

American Cherry

Prunus Serotina

The heartwood varies from rich red to reddish brown and will darken on exposure to light. In contrast the sapwood is creamy white. The wood has a fine uniform straight grain, smooth texture, and can contain brown pith flecks and small gum pockets. Also known as Black Cherry.

Application Suitability

Furniture • Cabinetry • Joinery • Flooring • Boating

Density	561	Hardness (janka) (kN)	4.0	Stability	Good
Specific Gravity	0.50	Finish	Excellent	Durability	Non Durable
Modulus of Rupture (Mpa Dry)	84	Gluing	Good	Screwing Split Resistance	Good
Modulus of Elasticity (Gpa Dry)	11	Machining	Excellent	Nailing Split Resistance	Good
Radial Shrinkage	3%	Sapwood Lyctid susceptible	Yes	Growing region	North America
Tangential Shrinkage	4%			Availability	Widely

BT Tasmania
(03) 6452 2522
3 Brittons Road
Smithton, TAS 7330

BT New South Wales
(02) 8783 9900
116-118 Jemma Road
Prestons, NSW 2170

BT Queensland
(07) 3888 3351
100 Potassium Street
Narangba, QLD 4504

BT Victoria
(03) 8769 7111
25 Gaine Road
Dandenong, VIC

BT International
+61 2 8783 9900
116-118 Jemma Road
Prestons, NSW 2170

BT Veneer Products
03 6435 1108
2 Elizabeth St
Somerset TAS 7322

