

TASMANIAN MYRTLE

Nothofagus Cunninghamii



Description

Pink to reddish brown coloured heartwood, paler sapwood separated from the heartwood by a zone of intermediate colour.

The grain is straight to slightly interlocked, sometimes wavy and the texture is very fine and uniform.

Also known as Beech, Myrtle.

Suitability

- ✓ Boating
- ✓ Cabinet Door
- ✗ Decking & Cladding
- ✓ Flooring & Staircase
- ✓ Furniture
- ✓ Joinery

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Density (kg/m ³ dry)	700	Hardness (Janka) (kN)	6	Resistance to Split in Nailing	Good
Specific Gravity	0.72	Finish	Good	Resistance to Split in Screwing	Good
Modulus of Rupture (MPa dry)	108	Stability	Good	Gluing	Good
Modulus of Elasticity (GPa dry)	14	Durable	No	Growing Region	TAS
Radial Shrinkage %	2.5	Sapwood Lyctid Susceptible	Yes	Availability	Limited
Tangential Shrinkage %	4.5	Machining	Good		

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