

# Van Dyke Brown

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| Ferric Ammonium Citrate | 10g  | 30ml Distilled Water |
| Tartaric Acid           | 1.5g | 30ml Distilled Water |
| Silver Nitrate          | 4g   | 30ml Distilled Water |

Make the three solutions separately - add together slowly, then top up with Distilled Water to make 100ml. Store in a dark bottle and leave at least 24hrs before use.

- 1 Coat the paper in a dim (safelight) room (and allow to dry in a dark environment) Use a Hake Brush or Glass Rod for best results.
- 2 Expose contact negative with UV based on your DMax exposure time (See Digital Negatives Download).
- 3 Wash for 3 mins in tap water with a pinch of Citric Acid. (Change water at least 3 times)
- 4 OPTIONAL - Gold Tone ('Clerc's Formula') approx 25ml per 10x8 and discard (do not reuse)
- 5 Quick rinse 30 seconds in tap water

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| Sodium Thiosulfate | 12.5g |
| Clean Tap Water    | 500ml |

- 6 Fix in Sodium Thiosulfate for 5 mins (discard after 10, 10x8 prints). This is when the print regains its dark brown colouration and contrast.
- 7 Wash in Clean Tap Water for 10 mins (agitate and use 3 water changes if in trays)