

FORESTAL MIMOSA LIMITEI

SUPPLIERS OF AFRICAN MIMOSA EXTRACTS

MIMOSA DK POWDER

Mimosa DK powder is basically a darker coloured Mimosa (wattle) extract compared to standard ME/OP brands.

The low salt content (i.e. low ash level) of Mimosa DK will give all the good filling/firm properties of standard Mimosa ME/OP in vegetable tanning processes where dark colour leather is required.

Mimosa DK is also most suitable for re-tanning chrome leathers. Its dark colour make ideal for dark coloured dyeing while still maintaining all the well known re-tanning properties of standard Mimosa ME/OP, namely good filling, soft/round handle, smooth grain, good print retention and good buffability.

Typical Analysis

	SLTC Shake Method
Tannins (%)	68.5
Non-Tannins (%)	25.5
Insolubles (%)	0.5
Moisture (%)	<u>5.5</u>
	<u>100.0</u>

Standard Lovibond Tintometer Colour Test (1 cm cell 0.5% tanning solution)

Red	6.0
Yellow	12.0
pH at 50° Bkr (6.7° Bé)	4.6
Mineral Ash	1.3%