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## SOUTHERN RAILWAY COLOR CHART

### Steam Locomotives

Freight and switcher locomotives and tenders:

Exterior of complete locomotive and tender, painted black.

Lettering and figures, gold.

Interior of cab, green.

Passenger locomotives and tenders:

The parts painted green include the cab up to the roof gutters; sand box and dome casing; turret casing and low-water alarm; boiler jacket above running boards; bell frame and headlight case; hand rails and piping above running boards; cylinder jacket, and tender tank above floor.

The parts painted white: Running board edges and driving wheel tires.

Remaining parts are painted black.

All lettering, numbers and the striping are imitation gold.

Cab interior, green.

### Passenger Equipment

Underframe, black.

Air brakes and pipes, black.

Platforms, boxes and projections below outside sheathing and trucks, green.

Sides and roof, Pullman green.

Lettering, gold.

### Streamlined Equipment

Underframe, trucks, equipment, etc., aluminum.

Body, stainless steel, not painted.

Lettering, black.

Handholds, chrome-plated.

Ends, aluminum.

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Freight Equipment

Body and roof, freight car brown,  
Trucks and underframe, black.  
Lettering, white.

Work Equipment

Body, aluminum.  
Handholds, steps, underframe and trucks, black.  
Lettering, black.

Caboose

Body, red.  
Underframe, black.  
Handholds, yellow.  
Lettering, yellow.

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