

European Olive.

| Olea spp |



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Olive trees are grown for their fruit, so the only logs to reach market are those which fail to crop sufficiently due to injury or disease. Healthy trees may crop for hundreds of years. The wood is dense, but works easily, and is subject to fissuring. Olive is a beautifully marked wood with brown/black streaks on a creamy yellow background. Main uses are kitchen woodware such as spatulas, spoons, chopping boards etc. and some finds applications in furniture or turnery.

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Origin. Southern Europe.	Density. 990kgs/m ³
Availability. Waney edged kiln dried boards.	Movement in Service. Large.
Grade. Sykes grade.	Thicknesses available. 52mm
Colour. Cream to yellowish brown with irregular darker markings.	Length and width specification. 1.8m and longer x 100mm and wider.
Applications. Kitchen woodware, chopping boards etc. Also furniture, cabinetry, and turnery.	Basic price Level. High.
Durability. Non-durable to moderately durable heartwood.	Summary. Stunningly variable in colour and grain, with a tendency to fissuring, Olive is mainly used for kitchen woodware and furniture.