Holbein Paste Pigments

Holbein Paste Pigments contain pure color pigments suspended in a base of water, wetting agent and dispersant. There are no fillers, binders (such as gum arabic) or toxic chemicals.

Because the colors are so intense, a very small amount of paste pigment goes a surprisingly long way. Mix a few drops with water until the desired

tint is reached. Water also makes paste pigments more transparent. For darker tints, add Black Paste Pigment or bokuju (liquid sumi ink) one drop at a time.

Once Holbein Paste Pigments are completely dry, the ink is **non-reversible**. Store in air-tight containers and only mix as much as you need for the current project. Clean brushes immediately after printing.

Colors are approximate, use as a guide only

Carbon Black, PBk7 ****	Shadow Green, PBk31 ***	Dioxazine Violet, PV23 ***
Titanium White, PW6 ****	Oxide of Chromium, PG17 ****	Hansa Yellow Light, PY3 **
Phthalo Blue, PB15 ***	Pyrrole Orange, PO73 ***	Imidazolone Yellow, PY154 ***
Indanthrene Blue,PB60 ***	Naphthol Red Deep, PR146 **	Isoindolinone Yellow, PY110 ***
Ultramarine Blue, PB29 ****	Pyrrole Red, PR254 ***	Yellow Ochre, PY43 ****
Cobalt Blue, PB28 ****	Red Ochre, PR101 ****	Imidazolone Brown, PBr25 ***
Phthalo Green, PG7 ***	Quinacridone Magenta, PR122 ***	

Lightfastness varies depending on the pigment

- ** indicates lightfastness of 60 years before a shift in color can be detected
- *** indicates lightfastness of 90 years
- **** indicates a permanent color

