

Data sheet - Mahogany decking & cladding May 2024



Species: Mahogany, Sapele (Entrandrophragma cylendricum) with origin in West Africa

Moisture content: Kiln dried to about 14% +/-2%

Weight: About 650 kg/m3

Color: Dark red

Expected lifespan: Decking: 40 years. Cladding: 50 years

Stability: Class 1 (scale 1-5 = 1 being the best)

Color extraction: Rare

Application

• External product for e.g. decking, stairs, bridges, cladding, that are all above ground.

Quality

• Prime quality 1 face. Natural defects are occasionally allowed – such as knots, cracks, discoloration, pinholes etc.

Properties

- Mahogany is a durable natural material with long life expectancy. The compactness of the species makes it suitable for tough climates.
- Hardwood is a living material that works continuously with the changing seasons. When the wood is exposed to hard wind conditions such as dry weather, cracks and checking might occur.

Tolerance

• Thickness about +1/-1 mm and width about +/-2 mm at delivery.

Grain

• Straight grain

Storage

Store under a roof with good ventilation and in the original bundles (avoid sunlight).

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