

Wenge

Millettia Laurentii

The clearly defined heartwood is dark brown, with very close, fine, almost black veins. The closely spaced whitish bands parenchyma give the wood a most attractive appearance. It is fairly straight grained with a coarse texture.

Application Suitability

Furniture • Cabinetry • Joinery • Flooring • Boating

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| Density | 910 | Hardness (janka) (kN) | 10.0 | Stability | Good |
| Specific Gravity | 0.74 | Finish | Good | Durability | Durable |
| Modulus of Rupture (Mpa Dry) | 152 | Gluing | Fair | Screwing Split Resistance | Fair |
| Modulus of Elasticity (Gpa Dry) | 16 | Machining | Good | Nailing Split Resistance | Fair |
| Radial Shrinkage | 3% | Sapwood Lyctid susceptible | No | Growing region | Africa |
| Tangential Shrinkage | 6% | | | Availability | Available |

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