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HAS A WIDE VARIETY OF USES HOWEVER PARTICULARLY IMPRESSIVE RESULTS ARE ACHIEVED WHEN FEATURED AS CLADDING / DECKING AND/OR EXTERNAL FEATURE TIMBERS.

Other applications include internal linings, flooring, joinery and outdoor furniture. Silvertop Ash heartwood is pale to yellowish-brown.

This wood has a medium texture with an interlocking grain and noticeable growth rings. As the word 'Silver' suggests, the timber of this species can be left to silver or to an aged patina look and is reasonably easy to work with.

Silvertop Ash accepts paint, stain and polish readily and fixing with standard fixings and fasteners presents no problems.

Generally, Silvertop Ash is a durable timber and has the added benefit of offering good fire resistance in thicknesses over 18mm. It is also not susceptible to Lyctid Borer.



COMMON NAME	Silvertop Ash
LOOK & FEATURES	Fairly close-grained timber, free of gum vein
BOTANICAL NAME	Eucalyptus sieberi
COLOUR	Pale to yellowish-brown
COMMON USES	Decking, flooring, cladding, domestic structures, heavy, posts, joinery and outdoor furniture

PROPERTIES

DENSITY (KG/M3)	
GD	1100
ADD	850
HARDNESS KN (JANKA)	
Green	6.7
Dry	9.7
DURABILITY CLASS	
2	
STRENGTH GROUP	
S3/SD3	
JOINT GROUP	
J2/JD2	
SHRINKAGE	
Radial % (approx.)	5.7
Tangential % (approx)	10.6
STRUCTURAL GRADES	
Unseasoned	F11/F14/F17
Seasoned	F22/F27
TOUGHNESS (NM)	
Green	Medium
Dry	Medium
EARLY FIRE HAZARD INDICES	
Ignitability	12
Spread of Flame	6
Smoke Development	3
TERMITE RESISTANT	(to AS3660) No
LYCTID SUSCEPTIBLE SAPWOOD	No