

# TASMANIAN OAK



APPLICATIONS	DENSITY	REGION
FLOORING, FURNITURE, CABINETRY, JOINERY, BOATING,	780	TASMANIA

Heartwood pale to light brown in colour with a pinkish tinge. Sapwood is pale yellow, usually distinguishable from the heartwood. Texture moderately coarse but even. Grain sometimes interlocked. Growth rings visible but not prominent. Gum veins are common. Also known as Messmate.



## PROPERTIES

DENSITY	MODULUS OF RUPTURE (MPA DRY)	RADIAL SHRINKAGE
780	118	3.50
HARDNESS (JANKA) (KN)	FINISH	DURABILITY
5.7	GOOD	NON DURABLE
MACHINING	SCREWING SPLIT RESISTANCE	NAILING SPLIT RESISTANCE
GOOD	GOOD	GOOD
GLUING	GROWING REGION	SPECIFIC GRAVITY
GOOD	TASMANIA	0.78
MODULUS OF ELASTICITY (GPA DRY)	TANGENTIAL SHRINKAGE	STABILITY
15	6	GOOD
AVAILABILITY	SAPWOOD LYCTID SUSCEPTIBLE	
WIDELY	YES	