

Emeri (idigbo).

| Terminalia ivorensis |



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A form of idigbo and a durable stable hardwood from Ghana. It should not be confused with Framire from other parts of West Africa, which is prone to brittle-heart, thunder-shake and tension wood. Emeri requires care in machining due to the interlocked grain structure, and all forms of Idigbo are prone to leach a yellow dye when wet, so require a leach-resistant primer when being painted. Overall, a good low-cost general-purpose timber which has been used as an Oak substitute although softer and lighter than Oak. Its natural colour is yellow.

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Origin.

Emeri Idigbo is from Ghana and is notably superior than Framire Idigbo from other nations in West Africa.

Density.

560kgs/m³

Availability.

Square edged kiln dried boards.

Movement in Service.

Small.

Grade.

'Sykes Grade' Emeri upgraded from FAS.

Thicknesses available.

26mm, 32mm, 38mm, 52mm, 63mm, 76mm, 100mm (AD)

Colour.

Yellow.

Length and width specification.

1.8m and longer x 100mm and wider.

Applications.

General joinery and interior furniture.

Basic price Level.

Low.

Durability.

Durable.

Summary.

Cost effective and stable timber for general purposes, use a leach resistant primer if painting.