

SPOTTED GUM



APPLICATIONS

FURNITURE, CABINETRY, JOINERY, FLOORING, DECKING & CLADDING,

DENSITY

950

REGION

AUSTRALIA

Heartwood pale to dark brown or chocolate. Sapwood is distinctively paler but there may be a zone of intermediate wood. Texture moderately coarse. Grain variable, the frequent presence of wavy grain produces an attractive fiddleback figure. Slightly greasy nature. Gum veins common. Northern material is usually slightly denser, stronger and more durable than southern. Also known as Lemon Scented Gum.



PROPERTIES

DENSITY

950

HARDNESS (JANKA) (KN)

11.0

MACHINING

GOOD

GLUING

POOR

MODULUS OF ELASTICITY (GPA DRY)

23

AVAILABILITY

AVAILABLE

MODULUS OF RUPTURE (MPA DRY)

150

FINISH

GOOD

SCREWING SPLIT RESISTANCE

GOOD

GROWING REGION

AUSTRALIA

TANGENTIAL SHRINKAGE

6%

SAPWOOD LYOTID SUSCEPTIBLE

YES

RADIAL SHRINKAGE

4.5%

DURABILITY

DURABLE

NAILING SPLIT RESISTANCE

GOOD

SPECIFIC GRAVITY

0.95

STABILITY

FAIR