

Hardwoods: Zebrano



Trade Name:	Zebrano
Botanical Species:	Brachystegia fleuryana
Other Names:	Zebra wood
Country of Origin:	Gabon and Cameroons
Air Dry Density:	820kgs/m ³
Durability:	Durable
Colour:	Medium
Strength:	



Seasoning:

- Dries slowly with a tendency to surface check.

Characteristics:

- The heartwood is golden brown, with narrow-veining or streaks of dark brown to almost black, giving a zebra stripe appearance.
- It is fairly hard with good toughness and impact properties.

Working Qualities:

- Easily worked although interlocked grain can cause some planning problems.
- Glues, sands, stains and polishes well.

Uses:

- Cabinet-making, boat building and interior decoration.

Product Attributes:

- Distinctive unique grain.
- Easily worked with care.
- Takes stains and polishes well.
- Golden, yellow-brown with narrow streaks of dark black / brown.
- Veneers available.

Product Limitations

- Interlocked grain can cause problems.
- Variable in supply.

- Very opened grained.
- Needs clear filling.
- No fixed widths.