





Agenda

Presentation of Pantone & Heuritech

2. Forecasting Methodology

3. Fall 2020 Color Trend Report





Heuritech and Pantone are proud to announce their exclusive partnership





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Pantone and X-Rite bring together the art and science of color to bring critical color decisions from inspiration to realization.

Over 10 million creatives globally use Pantone each day for color inspiration, communication & trend direction.



Inspiration



Creation



Production



Design enthusiasts and consumers embrace Pantone



Over 10 million creatives around the world use Pantone each day for color inspiration, communication and trend direction. Pantone is integral to design and development of the products that fill our lives, from art and architecture to fashion, beauty and interiors. Our mission is color the world with possibility.

If you associate a color with an iconic brand, Pantone has most likely played a role.



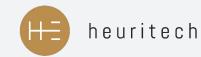


"Heuritech has turned social media into an artificial intelligence tool that predicts the development of trends"

VOGUE







 $2013 \; {\rm launch}$

 $55\,$ people

5M€ raised (investors include Jimmy Choo CEO and ex Cartier GM)

3 offices Paris, New York, Singapore

Marry the science of artificial intelligence and colors to bring latest color trends.

Pantone is renowned worldwide for its expertise in colors and particularly its color of the year. Heuritech contributes the power of data and artificial intelligence to bring a quantitative analysis to colors in the fashion industry, enabling for the first time to quantify the volume of colors seen among consumers and influencers, as well as its adoption.

To master color recognition, Heuritech has developed state-of-the-art color detection capabilities on fashion pictures in order to get as close as possible to true colors (in spite of filters, shades, etc). The idea is to give a wide range of color trends from macro to granular to fit the respective needs of fashion brands.



Bridging digital trends and physical products with a common color language

By associating Heuritech's color trends with Pantone's color references, we ensure that clients can easily produce these colors in real life. From the moment a trend is digitally detected on social media by Heuritech to the time of production in factories, brands can speak a common language of colors with Pantone.







What to expect from this partnership

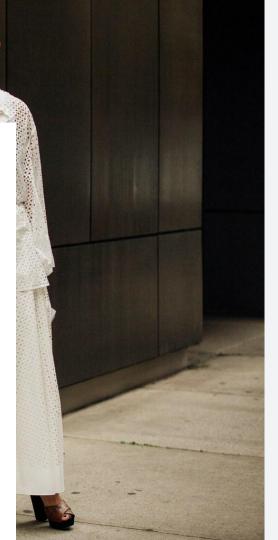
- l. Co-reports and webinars on Colors Forecast
- 2. Inspiration for designers inside Heuritech's product



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HEURITECH x PANTONE METHODOLOGY





About the Autumn/Winter 2020/2021 London Colour Palette:

A robust palette for autumn/winter 2020/2021 blends our desire for meaningful colour with optimistic determination and purpose





About the Autumn/Winter 2020/2021 Classics:

A range of seasonal staples that can stand alone or serve as the foundation for personalized colour combinations.



We then applied Heuritech's artificial intelligence to these intuitions to validate it







Pictures - Stories - Videos

Worldwide panels representative of the different consumer segments of the fashion market on **Instagram**







Define data sources and build panels

Apply image recognition technology

Use trend forecasting technology

Platform with actionable insights





2K+ attributes based on Heuritech fashion expertise and clients expectations

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Heuritech x Pantone methodology on colors: Heuritech applies its color module to fashion objects which are detected inside images. This technology is based on deep learning. Our algorithms automatically detect & correct filters, and focus attention on the color pixels most representative of the garment's color. Define data sources and build panels

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A random web color picker versus Heuritech's image recognition color picker

