

# Elm, Homegrown and European.

| Ulmus spp |



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One of the most beautiful native and European hardwoods with a variable often interlocked grain and a unique figure caused by wavy rows of latewood vessels. Elm is light grey to medium reddish brown in colour, quite variable, and is a medium to high movement timber, although very resistant to splitting. Traditional uses include Windsor chair seats, Cartwheel-hubs, Coffins and Country style furniture. Elm is non durable, unless fully immersed in water, but is used for boat planking and waney edged cladding.

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<p><b>Origin.</b> UK, especially Scotland, parts of Europe.</p>	<p><b>Density.</b> 550kgs/m<sup>3</sup></p>
<p><b>Availability.</b> Limited, Waney edged kiln dried boards.</p>	<p><b>Movement in Service.</b> Medium to large.</p>
<p><b>Grade.</b> Sykes grade.</p>	<p><b>Thicknesses available.</b> 27mm, 41mm, 54mm, 80mm, 100mm</p>
<p><b>Colour.</b> Greyish brown to medium reddish brown, quite variable and often with pips and burry patches.</p>	<p><b>Length and width specification.</b> 2.1m and longer x 100mm and wider.</p>
<p><b>Applications.</b> Decorative work such as furniture, Boat-building.</p>	<p><b>Basic price Level.</b> Medium.</p>
<p><b>Durability.</b> Non-durable.</p>	<p><b>Summary.</b> Attractive timber requiring careful selection and care in construction to accommodate movement.</p>