



#D9DCD1



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Metric	Value	Metric	Value
RGB	217, 220, 209	Brightness	217.9
HSL (°,%,%)	76°, 14%, 84%	HSV V %	86 %
Lab (L*,a*,b*)	87.3, -3.0, 5.0	CMYK (%)	1%, 0%, 5%, 14%
Contrast Black	15.11:1	Contrast White	1.39:1

Palette neighbours



#26232E
Complement



#D1D9DC
Triad 1



#DCD1D9
Triad 2



#DCDAD1
Analogous 1



#D4DCD1
Analogous 2

Tints & Shades



Tints



Shades

Color Profile: #D9DCD1

Common Name: *Soft Grey*

RGB: 217, 220, 209

HSL: 60°, 11%, 85%

Contrast Ratio (vs. White): 14.8:1 (AA Pass)

Contrast Ratio (vs. Black): 1.6:1 (AA Fail)

Mood Blurb: #D9DCD1 evokes calmness and understated sophistication. This soft grey shade is often associated with neutrality, quiet elegance, and simplicity. It's a versatile tone that blends well with various design styles, both modern and traditional. It is subtle yet refined, making it ideal for spaces or projects looking to create a serene atmosphere without drawing too much attention.

Close Named Matches:

- PPG Paint - Wayward Willow (#D9DCD1) *Exact Match*
- Farrow & Ball - Pale Powder (#D9DCD2) *Very Close*
- Benjamin Moore - Healing Aloe (#D6DCD3) *Close*
- Dulux Heritage - Silver Fern (#DCDFD8) *Close*

Why Designers Use It:

- *Neutral Balance:* This color is favored for its versatility in balancing other elements in a design. It provides a neutral canvas that enhances the presence of bolder accents.
- *Timeless Elegance:* Designers often choose soft grey tones like this one because they embody elegance that stands the test of time, making them perfect for both modern and classic designs.
- *Subtle Charm:* Used in interior design, #D9DCD1 creates an atmosphere of calmness, often in spaces that seek to evoke peace, such as bedrooms, offices, or wellness centers.

- *Widely Used in Corporate and Residential Design:* This shade is frequently used in both professional and home environments, where a clean, polished aesthetic is desired.
- *Trendy in Minimalist and Scandinavian Design:* Its muted, understated quality makes it popular in the minimalist and Scandinavian design trends, where simplicity and functionality are key.
- *Nature-Inspired:* The softness of the color reflects the tones found in nature, such as soft stones, cloudy skies, or misty mornings, aligning with eco-friendly and nature-inspired designs.

Notable Structures/Uses:

- Used extensively in modern office furniture, home decor, and automotive interior design for a clean and professional look.
- This particular grey is often seen in architecture where a calm and unobtrusive background is needed, making it ideal for high-end residential designs.
- Some applications in the tech and electronics industries, where minimalistic, sleek appearances are preferred.

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