

Price List 2014

British Hardwood Flooring

British hardwoods are some of the most beautiful in the world, and there is no better way of showing them off than on your floor. A British hardwood floor is natural, unique and will last for generations.



Vastern Timber is a family owned sawmill and timber merchant, specialising in the sawing, drying and machining of British hardwoods.

For over one hundred years we have been at the heart of the British timber and furniture trade. Today, we use our experience to produce a range of traditional, yet precisely machined hardwood flooring.

All of our trees are grown in well managed British forests that are either FSC-certified or regulated under Forestry Commission guidelines. By purchasing locally we reduce the CO₂ emissions from our transport.

Flooring specifications

Our flooring is supplied unfinished allowing you to choose your preferred oil or lacquer.

The majority of our floors are supplied in a traditional mixed width specification that will include an equal proportion of three different board widths.

Boards are supplied in random lengths.

The floorboards are supplied with tongue and groove joints on the two long edges. Wide-board specifications are supplied with either square edges or with a loose tongue joint.

All boards are supplied with square ends rather than end tongue and groove. By doing this we are able to keep the boards as long as possible.

All boards are machined to be reversible, so there is always a choice of two faces.

The flooring is dried to a moisture content of 12%. We recommend that flooring is allowed to acclimatise for four to six weeks (depending on the time of year) before being laid. To acclimatise the boards, stack them flat in the room where they are due to be laid with the heating switched on.

Samples of flooring can be viewed at the sawmills and provide an indication only as to how your floor will look. Small knots and defects, variation in colour and grain pattern are all accepted as natural features and characteristics that enhance this type of solid hardwood flooring.

Flooring prices

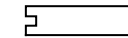
Our prices are listed on the following pages. All timber prices are in pounds sterling per square metre, exclusive of VAT.

Widths given are those of the visible board once laid. Orders less than 20m² will incur a 10% premium. Minimum order 10m².

Our timber is cut in the following profiles:

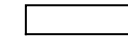
T&G

Tongue and Grooved



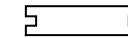
S/E

Square Edge



L/T

Loose Tongue





Ordering a floor

- 1 Choose your wood
- 2 Select a range of board widths
- 3 Check that the floor is appropriate for your sub-floor
- 4 Calculate quantity of flooring required to include 10–15% for wastage
- 5 Select a floor finish
- 6 Complete your floor with matching skirting and architraves
- 7 At any stage feel free to ask questions

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

English oak: First grade

A floor selected from prime English oak. The boards are even coloured, with occasional small tight knots and are free of any major defects.

Board width	Thickness	Profile	Board length	Price per m ²
100 / 125 / 150mm	20mm	T&G 	1.2–3.0mt	£37.50
150 / 175 / 200mm	20mm	T&G 	1.2–3.0mt	£55.65



English oak: Character grade

A traditional English floor with variations in colour and tone including small to medium sized knots, 'cats paws' and swirling grain.

Board width	Thickness	Profile	Board length	Price per m ²
100 / 125 / 150mm	20mm	T&G 	1.2–3.0mt	£33.10
150 / 175 / 200mm	20mm	T&G 	1.2–3.0mt	£41.80

English oak: Barn grade

A rugged floor with a wild array of swirling grain, variation in colours, large knots, 'cats paws' and open splits.

Board width	Thickness	Profile	Board length	Price per m ²
200 – 300mm	20mm	S/E 	1.2–3.0mt	£41.50
200 – 300mm	20mm	L/T 	1.2–3.0mt	£43.60



English oak: Factory grade

A narrow strip floor suitable for smaller spaces, with natural colour variations and small knots.

Board width	Thickness	Profile	Board length	Price per m ²
65 / 75 / 100mm	20mm	T&G 	0.5–3.0mt	£25.90

Tiger brown English oak

A darker floor with colours ranging from honey to chocolate brown, otherwise similar in quality to our Character grade oak.



Board width	Thickness	Profile	Board length	Price per m ²
100 / 125 / 150mm	20mm	T&G 	1.2–3.0mt	£32.80
150 / 175 / 200mm	20mm	T&G 	1.2–3.0mt	£41.50

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Sweet chestnut

Similar in colour to oak but with lighter tones and a more distinct grain pattern, occasional dark streaks and knots.

Board width	Thickness	Profile	Board length	Price per m ²
100 / 125 / 150mm	20mm	T&G 	1.2–3.0mt	£36.40
150 / 175 / 200mm	20mm	T&G 	1.2–3.0mt	£42.85




Elm: Character grade

A wild floor combining the flowery grain of red elm and the vibrant green and purple colours of wych elm with knots, burrs and small cracks.

