

## **American White Oak**

**BOTANICAL NAME** 

#### Quercus alba



#### **OVERVIEW**

This en vogue light coloured hardwood is very popular for internal joinery work. Sourced from North American mills, the timber is kiln-dried to a low moisture content (8-10%) and is therefore only recommended for interior cladding unless conditioned to a suitable moisture content prior to installation. White Oak is available with FSC certification and is available pre machined planed tongue and groove with a V profile (PTGV) for immediate delivery nationwide.

#### Available Grades:-

Grade Tab – Prime grade and Natural/Character grade Grade Character – Prime grade occasional small knot on face, no sap, splits or shakes. Natural/Character grade allows knots (filled and sanded).

# **Further Product Information**

**APPLICATIONS & USES** 

Furniture, construction, joinery – windows, internal doors, internal cladding, interior flooring and mouldings

**ENVIRONMENTAL CREDENTIALS** 

#### Certification

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## Origin

North America

#### **TECHNICAL INFORMATION**

## **Physical Structure**

Good strength properties

### **Durability**

Durable

#### **Moisture Content**

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### **Working Qualities**

Variable in working properties according to rate of growth, slow grown material provides a smooth finish. Stains and takes nails/screws well

## **Supplied Finish**

Machined to profile T&G

#### **Storage Advice**

Product needs to be kept undercover in dry conditions

## **Stability**

Stable for internal applications, although for external applications if timber is not acclimatised can have a tendency to swell due to low initial moisture content

#### **Wastage Allowance**

25 - 40%