

SPECIFICATION

WOOD TYPE:

Hardwood

BOTANICAL GENUS:

Juglans Nigra

DURABILITY:

Moderately durable (Class 3)

DENSITY:

660kg/M³

MOISTURE MOVEMENT:

Medium

TIMBER PROPERTIES:

Fine grain, pale brown sapwood, dark brown to black heartwood

TEXTURE:

Fine

AVAILABLE SIZES:

Thickness: 25mm - 76.5mm
Width: 100mm +
Length: 2.1m +

American Black Walnut

American Black Walnut (also known simply as American Walnut or Black Walnut) is a moderately durable hardwood that's widely distributed in some parts of America (in the North, from South Ontario down to Texas, and in the East from Maine to Florida). However, scattered growth, lack of space for cultivation, and high demand mean that American Black Walnut is far from plentiful. As a result, you are only likely to find it at specialist timber merchants (like Quercus). The sapwood is often narrow and pale brown, while the heartwood gives Black Walnut its name, varying in colour from a rich chocolate to purplish-black.

American Black Walnut's unique visual identity has made it a popular choice for some items: bookcases, desks, dining room tables, bedroom furniture, office furniture, novelty items, decorative interior applications, and more. Relatively easy to work, and guaranteed sustainable (from Quercus) American Black Walnut is the perfect timber to spice up indoor areas.

American Black Walnut is readily available from well-managed forests, and is available FSC Certified.

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