



North American & Canadian Softwood Clears

PRODUCT GUIDE

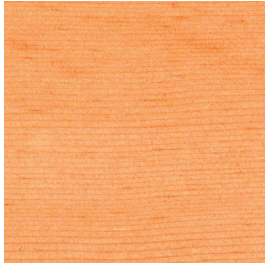


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CLEAR DOUGLAS FIR *Pseudotsuga menziesii* (Ptaxifolia)

No 2 and 3 Clear and better kiln dried 8' and longer

Also known as British Columbian Pine and Oregon Pine, the heartwood is a light reddish-brown shade, which distinguishes itself from the pale-coloured sapwood. Clear timber or baulks of large dimension in long lengths.



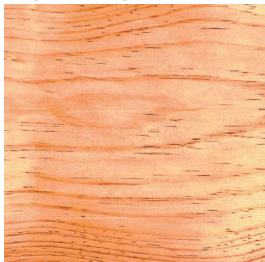
Uses		
Construction work, flooring, boat building, gymnastics equipment, furniture, internal & external joinery.	1" x 6" & wider	2" x 4" vertical grain
	1½" x 6" & wider	2" x 5" vertical grain
	2" x 6" & wider	2" x 6" vertical grain
	2½" x 6" & wider	2" x 8" vertical grain
	3" x 6" & wider	2½" x 5" vertical grain
	4" x 6" & wider	2½" x 6" vertical grain
Air Dried		
6" x 6"		

Small	Good	Good	Moderate	530 kg/m ³
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HONDURAS PITCH PINE *Pinus Caribaea*

Honduras Pitch Pine Prime and Better KD SE

Yellowish to reddish brown heartwood with small bands of sapwood which is lighter in colour. Distinct contrast between earlywood and latewood bands giving flame figure on flat sawn board. A heavy and hard softwood with high strength which is traditionally used for church furnishings.



Uses	Specification	
Flooring, boat building, spars, masts, general furniture, door stock, cabinet making, exterior joinery and decking.	Average length 12'	1/1½"
	Range 8' to 18'	2"
	Average width 8"	3
	Range 6" to 14", 1" - 4"	4

Small	Moderate	Good	Moderate	670 kg/m ³
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WESTERN RED CEDAR *Thuja Plicata*

No 2 Clear and Better 8' and longer

The heartwood is a reddish-brown shade, which distinguishes itself from the narrow white sapwood. Pleasantly scented, it is popular for interior furniture use. Lightweight and easy to handle.



Uses		
Light-weight construction work, internal & external joinery, timber weather boarding, beehives, summer houses, conservatories, clear shingles for roofing.	2" x 4"	3" x 6" & wider
	2" x 6"	4" x 6" & wider
	2" x 8"	6" x 6"
	TGV	Shiplap
	¾" x 4"	7/8" x 5"
Shingles	Prices per bundle	
No 1 Fivex Blue label untreated	(bundle 25ft sq) average cover	
No 1 Fivex Blue label CCA treated	(bundle 25ft sq) average cover	
16" Cappings Blue label untreated	(20 pieces per bundle)	
16" Cappings Blue label CCA treated	(20 pieces per bundle)	

Small	Good	Good	Durable	370 kg/m ³
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QUEBEC YELLOW PINE *Pinus Strobus*

Kiln dried 10% - 12% average

Also known as Eastern White Pine, the heartwood is a pale straw colour to light reddish-brown shade, usually little darker than the whitish sapwood. It is a soft, straight-grained and very even textured wood with inconspicuous growth rings. Second-growth timber is of a coarser texture and tends to be knotty. This is a highly stable timber with very low shrinkage, although it can pick up and give off moisture.



Uses		Specification			
Cabinet making, interior joinery, pattern stock.		Normal 6' to 16' lengths and 8", 10" and 12" widths. Centre graded as 3rds or 4ths.			
Sizes					
1" x 8"	1 1/4" x 10"	1 1/2' x 8"	2" x 10"		
1" x 10"	1 1/4" x 12"	1 1/2' x 10"	2" x 12"		
1" x 12"	3" x 8"	1 1/2' x 12"	3" x 10"		
1 1/4" x 8"	3" x 12"	2" x 8"	4" x 4"		

Small	Excellent	Good	Non-durable	390 kg/m ³
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SOUTHERN YELLOW PINE *Pinus Palustris Elliotti*

Kiln dried 2.4 and longer

The heartwood is yellowish-brown to reddish-brown, generally resinous, which distinguishes itself from the light coloured sapwood. Southern Yellow Pine is typically harder and heavier than their commercial species of pine and is almost identical in strength properties with Douglas Fir.



Uses		Specification			
Furniture, panelling staircases, bench seating, interior & exterior joinery, boat building, flooring, construction, spars, masts, lorry work, outdoor and in ground work.		1" x 10"	1 1/4" x 12"	2" x 12"	
		1" x 12"	1 1/2' x 10"	3" x 12"	
		1 1/4" x 10"	1 1/2' x 12"	4" x 8"	

Small	Good	Good	Moderate	660 kg/m ³
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Douglas Fir and Western Red Cedar can be supplied as CSA certified.

Also available from stock, KD Hemlock Clear & Better CSA certified. 50 x 100/125 vertical grain and 100 x 100mm.

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Key

	Moisture Movement	Timbers vary in density depending on their species and moisture content. The values quoted are averages at 15% but the increase caused by moisture can be estimated by adding 0.5% of the given weight for every 1% increase in moisture content.
	Machining	This refers to the ease of working and is classified as excellent, good, medium and difficult (where care should be taken in machining).
	Paint/Stain	This refers to the ease of accepting a stain or paint finish and is classified as excellent, good, satisfactory and poor.
	Durability	The durability of timber is based on the results of the 'Grave Yard' test, where pieces of Heartwood 50mm x 50mm x 0.6mm are stuck in the ground and, fully exposed to the elements, are left to rot. The timber is then classified according to the number of years taken before decay becomes obvious. The classifications are: perishable 0-5 years including all sapwood; non-durable 5-10 years; moderately durable 10-15 years; durable 15-25 years; very durable 25+ years. This is a particularly harsh test and a durable timber used in most external situations where it does not actually touch the ground, can be expected to last for some years longer.
	Density	Timbers vary in density depending on their species and moisture content. The values quoted are averages at 15% but the increase caused by moisture can be estimated by adding 0.5% of the given weight for every 1% increase in moisture content.

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Details given represent a fair description of the product and are given without liability. Availability and sizes are subject to confirmation at the time of order.