

Hardwoods: Jarrah



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| Trade Name: | Jarrah |
| Botanical Species: | Eucalyptus marginata |
| Other Names: | |
| Country of Origin: | Australia (Western) |
| Air Dry Density: | 820kgs/m ³ |
| Durability: | Very Durable |
| Colour: | Dark |
| Strength: | 8+ (on a scale of 1 -10) |

Seasoning:

- Seasons readily by air or by kiln drying although there can be some warping due to sloping grain and some care is required to prevent checking in wide boards.
- Pre-air-drying is recommended.

Characteristics:

- A large tree producing light to dark red timber darkening to a uniform red brown mahogany.
- It can have a straight or interlocked grain with an even medium coarse texture.

Working Qualities:

- It machines, nails and glues well, takes an excellent polish and holds paint very well.
- It is also prized as carving timber.

Uses:

- One of the world's most durable timbers and highly resistant to fire, termite and marine borer attack and impervious to acids.
- Jarrah has a very wide range of uses, previously regarded as a heavy construction timber for bridges and wharves it is now favoured for interior finishing, joinery, cabinet-making and flooring.

Product Attributes:

- Pink to dark red brown in colour.



- Strong, durable timber.
- Stains and polishes well.
- Available in fixed widths.
- Even, medium coarse texture with fairly straight grain.
- Veneers available.

Product Limitations

- Variable in colour.
- Can be subject to small dark fungal markings.
- Prone to gum pockets and veins.
- It can be hard to work with machine tools.