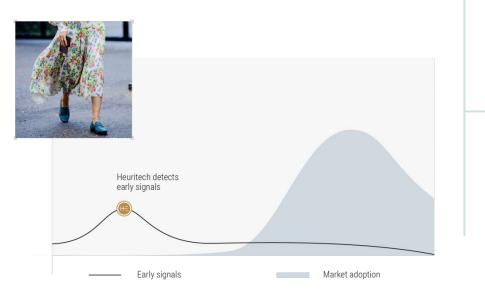
Color picker



1 year ahead forecasting

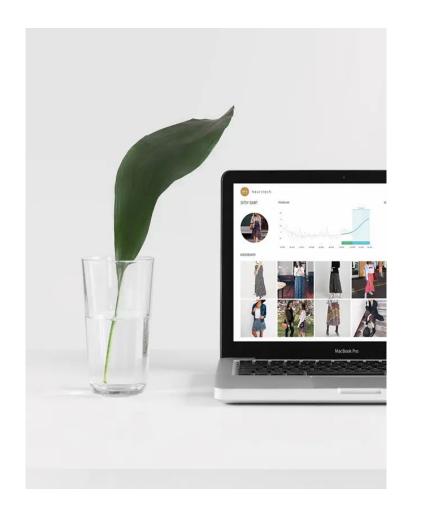
90% precision

4000 trends identified so far



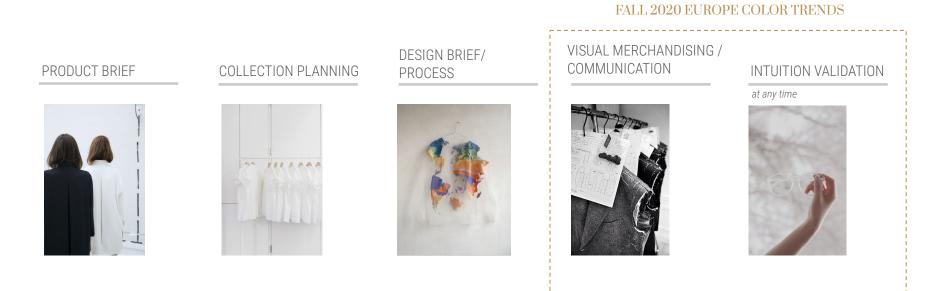








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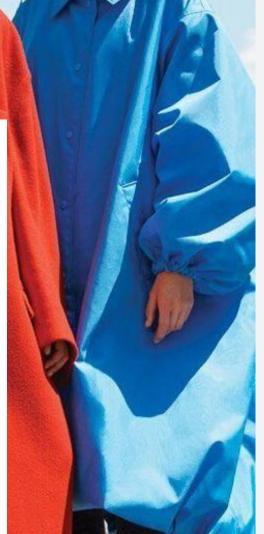


Which color trends should be highlighted for Fall 2020?



FALL 2020 COLOR REPORT





HEURITECH METRIC GUIDE: *capturing* the essence of trends

Scope of the analysis

European female clothing trends Predictions of visibility on social media for Fall 2020

Growth Fall 2020

Quantifies the evolution of the visibility of the trend for Fall 2020 vs. Fall 2019

Magnitude

Evaluates the forecasted visibility of the trend on social images on the season of interest (Fall 2020) on 5 levels: MICRO ; SMALL ; MEDIUM ; BIG ; MASSIVE



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High season and optimal launch

Season(s) during which the trend's stock has the highest chance to unload as the demand is the strongest.

Cluster

Helps getting an overview of a trend diagnosis at a glance.

FASHION BET High magnitude trend with growing dynamics to bet on for the collection planning

BOLD BET Less visible trend with growing dynamics on which you can can bet on taking higher risk

SAFE BET High magnitude trend with stable dynamics

STABLE Low magnitude trend with stable dynamics that won't make any fuss for the collection of interest

LAST CALL High magnitude trend with decreasing dynamics that have still a business potential

MARK DOWN "One shot" trend which won't be carried over as they are decreasing and of low magnitude



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Consumer Segmentation

Indicates the segment in which the trend is adopted the most. We have 3 panels at Heuritech, representative of the consumer segments:

