



TAJ COWHIDE

GLAMOUR COWHIDE, PEARLIZED COWHIDE AND SIMILAR PRODUCTS

PRODUCT CHARACTERISTIC SHEET

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:

Taj Cowhide is Finished leather; it is our best grade of premium cowhide with a lustrous pearlescent finish that highlights the smooth, natural grain of this selected hide.

CHARACTERISTICS:

Being a natural product, Taj will exhibit some natural characteristics such as healed scars, veins, neck wrinkles and grain variation throughout a hide and from hide to hide. However, the natural characteristics will be less obvious in a Taj hide than in an Aniline leather.

Super softness.

Durability and built-in protection from soiling, fading, and wear.

More consistency and less apparent defects than found in Aniline leathers.

Natural variation in grain texture throughout the hide and from hide to hide.

Pearlescent finish.

Townsend recommends Taj for seating and most other applications.

A: Permanent natural creases on the hide caused by fat deposits in the live animal usually found in the neck, shoulder, and belly area.

**FAT
WRINKLES**

B: Loose grain is characterized by large "breaks" in the density of the grain visible on the surface of the hide. Generally-speaking, loose grain is often found towards the perimeter of a hide.

**LOOSE
GRAIN**

C: Characteristic wherein the grain structure visible on the surface of the hide is more uniform and "tight." Tight grain is generally preferred and found more consistently towards the interior of the hide.

**TIGHT
GRAIN**

D: Characterized by many clearly visible blood vessels, either closed or cut open by splitting or shaving operations.

VEINS

PRODUCT NAME	PREFIX	CATEGORY	EMBOSSED	HAND-RUBBED OR HAND-TIPPED	MACHINE-ANTIQUED	WAXED	AVERAGE THICKNESS	PERFORMANCE RATING	AVERAGE SIZE
Taj Cowhide	TJ	Finished	No	No	No	No	1.0 - 1.2 mm	4.5 of 5	Whole Hides of 55 - 60 SF