AUSTRALIAN WORMY CHESTNUT

Eucalyptus Obliqua, Eucalyptus Sieberi, Eucalyptus Fastigata











Description

Trees are affected by wildfires, years of drought and attack by insects.

Flood and strong winds stunt their growth with each piece showing nature's signature.

Deep red gum veins formed by fire, ambrosia beetle marks, pin holes and squiggly worm marks are all evident.

Also known as Southern Blackbutt, Chestnut.

Suitability

- **x** Boating
- ✓ Cabinet Door
- Decking & Cladding
- √ Flooring & Staircase
- ✓ Furniture
- ✓ Joinery

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Density (kg/m3 dry)	800	Hardness (Janka) (kN)	8	Resistance to Split in Nailing	Good
Specific Gravity	0.8	Finish	Good	Resistance to Split in Screwing	Good
Modulus of Rupture (MPa dry)	118	Stability	Good	Gluing	Good
Modulus of Elasticity (GPa dry)	15	Durable	Yes	Growing Region	VIC
Radial Shrinkage %	3.5	Sapwood Lyctid Susceptible	No	Availability	Available
Tangential Shrinkage %	6	Machining	Good		

