Kebony Character

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Kebony Character pier decking

Product description

Kebony Character products are produced from FSC® certified Scots Pine modified with a bio-based liquid

The patented Kebony technology permanently alters the wood cell structure to give a unique wood product with outstanding durability and no maintenance needs beyond normal cleaning.

Kebony Character products contain knots and untreated heartwood. The amount of heartwood will vary from board to board.



Quality and appearance upon delivery

Profile	Rectangular with smooth surface
Dimension	34 x 145 mm *
Standard length(s)	2,3 - 5,3 m. For availability and possible alternative lengths please contact your Kebony representative or our local Kebony trade partner.
Knots/Pitch pockets	Contains only live knots
Cupping	Max 2,5 % of width
Crook	Max 5 mm / 2 m
Moisture	8-14 %
Cracks	Surface cracks maybe visible
Wane	May occur on the back



The Kebony technology gives the wood a deep rich brown colour (some natural colour variations will occur and there are possible darker areas as a result of the process). After exposure to sun and rain the wood will develop a natural silvergray patina where surface cracks and checks may appear, this is a natural development and will not influence the performance and durability of the wood.

* Because of the Kebony® process, the dimension may vary up to ± 3 %

Kebony technology permanently alters the non-durable sap wood, however untreated naturally durable heartwood will be visible on the board ends.

Technical data (average values)	Kebony	Untreated	Unit	
Density (12 % mc)	570	490	Kg/m ³	
Hardness (EN 1534)	2-3	2	Brinell	
Characteristic bending strength (MOR - EN 408 / EN 384)	23	24	MPa	
Stiffness (MOE - EN 408 / EN 384)	9,9	10,6	GPa	
Max swelling (dry to wet, tangential direction)	6	8	%	
Decay resistance (EN 350)	1-2***	5	Durability class 1-5	
Use class (EN 335)	3*	1**		
* Suitable for outdoor applications above ground				

** Not suitable for outdoor applications

Documents / Certificates / Compliance

Kebony installation guide for terrace - www.kebony.com Norwegian technical approval TG 2493 - www.sintefcertification.no Norwegian technical approval 19 2493 - www.smicro-Nordic Ecolabel 2086 0001 - www.nordic-ecolabel.org FSC CU-COC-813689 - www.fsc.org EPD: NEPD-410-288-EN - www.epd-norge.no Complies with EU Timber Regulation (EUTR)



FSC* C074349

*** Sapwood (Heartwood of scots pine has dur. class 3)



Environment

Kebony products are exempted from the EU's biocide directive (76/769/EEC). Waste handling as ordinary wood.

Disclaimer

Up to 5% of the delivered boards may be outside this specification and must to be accepted.

Kebony products will change in appearance when exposed to rain and sun. Colour changes and surface cracks will occur due to natural weathering. The manufacturer cannot be held liable for any such variations in colour and surface appearance. This will not influence durability and overall performance of the product

Kebony Character products should not be further machined or split as untreated heartwood will be exposed. Kebony Character products can be cross-cut to length. Exposed end grain after cross-cutting must be treated with a wood preservative.

Kebony is continuously working on product development. Information in this datasheet may be changed without further notice.

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