

Brushbox

Brushbox is a popular choice for flooring, as it features a fine, even texture and its grain is naturally unblemished.

Common name	Brushbox
Look & features	Brushbox has a grain that usually interlocks to varying degrees and is a species that is low in tannins
Botanical name	Lophostemon confertus
Colour	Heartwood varies in colour from a pinkish grey to a rich reddish brown, while the sapwood is usually paler
Common uses	An extremely versatile timber with uses ranging from flooring, cladding, panelling, and joinery applications

Ranging in colour from rich reddish browns to palish pinks with interesting grain and colouration patterns, this timber offers both character and resilience whilst providing an impressive addition to any project.

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As with many wood products, natural variations in terms of colour and grain exist, but this only adds to its individuality, charm, and appeal.

Properties

Density (kg/m³)	
GD	1,160
ADD	900
Hardness kN (Janka)	
Green	7.9
Dry	9.5
Durability class	3
Strength group	S3/SD3
Joint group	J2/JD2
Shrinkage	
Radial % (approx.)	4.4
Tangential % (approx.)	9.7
Structural grades	
Unseasoned	F14-F17
Seasoned	F17-F24
Toughness (Nm)	
Green	Medium
Dry	Medium
Early fire hazard indices	
Ignitability	14
Spread of flame	7
Smoke development	3
Termite resistant	Yes
Lyctid-susceptible sapwood	No

