yet contemplative. Undertones of orange, yellow and red step aside for nostalgic browns, to revive the historical essence of luxury found in wood pieces. Solid foundations pair with refined woodgrain to redefine past styles in timeless finishes.



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### influences

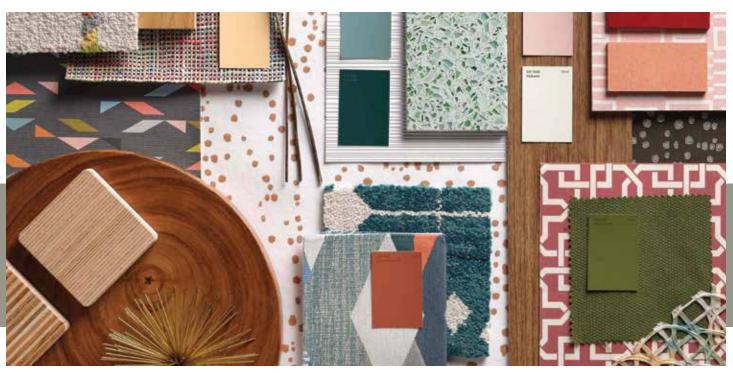
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### method the natural order of things









### OPUS bold statements simplified



















dreamland washed styles and wellness









### ephemera

#### new takes on the classics











## 2022 COLOR OF THE YEAR evergreen fog SW 9130 | 215-C4

Evergreen Fog, our 2022 Color of the Year, exhales nature into product design, and its green, biophilic influences set the tone for a year of growth. This color is soft and organic, which allows it to easily evolve into a wood stain across both interior and exterior design. A welcome offering to flooring, kitchen and bath, furniture, architectural building products, and millwork, Evergreen Fog balances a variety of versatile and sophisticated stains for refreshing, restorative designs.

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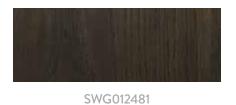


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### method



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### opus

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2021 Color of the Year Urbane Bronze SW 7048 **2022 Color of the Year** Evergreen Fog SW 9130