Texture Notes

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Texture- Visual Arts

perceived surface quality of work of art

element of 2D & 3D perceived visual & physical properties

conveys messages & emotions

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| Visual texture | Tactile texture |
| shiny, speckled | Smooth, wavy |
| Infer depth in 2D |  |
| slant |  |

**Infer:**

smooth/rough

soft/hard

matt/glossy

**Natural Texture**:

wood, sandpaper, canvas, rocks, glass, granite, metal

brush strokes in painting create texture to see/feel

buildup of paint on surface making actual texture is called impasto

1 hard/soft

2 woven/bumpy

3 jagged/irregular

4 ridged

**Smooth** - slick, soft, slimy, glossy

**Rough** – bumpy, scaly, coarse, sandy, rocky, fuzzy, gritty, lumpy, hairy

Fabric Textures

Ceiling Textures

Wall Texture

Carpet Texture