

## FIFTH AVENUE COWHIDE

PRODUCT CHARACTERISTIC SHEET

(B)

## **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION:**

Fifth Avenue Cowhide is a lightly pigmented and waxed leather that uses proprietary glazes and topcoats that highlight the natural beauty of the leather.

## **CHARACTERISTICS:**

Being a natural product, Fifth Avenue Cowhide will exhibit natural characteristics such as healed scars, veins, neck wrinkles, and grain variation throughout a hide and from hide to hide.

To accentuate the subtle antiquing of each hide, Fifth Avenue Cowhide uses proprietary glazes and topcoats that highlight the natural beauty of the leather and accentuate the subtle antiquing of each hide.

Fifth Avenue Cowhide will exhibit natural variations in color, tone and texture that are part of the beauty of this leather. Each hide's unique history and natural markings, such as neck wrinkles, should be expected and will vary within a hide and from hide to hide.

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

As a wax pull-up leather, this product will burnish and patina with wear, showing scratches and other markings while in use.

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

LOOSE GRAIN

NECK/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.

TIGHT GRAIN

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.

C: Characteristic

SCARS

**D:** Healed wound during life of animal which is characterized by raised surface and inconsistent grain.

PRODUCT NAME	PREFIX	CATEGORY	EMBOSSED	HAND-RUBBED OR HAND-TIPPED	MACHINE-ANTIQUE	WAXED	AVERAGE THICKNESS	PERFORMANCE Rating	AVERAGE Size
Fifth Avenue Cowhide	FA	Semi-Aniline	No	No	No	Yes	1.0 - 1.3 mm	2.5 of 5	Whole Hides of 55 - 60 SF

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