Subject: Black Naugahyde patterns - UPDATE!

Posted by braud357 on Tue, 26 Mar 2013 00:37:10 GMT

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Do any of you know what pattern of Naugahyde comes closest to matching the original Kustom "black"? I see "Universal, Petex, Dolphin", and several others. From what I can see, the "Universal Raven Black" looks pretty close, but the illustrated samples are pretty small. Any help appreciated!

FYI - I bought some of the Naugahyde "Universal" pattern in Raven Black. It seems to be a near-perfect match to the original Naugahyde. I have a speaker cabinet back panel and the bottom of a K250 head to re-cover!

Subject: Re: Black Naugahyde patterns

Posted by stevem on Tue, 26 Mar 2013 10:54:32 GMT

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what year amp are you speaking of?

Up to late 1972 or so they used a fine grained hide pattern, after that they went to a much courser grained pattern that had a higher gloss level to it.

Subject: Re: Black Naugahyde patterns

Posted by braud357 on Tue, 26 Mar 2013 14:08:32 GMT

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Steve, it is the pre 1972, original fine grain black naugahyde