HEAT TREATED



TRM56K

1"x 5.7" Thermory® Treated Ash

Thermally modified wood has been used with success in Japan and Europe for over 15 years. The stock has been tested in Europe and carries a category 1 durability rating of 25 years. The lumber is heated to over 400°F in an oxygen-free kiln. The chemical free process changes the color of the wood to a rich brown, while removing the wood sugars for increased durability and markedly increasing the overall stability of the wood. The domestic ash provides a solid, beautiful hardwood deck, and is a good alternative to lpé. THERMORY® decking is milled with the JEM (joint end matched) system to provide the look of hardwood floor with no face fasteners showing.

PROS: Smooth, durable, WUI tested and compliant, stable, hard American ash, end matched for seamless

installation, value priced alternative to Ipé.

CONS: Limited lengths, expensive, color fades quickly unless protected with UV sealer, 16" OC.



PK56

1.23" x 5-1/2" Pakari Thermally Modified Decking

Pakari is a thermally modified decking manufactured from FSC certified clear Radiata Pine. The lumber is grown and heat treated in New Zealand, but milled here in California. The stock is stable, rot resistant, and easy to install. The stock is run with a reeded face with a smooth surfaced back. The beaded face gives the flat grain wood a vertical grain appearance and helps hide face checks while improving slip resistance. TMD absorbs less moisture than regular wood so there is less seasonal expansion and contraction. This stability makes the Camo hidden side screw system an ideal installation method.

PROS: Smooth, durable, good lengths availability, stable, clear, value priced alternative to clear softwood.

CONS: Small face checking, color will fade quickly unless protected with UV sealer, 16" OC.