Board width	Thickness	Profile	Board length	Price per m ²
100 / 125 / 150mm	20mm	T&G 	0.9–3.0mt	£44.40

Elm: Barn grade

Similar to the Character grade elm but with wilder grain, larger knots and open splits.

Board width	Thickness	Profile	Board length	Price per m ²
150 / 175 / 200mm	20mm	T&G 	0.9–3.0mt	£51.80
200 – 300mm	20mm	S/E 	0.9–3.0mt	£61.95
200 – 300mm	20mm	L/T 	0.9–3.0mt	£65.90

Wild cherry

This beautiful fruitwood has a soft pink colouring with a subtle grain and occasional knots.

Board width	Thickness	Profile	Board length	Price per m ²
75 / 100 / 125mm	20mm	T&G 	0.9–3.0mt	£27.80

Sycamore

Suitable for areas with less traffic, this is a creamy white floor with occasional knots and dark mineral streaks.

Board width	Thickness	Profile	Board length	Price per m ²
75 / 100 / 125mm	20mm	T&G 	0.9–3.0mt	£26.60

Ash


A pale floor with blond and olive tones and interesting grain patterns.


Board width	Thickness	Profile	Board length	Price per m ²
75 / 100 / 125mm	20mm	T&G 	0.9–3.0mt	£31.20


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Skirting, architrave and beading

Profile	Product	Specie	Dimensions	Price	
	Torus	Skirting	Oak	20 x 120mm	£7.70/mt
	Torus	Architrave	Oak	20 x 70mm	£31.70/set

Profile	Product	Specie	Dimensions	Price	
	Reversible pencil round and chamfer	Skirting	Oak	20 x 95mm	£5.85/mt

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	Pencil round	Architrave	Oak	20 x 70mm	£29.60/set

Profile	Product	Specie	Dimensions	Price	
	Chamfered	Architrave	Oak	20 x 70mm	£29.60/set

Profile	Product	Specie	Dimensions	Price	
	Quadrant	Beading	Oak	18 x 18mm	£1.95/mt
	Scotia	Beading	Oak	18 x 18mm	£1.95/mt

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Adhesives and fixings

Product		Price
SikaBond AT-80 adhesive	17kg (20m ²)	£97.35
SikaBond T54 trowelled adhesive	6.5kg (10m ²)	£69.60
SikaBond trowel	-	£5.90
Traditional cut flooring brads	50mm (per 2.5kg)	£15.95
	65mm (per 2.5kg)	£14.60
Primatch floor nails	38mm (per 1000)	£12.60
	50mm (per 1000)	£12.60
Primatch flooring nailer hire	One day	£22.00
	Weekend	£28.00
	Weekly	£40.00

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Oils and lacquers

Product	Advantages	Container size	Coats required	Price
Granwax Classical Silk	Water based polyurethane finish	5.0ltrs (70m ²)	2-4	£76.35
Granwax Granglaze Satin	Oil modified polyurethane finish	5.0ltrs (80m ²)	2-3	£48.75
Fiddes Hardwax Oil	Traditional oil/wax treatment. Also available in New England dark finish and White Lime effect finish.	2.5ltrs (50m ²) 1.0ltrs (20m ²)	2-3	£48.70 £27.85
Additional items	Applicator Spare applicator pad	- -	- -	£16.40 £3.10

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Fixing the flooring

For tips on fixing our hardwood floors please visit vastern.co.uk/advice

T&G boards are designed to be secret nailed through the tongue. S/E and L/T boards are designed to be face fixed using traditional cut flooring brads.

Alternatively floor boards up to 150mm width can be fixed with Sika adhesive to a level and sealed screed.

Remember

- 1 Ensure the room is dry before introducing the flooring
- 2 Fully acclimatise the floorboards for four to six weeks
- 3 Always leave a 10mm expansion gap around the entire perimeter of the floor

If in doubt employ an experienced floor fitter. We can supply a list of fitters recommended by our customers.

**We also offer
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and hardwood
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General conditions

All prices are exclusive of VAT.

All goods remain the property of Vastern Timber until paid for in full.

We endeavour to maintain the standard sizes as shown, but reserve the right to alter these without prior notice. Tolerance must be allowed for shrinkage and production variations.

It is the responsibility of the customer to ensure that the surroundings into which the floor is to be fitted have an appropriate level of moisture.