

INDIGO

Morocco Method Indigo Powder is used to enhance and deepen color for the following Henna colors.

Black – Dark Brown – Medium Brown – Light Brown – Red

It should never be used with Blond or Neutral Henna

By mixing Indigo with Morocco Method's Henna you will get different shades of brown depending on the ratios of each powder used. The more indigo the darker the outcome.

If you only use Indigo powder on white or gray hair, it will have blue colored hair. Indigo powder is best used in combination with henna or after dyeing your hair with henna.

Indigo can stain your surface, so handle with care.

ITEMS NEEDED TO APPLY THE INDIGO COLOR:

- A glass bowl (just not metal)
- A plastic or wooden spoon
- Indigo Powder
- Shower cap or plastic wrap
- Euro Oil
- Gloves
- Old towels
- Water/black brewed coffee/tea

Mixing Indigo with Morocco Method Henna: Please see instructions for the Henna Color and add in the desired amount of Indigo.

Mixing Indigo only: Follow each step very carefully

1. In a bowl, mix Indigo Powder with warm water until it forms into a pudding/cake-like batter consistency. The indigo mixture should be thin enough to apply easily but not too watery that slides off your tresses. It is recommended to leave the mixture out for only **15-20mins** before applying. Your indigo powder may harden over the wait time, just apply a little water to loosen it up a bit. (it is recommended not to use any metallic utensils)
2. Please make sure your hair is clean and dry in order to achieve maximum results. Do note, you may add anything into your mixture as desire; however, we do not recommend adding any oils to the indigo mixture. You want as many products on your hair. You can always apply any oils afterward if needed.

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3. Put your gloves on & separate your hair into sections to achieve maximum coverage. With a brush or with your gloved hands, apply the henna mixture from root tips working down; each section at a time. Continue applying until all of the henna mixtures is applied to your hair.
4. Cover your head with a shower cap and wait for 2-3hrs. The Longer you wait for the darker color you will get. For **facial hair**: the recommended amount of time is 1.5 to 2 hours.
5. Now it's time to rinse out. Start from the roots and rinse downwards. Rinse indigo with cool water (no shampoo) you can add conditioner to help it come through and rinse until water runs clear. Cold water helps to lock in the tones. This goes the same in washing any facial hair.

After the application wait to shampoo your hair between 24-48 hours to lock your color. Don't see the desired color yet? Wait for 48-72 hours to see your results. Since our indigo powder does not contain the chemicals required in developing the color right away, you may need another application (especially on gray hair). Gray hair tends to be stubborn and when it comes down to henna being so natural; nature will take its time. If you smell indigo powder even after washing, don't worry it will go away in about 1-2 days, as well as any indigo powder stains.

Tips:

- You may apply Euro oil along your creases to avoid henna stains
- Mixing with warm brewed black coffee helps darken the color
- Add 1-2tsp of Celtic Sea if your first try didn't work out. You can re-color after 72 Hours.
- If you have gray hair you may mix 2-3 tsp of apple cider vinegar (helps henna to hold onto gray)
- Mixing essential oils (lavender) in henna mixture or dilute and apply to your hair to lessen the smell
- Wear old clothes in case of stains
- It is recommended to use Morocco Method's sulfate free or natural shampoo/conditioner