

HICKORY - CHARACTER

UNFINISHED

APPEARANCE/COLOR: The heartwood is tan or reddish. The sapwood is white to cream, with fine brown lines. Heartwood and sapwood often are sharply demarcated. The color can vary significantly.

PHOTOSENSITIVITY: Low. Slightly ambers with age and prolonged exposure to sunlight and oxygen.

GRAIN: Ring-porous. The grain is closed, with moderate definition. The grain can be somewhat rough-textured.

HARDNESS (JANKA): Averages 1820 lbf

AVERAGE DRIED WEIGHT: 4.16 lbs per sq. ft.

SPECIFIC GRAVITY: Averages 0.72 (at 12% MC)

DIMENSIONAL STABILITY IN-USE: Below average.

INSTALLATION: Cuts, routs, planes, and shapes well, with only a slight dulling effect on cutting edges. The irregular grain can chip or tear when blades become dull. Can be somewhat brittle and has a tendency to split the tongues when nailing, but can be avoided when compressor psi is set appropriately. Glue adheres well, with no known issues.

SAND/FINISH: Sands satisfactorily when following the standard grit progression sequence. It may require a higher grit abrasive on the final passes than with other species to minimize visible scratches. Accepts stains and finishes very nicely, with no known concerns.

CHARACTER GRADING RULES: Distinct natural variations in heartwood and sapwood coloration, along with varying natural wood characters and sound knots. Will admit the following: Unlimited open knots and open characters not exceeding 1" in diameter that will fill readily. Unlimited heavy dark streaks, dark spots, bird pecks, pin worm holes, checks, and sapwood. Sapwood may be stained, blotchy or speckled. The back side will admit: Occasional scant thickness and or waney edge if piece has sufficient bearing of full thickness to support it to the floor.

SPECIFICATIONS

SOLD	In full bundles
SHIPPING WEIGHT	4.16 lbs per sq. ft.
EDGE	Square Edge, Beveled Edge (Micro Bevel or V-Groove)
INSTALLATION	Nail/Staple Down, Glue Assist, Glue Down (Engineered Only)
STANDARD LENGTH	Random from 1'-8'
STANDARD WIDTHS	Solid: 2 1/4", 3 1/4", 4 1/4", 5 1/4", 6 1/4", 7 1/4", 8 1/4" Engineered: 3 1/4", 4 1/4", 5 1/4", 6 1/4", 7 1/4", 8 1/4"
AVERAGE LENGTH	36"
THICKNESS	3/4" Solid or 3/4" Engineered
AVG. WASTE FACTOR	5%
FINISH TYPE	Unfinished

***DISCLAIMER:** Real wood flooring will vary in color, grain pattern, and/or texture from samples as no two boards are alike.

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