

Dyeing with Lanaset

Stove Top Method

(Using an enamel or stainless steel dyepot)

ADDITIONS TO DYEBATH

Lanaset Dyes

Citric acid or distilled white vinegar

(Acid Component)

Glaubers salts

(Levelling Agent)

DIRECTIONS:

**These directions are based on dyeing 500gms
(1lb 1.5oz) of fibre or fabric**

1. Wet fibre thoroughly in warm water using a little kitchen detergent.
2. Measure dye (using recommended rates below) and dissolve with boiling water in a container and stir.
3. Fill dyebath with 10 litres (2.5 gallons) of water and gradually heat dyebath to simmer.
4. Add to dyebath 35g citric acid, 20g glaubers salts, stir until dissolved. Then add the dye with the dye auxiliaries and stir. (if replacing citric acid with vinegar, add 200mls vinegar to dyebath).
5. Add fibre to the dyebath, make sure it is well covered with water and gently stir so dye penetrates fibre.
6. Soak fibre for 10-15 minutes before raising temperature to boiling.
7. Hold temperature at boiling for 15-20 minutes. PLEASE NOTE: silk dyes deeper at lower temperatures and wool, alpaca, mohair and angora at higher temperatures so keep silk no higher than 80° C (176 F)
8. When this is completed, remove fibre, wash in warm water and air dry.

Recommended Dye Quantities based on dyeing 500gm (1lb 1.5oz fibre)		
Light Shade	Medium Shade	Deep Shade
1-2 grams	4-5 grams	10-15 grams

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