

NORTHERN BOX

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Description

Sapwood yellow, tinged with red, merging into pink brown or red brown heartwood. Texture fine, even. Grain interlocked. Pores filled with gummy solid deposits. Wood is siliceous, with no distinct odour. Timber does not leach.

Also known as Pelawan.

Suitability

- ✗ Boating
- ✗ Cabinet Door
- ✓ Decking & Cladding
- ✗ Flooring & Staircase
- ✗ Furniture
- ✗ Joinery

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Density (kg/m ³ dry)	900	Hardness (Janka) (kN)	10	Resistance to Split in Nailing	Fair
Specific Gravity	0.9	Finish	Fair	Resistance to Split in Screwing	Fair
Modulus of Rupture (MPa dry)	123	Stability	Fair	Gluing	Poor
Modulus of Elasticity (GPa dry)	15	Durable	Yes	Growing Region	Asia Pacific
Radial Shrinkage %	5	Sapwood Lyctid Susceptible	No	Availability	Available
Tangential Shrinkage %	10	Machining	Fair		

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