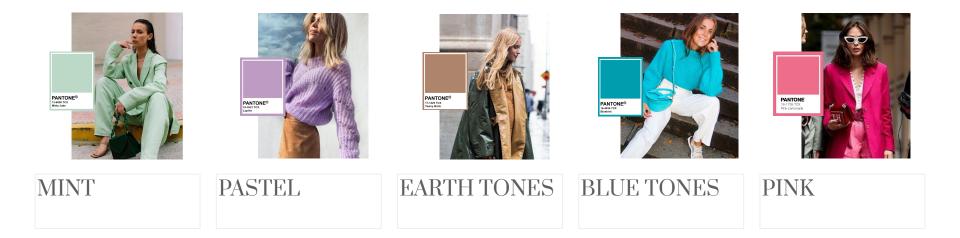
- EDGY People with bold and distinctive style
- <u>TRENDY</u> Fashionable people looking for the latest styles
- <u>MAINSTREAM</u> They represent the consumers who are inspired by influencers, but mostly looking for safe clothing choices

Product categories

Unveils the category on which the trend stands out compared to the average of trends on Instagram. We cover 6 clothing categories: Tops, Dresses, Skirts, Pants, Shorts



5 themes around colors in high season in Fall 2020 in Europe



Mint



Misty Jade



Water Fall



UltraMarine Green

Fall 2020 forecast: Stable FW20 London Fashion Week Pantone Color

Fall 2020 forecast: Bold Bet

Fall 2020 forecast: Stable



Bright teal (waterfall) brings to mind the 80s, & is emblematic of the excessiveness of the era.





Deep ultramarine green brings some depth to this palette, & balances the other tones.

Cool green (misty jade) brings to mind wellness and a sense of calm. Perhaps due to the pandemic the medical associations that arise with this color will resonate more strongly than they would otherwise.



Zoom on: Misty Jade 13-6008 TCX

PANTONE® 13-6008 TCX Misty Jade

Europe Female Fall 2020

This trend is a <u>BOLD BET</u>

Segmentation The trend is mostly worn by **EDGY** people





The high season is SUMMER & FALL Optimal launch is JULY

The magnitude is **MICRO**

In Fall 2020 vs Fall 2019 MODERATELY GROWING +16%

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Misty Jade

 $Tops: +8pts \text{ vs. the average of Instagram trends} \\ Dresses: +4pts$











Tops to leverage its commercial opportunities

Dresses to leverage seasonal opportunity

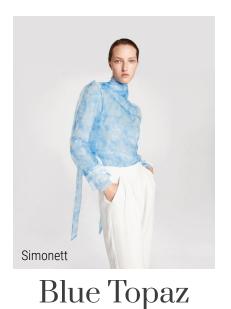




Pastel



Lupine



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Blushing Pink

Fall 2020 forecast: Safe Bet

Fall 2020 forecast: Safe bet

Fall 2020 forecast: Stable







Although the pink and purple in particular seem quite feminine, this palette can be for both men and women. Also, many designers are using interesting textures, & patterns, such as feathers, tie dye, and the shiny materials.

Pastel colors are typically associated with warmth & springtime, reminiscent of flowers and nature. This palette also brings to mind a sense of nostalgia, as these soft tones are delicate & playful, and remind you of childhood.







Zoom on: Lupine 16-3521 TCX

Europe Female Fall 2020

This trend is a <u>SAFE BET</u>

Segmentation The trend is mostly worn by **EDGY** people





The high season is **SUMMER & FALL** Optimal launch is JULY

The magnitude is **MEDIUM**

In Fall 2020 vs Fall 2019 SLIGHTLY GROWING

+9%

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Lupine

 $Tops: +9pts \,\, \text{vs. the average of Instagram trends}$

Dresses: +3pts











Tops to leverage its commercial opportunity

Dresses to leverage seasonal opportunity



Earth Tones



Tawny Birch

 Bottega Veneta

Military Olive



Sheepskin

Fall 2020 forecast: Safe bet

FW20 London Fashion Week Pantone Color

Fall 2020 forecast: Stable

FW20 London Fashion Week Pantone Color Fall 2020 forecast: Safe bet FW20 London Fashion Week Pantone Color

Earth Tone



These shades come alive when paired with pops of color. The deep green colour is a nice alternative, & is the perfect shade for the upcoming fall.







Earth tones are reminiscent of nature, & are favored by sophisticated, minimalist brands like Max Mara, The Row, & Lemaire as well as more edgy brands such as Georgian label Materiel.

