

AMERICAN WHITE OAK



APPLICATIONS FURNITURE CABINETRY JOINERY FLOORING BOATING

DENSITY

Similar in colour and appearance to European oak. The sapwood of American white oak is light coloured and the heartwood is light to dark brown. White oak is mostly straight grained with a medium to coarse texture, with longer rays than red oak. White oak therefore has more figure. Also known as Northern White Oak, Southern White Oak.

PROPERTIES

DENSITY 770 HARDNESS (JANKA) (KN) 6.0 MACHINING EXCELLENT GLUING GOOD MODULUS OF ELASTICITY (GPA DRY) 12 AVAILABILITY WIDELY MODULUS OF RUPTURE (MPA DRY) 105 FINISH EXCELLENT

SCREWING SPLIT RESISTANCE GOOD

GROWING REGION

TANGENTIAL SHRINKAGE 5% SAPWOOD LYCTID SUSCEPTIBLE YES RADIAL SHRINKAGE **3%**

DURABILITY DURABLE

NAILING SPLIT RESISTANCE

SPECIFIC GRAVITY 0.68

GOOD

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