

## Temperate Hardwoods

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### American White Oak (Hardwood) (*Quercus spp*)



Colour: **Pale Yellow - Mid Brown**  
Density: **770 kg/m<sup>3</sup>**  
Moisture Movement: **Medium**  
Availability / Price: **Regular / Medium**  
Texture: **Medium**  
Durability: **Moderately durable**  
Uses: **Furniture, cabinet work, Flooring, interior joinery.**

### American Cherry (Hardwood) (*Prunus Serotina*)



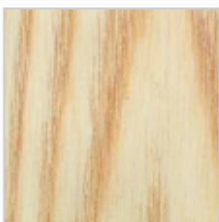
Colour: **Reddish-Brown-Red**  
Density: **580 kg/m<sup>3</sup>**  
Moisture Movement: **Medium**  
Availability / Price: **Regular / Medium**  
Texture: **Fine**  
Durability: **Moderately durable**  
Uses: **Furniture, cabinet work, Flooring, interior joinery.**

### Maple Rock (Hardwood) (*Acer Saccharinum*)



Colour: **Creamy White**  
Density: **740 kg/m<sup>3</sup>**  
Moisture Movement: **Medium**  
Availability / Price: **Regular / Medium**  
Texture: **Fine**  
Durability: **Moderately durable**  
Uses: **Furniture, excellent flooring, sports goods, saunas.**

### Ash (hardwood) (*fraxinus excelsior*)



and broom handles)

Colour: **white - light brown**  
Density: **710 kg/m<sup>3</sup>**  
Moisture Movement: **Medium**  
Availability / Price: **Regular / Medium**  
Texture: **Medium**  
Durability: **Not Durable**  
Uses: **interior joinery, door handles, turned goods, very stable along the grain (e.g snooker cues**

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### European Beach (Hardwood) (*Fagus Sylvatica*)



Colour: **White - Pale Brown**  
Density: **720 kg/m<sup>3</sup>**  
Moisture Movement: **Large**  
Availability / Price: **Regular / Low**  
Texture: **Fine**  
Durability: **Not Durable**  
Uses: **Furniture, interior joinery, flooring.**

### Pitch Pine (Softwood) (*Pinus Palustris*)



Colour: **Yellow Brown - Red Brown**  
Density: **670 kg/m<sup>3</sup>**  
Moisture Movement: **Medium**  
Availability / Price: **Regular / Medium**  
Texture: **Fine**  
Durability: **Moderately durable**  
Uses: **Interior and exterior joinery, construction.**

### Western Red Cedar (Softwood) (*Thuja Plicata*)



Colour: **Reddish-Brown**  
Density: **390 kg/m<sup>3</sup>**  
Moisture Movement: **Small**  
Availability / Price: **Regular / Medium**  
Texture: **Fine**  
Durability: **Durable**  
Uses: **shingles, exterior cladding, beehives, very durable to weathering.**

### Douglas Fir (Softwood) (*Pseudotsuga Menziesii*)



Colour: **Reddish-Brown**  
Density: **530 kg/m<sup>3</sup>**  
Moisture Movement: **Small**  
Availability / Price: **Regular / Medium**  
Texture: **Medium**  
Durability: **Durable**  
Uses: **Interior & exterior joinery, plywood, construction, masts - can be obtained in extremely long lengths and very straight.**

## Tropical Hardwoods

All of these are grown in the Tropical regions of the world, primarily Africa, Asia and South America. We make every effort to ensure that these timbers are originally obtained from sustainable sources and as a company are not in favour of mass clear felling. This page only represents a sample of some of our more popular timbers, should you require a timber that is not here please contact us - we stock most timbers so we are very confident that we can meet your requirements.

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### Iroko (Hardwood) (*Milicia Excelsa*)



Colour: **Pale Yellow - Dark brown**

Density: **660 kg/m<sup>3</sup>**

Moisture Movement: **Small**

Availability / Price: **Regular / Low-Medium**

Texture: **Medium**

Durability: **Very Durable**

Uses: **Exterior & interior joinery, construction, gates, garden furniture - very hard wearing timber for external use. Less expensive alternative to Teak.**

### Sapele & African Mahogany (Hardwood) (*Entandrophragma Cylindricum & Khaya Spp*)



Colour: **Medium Reddish Brown**

Density: **640 kg/m<sup>3</sup>**

Moisture Movement: **Medium**

Availability / Price: **Regular / Medium**

Texture: **Medium**

Durability: **Moderately Durable**

Uses: **Furniture, Flooring, interior joinery.**

### Mahogany, South American (Hardwood) (*Swietenia Macrophylla*)



Colour: **Reddish Brown**

Density: **560 kg/m<sup>3</sup>**

Moisture movement: **Small**

Availability / Price: **Regular / High**

Texture: **Medium**

Durability: **Durable**

Uses: **Furniture, cabinet work, interior joinery, boat building.**

### Meranti/Luan/Seraya (Hardwood) (*Shorea Spp*)



Colour: **Yellow Brown - Dark Red**

Density: **550 kg/m<sup>3</sup>**

Moisture movement: **Small**

Availability / Price: **Regular / Low**

Texture: **Medium**

Durability: **Slightly Durable**

Uses: **Interior joinery, plywood.**