

Macrocarpa: USA

Specification Sheet



<u>Other Name(s):</u>	Monterey Cypress
<u>Scientific Name:</u>	Cupressus macrocarpa
<u>Distribution:</u>	USA
<u>Average Dried Weight:</u>	485 kg/M3
<u>Durability:</u>	Moderately Durable
<u>Janka Hardness:</u>	(2.8 kN)
<u>Modulus of Rupture/Bending Strength</u>	(78.4 MPa)
<u>Modulus of Elasticity/ stiffness:</u>	(7.6 GPa)

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Seasoning:

- It is difficult to kiln dry with cell collapse and checking.
- Low shrinkage factor.

Characteristics:

- A honey brown coloured wood, with a fine even texture.
- It is quite a stiff/strong timber when dry.
- Stable.
- Beautifully scented

Working Qualities:

- The timber is easily worked and finishes excellently.
- It can be glued, stained, polished and varnishes well.

Uses:

- Exterior joinery, boat building, cabinet work and veneers.

Product Attributes:

- Naturally resistant to insect & fungal attack
- Machines and turns very well.
- Veneers available.
- Fixed widths Available

Product Limitations

- Difficult to dry.