Aleksandre Akhalkatsishvil

17-1225 TCX

19-0622 TCX 14

14-1122 TPX

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Zoom on: Tawny Birch 17-1225 TCX

PANTONE® 17-1225 TCX Tawny Birch

Europe

Female Fall 2020

This trend is a <u>STABLE</u>

Segmentation The trend is mostly worn by **EDGY** people





The high season is **SPRING, FALL & WINTER** Optimal launch is SEPTEMBER

The magnitude is **SMALL**

In Fall 2020 vs Fall 2019 SLIGHTLY GROWING

+8%

Tawny Birch

Coats : +6pts vs. the average of Instagram trends Dresses: +5pts







Coats to leverage business opportunities

Dresses to leverage its edginess opportunities





Blue Tones



Blue Bird



Marina



True Blue

Fall 2020 forecast: Stable

Fall 2020 forecast: Safe bet

Fall 2020 forecast: Safe bet FW20 London Fashion Week

Blue Tones





Bright pops of bluebird blue are contrasted by more muted tones, marina and true blue.



The bright blue has been all over the FW20 runways, including brands like Balenciaga as well as emerging designers like Supriya Lele.

This bold, cheerful blue is also a favorite amongst influencers on Instagram.



By contrast, the other two tones are more muted and calm, and are less of a statement but are an important aspect to any wardrobe, and can easily be paired with other colors.

Zoom on: Blue Bird 16-4834 TCX

Europe Female Fall 2020

This trend is a <u>STABLE</u>

PANTONE® 16-4834 TCX Bluebird

Segmentation The trend is mostly worn by **TRENDY** people





The high season is SUMMER & FALL Optimal launch is JULY

The magnitude is **SMALL**

In Fall 2020 vs Fall 2019 SLIGHTLY GROWING

+7%

Blue Bird

Dresses: +6pts vs. the average of Instagram trends Shorts: +3pt









Shorts to leverage seasonal opportunity





Pink



Pink Lemonade

Paloma Wool

Cabaret



Pale Blush



Very Berry

Fall 2020 forecast: Safe bet





Pink will carry on through the fall and become even more visible on social media, now including a wide variety of tones.



Although pink is a traditionally feminine color, we are also seeing many men adopting this trend as well, with Berluti, Marni, & Ludovic de Saint Sernin using pink in their previous men's collections.



Countless brands are using these shades of pink in their collections, whether it be for knitwear, shoes, dresses, accessories, or loungewear, like Paloma Wool's set in berry pink.



Zoom on: Pink Lemonade 16-1735 TCX

Europe Female Fall 2020

This trend is a <u>SAFE BET</u>

PANTONE 16-1735 TCX Pink Lemonade

Segmentation The trend is mostly worn by **TRENDY** people





The high season is **SUMMER & FALL** Optimal launch is JULY

The magnitude is **MEDIUM**

In Fall 2020 vs Fall 2019 FLAT

+2%

Pink Lemonade

Tops:+6pts vs. the average of Instagram trends Dresses:+3pts









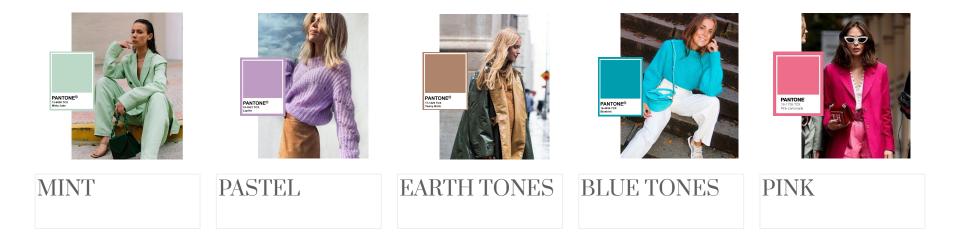


Tops to leverage its edginess opportunities

Dresses to leverage seasonal and commercial opportunity



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Key takeaways

- Pantone and Heuritech have been able to spot the must-have colors for Fall 2020 through image recognition applied to social media posts
- 2. These five color palettes are a key source of inspiration for Fall 2020 collections
- Through this partnership, we can validate design intuitions and enhance VM & communication strategies by highlighting the season's colors





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