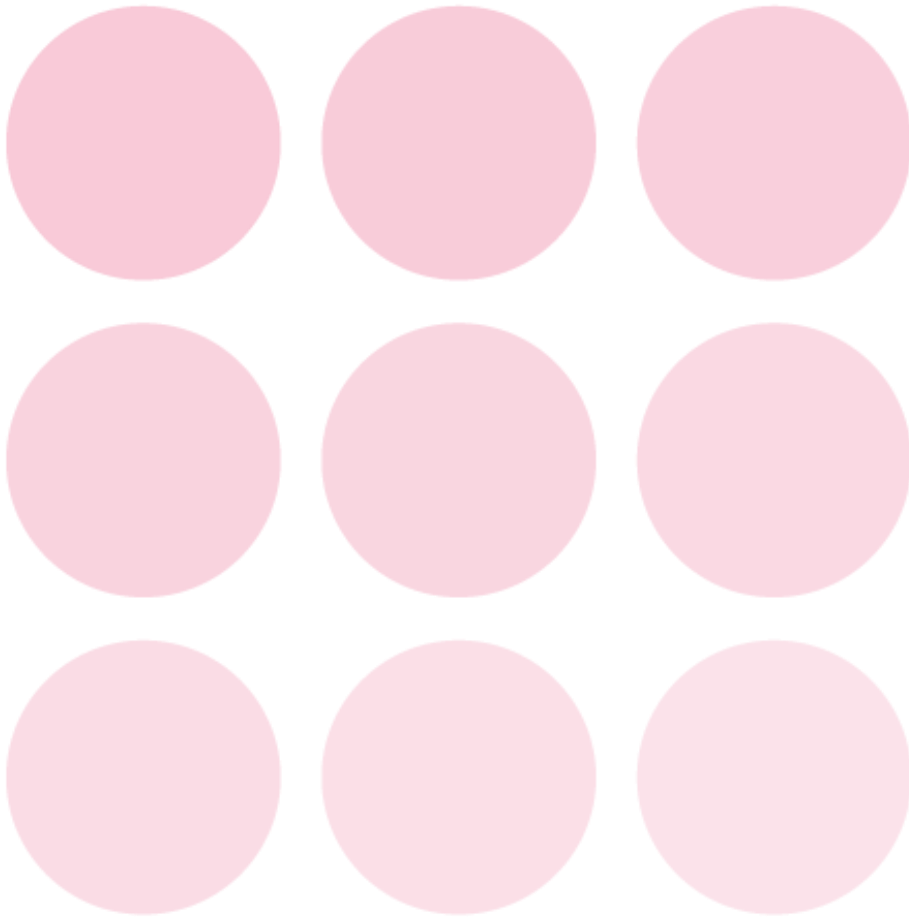


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**Pink**  
*Properties*

POSITIVE	NEGATIVE	NOTES
Accepting Affectionate Amiable Appealing Attractive Benevolent Careful Caring Cautious Charming Comforting Compassionate Considerate Co-operative Cute Delicate Delightful Enchanting Encouraging Fascinating Feminine Forgiving Friendly Gentle Inspirational Kind Kind-hearted Lovable Merciful Modest Nice Nurturing Pleasant Pleasing Pure Reassuring Relaxing Romantic Self-Care Self-Love Sensitive Soft	Childish Critical of self Difficulty facing real world To feel wanted (young mothers) Needy Need to be liked Vulnerable	

*Properties cont'd*

POSITIVE	NEGATIVE	NOTES
Subdued Supportive Sweet Sympathetic Tender Unconditional love Understanding Vulnerable		

*Expression*

*Soft, romantic, sweet, vulnerable, innocent*



### *Personality*

*If you predominantly wear the colour pink it will reveal the following about your personality:*

You are a romantic who often looks at the world through rose-coloured glasses and can have difficulty facing the real world. You have a tender and compassionate personality and love to nurture and care for others. You are very sensitive to other peoples needs.

You love unconditionally, accepting others for what they are. Your strengths are your emotions giving you a gentle and caring personality; however, your weaknesses can display childlike and needy traits.

You want to be seen as sensitive and caring, and you are sensitive to how others feel about you. You can feel vulnerable and easily hurt by the slightest criticism. However, you can be your own worst critic with your high expectations of yourself.

### *More about pink*

Pink is the soft colour, often seen as the 'baby' colour. Maybe because the colour of the womb is soft pink and it is the place where we normally experience unconditional love, care and warmth. Pink cells are still used worldwide in prisons to calm down violent inmates within minutes. Pink has a soft, gentle and comforting effect on us and can therefore be used to divert violence or confrontation. There is a relation between babies and pink, both vulnerable, soft, gentle, loving and a need for care. Pink is also a feminine – creative colour. The feminine and possibility of creation can be linked with the menstrual cycle of women. Women who have just given birth or who are in the menopause, often have a tendency to overdose on pink. They can feel vulnerable because it is a beginning (birth) of a new cycle and need this colour for support and care.

After 9/11 I noticed that men in particular started to wear more pink shirts. Men are expressing their creative and 'feminine' side more than ever. (not all men!)

Pink is related to childhood, being a child or behaving in a

childlike manner. People who do not wear or like this colour often have unhappy childhood memories or unresolved emotional issues with their parent(s). This can indicate that they were not allowed to be a child or behave in a child-like manner, innocent and vulnerable.

Not wearing or liking pink can also indicate that the problem is not with the parents but with parenting. It can give an indication that there have been difficulties conceiving or that there have been parenting problems with one or more of their children.

*Connotations*

- Babies
- Girls
- Pink panther
- Rose coloured glasses
- Morning sunrise
- Rose cheeks
- Marshmallows
- Candy Floss
- Pink Champagne

*Crystals and gemstones*

- Apophyllite
- Kunzite
- Pink coral
- Pink topaz
- Pink tourmaline
- Rhodocrosite
- Rose quartz

*Opposite Colour*

- Grey