



# Opus Essential Watercolours

Rich Colour. Extraordinary Value.



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Splash into luscious colour for your next watercolour painting! Opus Essential Watercolours are loaded with intense permanent pigment and have incredible tinting strength – all at an outstanding value.

56 colours. 5 series. Available in 8 ml and 15 ml tubes, and pan sets of 6 and 12.

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Vibrant colours that mix with ease, Opus Essential Watercolours have a wonderfully soft and creamy texture, and are loaded with intense, permanent pigments.

Formulated to meet professional quality standards, Opus Essential Watercolours are made in small batches in North America. They feature high concentrations of permanent, intense, and reliable pigments.

These watercolours are perfect for painting in the studio, or for plein air adventures. They mix easily with water and move across the page beautifully with a brush.

Use them at full strength or thinned with water, or other watercolour mediums.

## FEATURES

- Soft, creamy consistency
- Permanent, intense pigments
- Matte to semi-gloss when dry
- Will not crack when pouring in a pan, Re-wets easily

## SUITABLE FOR

- Opus Watermedia Paper, and Opus Student Watercolour Paper
- Mixed-media paper

Suggested items (sold separately):

- Watercolour brushes such as Opus Galiano, and Allegro
- Watercolour mediums

## 56 COLOURS IN 5 SERIES:



**Pigment Codes** P Y 6 5 shows which pigments are present in each colour

**Series** ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ indicates the pricing code of each colour

**Lightfastness** ① ② NA indicates lightfastness rating of each colour  
 ① Excellent lightfastness  
 ② Very good lightfastness  
 NA Lightfastness not rated

**Staining**  
 ■ Staining  
 □ Non-Staining

**Opacity** ○ ● ◐ ◑ indicates level of opacity of each colour  
 ● Opaque  
 ◐ Semi-opaque  
 ◑ Semi-transparent  
 ○ Transparent



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