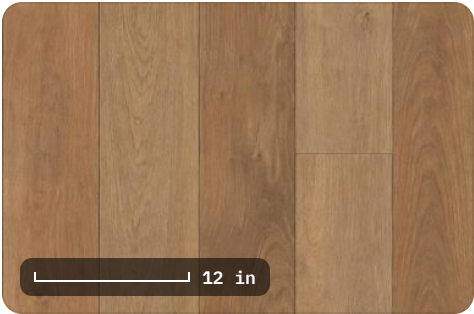


Barrel in a warm modern room

Barrel, from the Anderson Tuftex Brasilia line, is a mid dark brazilian oak hardwood with a golden undertone (measured from its own picture: LRV 22). Here it is with Dover White walls, Alabaster trim and Cascades as the deep note, chosen by the numbers.



THE PALETTE

THE FLOOR	WALLS	TRIM	DEEP NOTE	WOOD
Barrel LRV 22	Dover White Sherwin-Williams SW 6385 LRV 82.5	Alabaster Sherwin-Williams SW 7008 LRV 82.2	Cascades Sherwin-Williams SW 7623 LRV 4.2	A charcoal wood Like our Heritage Brown stain sample

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Barrel
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WALLS, TRIM AND CABINETS



WALLS

Dover White

Sherwin-Williams SW 6385 · LRV 82.5 · +61 from the floor
A soft neutral with a touch of warmth (hue 93°), so Barrel stays golden without turning yellow.



OR WALLS

Revere Pewter

Benjamin Moore HC-172 · LRV 55.1 · +33 from the floor
A soft neutral with a touch of warmth (hue 95°), so Barrel stays golden without turning yellow.



TRIM AND CEILINGS

Alabaster

Sherwin-Williams SW 7008 · LRV 82.2 · +60 from the floor
60 points over Barrel in LRV and warm enough (chroma 5.3) to read white, not blue, beside its golden undertone.



THE DEEP NOTE

Cascades

Sherwin-Williams SW 7623 · LRV 4.2 · -18 from the floor
Deep and cool, about 130° around the color wheel from Barrel and 18 points darker in LRV, so each makes the other look richer.

Lower cabinets or an island in Cascades, uppers and trim in Alabaster.
The floor at LRV 22 sits between the two (4 and 82).

THE FLOOR, MEASURED

LRV	LIGHTNESS L*	UNDERTONE	HUE
22	54	Golden	68°

A golden undertone, warm without leaning red. LRV is light reflectance value: 0 is black, 100 is white. A wall within 30 points of the floor blurs into it (BS 8300).

Barrel is lighter than 55 percent of the 1,744 hardwood floors we carry, measured the same way, and warmer than 72 percent of them.

WOOD, RUGS AND METALS

**A step darker: a charcoal wood**

About 19 points darker than Barrel in L* (35 against 54), far enough to read as a choice. Like our Heritage Brown stain sample.

**A step lighter: a pale, bleached wood**

About 18 points lighter than Barrel in L* (72 against 54). Like our Country White stain sample.

**Tone on tone: oatmeal**

12 in chroma, half the warmth of Barrel (27), and 28 points lighter in L*.

**Across the wheel: graphite**

Hue 248°, straight across the color wheel from the 68° of Barrel, softened to balance it.

**Grounding: chocolate**

A deep note at L* 24, 30 points from the 54 of Barrel, so a rug keeps its edge.

**Aged brass**

A warm metal that agrees with the golden undertone of Barrel (hue 68°).

**Unlacquered brass**

Left unsealed, it darkens with handling to a softer warm tone beside Dover White walls.

**Matte black**

Black works with every undertone; beside Barrel at LRV 22 it gives the room its outline.

ROOM BY ROOM

- **Living room** Dover White walls and Alabaster trim around Barrel, an oatmeal rug with a chocolate border, a coffee table in a charcoal wood, aged brass lamps.
- **Kitchen** Cascades on the island or the lower cabinets, Alabaster uppers, unlacquered brass pulls, Barrel underfoot.
- **Bedroom** Revere Pewter walls, bedding in oatmeal with one graphite pillow, nightstands in a pale, bleached wood.
- **Entry** A chocolate runner on Barrel, Cascades on the front door, a matte black mirror.

WHAT TO AVOID

- Walls at the lightness of Barrel: Retreat (Sherwin-Williams SW 6207, LRV 20.9) sits within a point of its LRV of 22, so wall and floor would blur into one.
- Wood that almost matches Barrel: a tone like our Fruitwood sample, 2.1 apart (CIEDE2000), reads as a near miss. Go clearly darker or lighter.
- Walls that lean yellow: yellow on yellow flattens the golden undertone of Barrel (hue 68°).

THE ROOM IT SUITS

At LRV 22, Barrel is mid dark: it is at its best in a big room with good light and warm lamps, and it shows dust, pet hair and fine scratches more than a mid tone.

At 7.5 inches a board, Barrel lays about 20 boards across a 12 foot room, so the room reads open with few seams.

Engineered hardwood: living spaces and bedrooms on every level, kept out of full baths.

Species: Brazilian oak

Construction: Engineered



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