



Bouls Olive Ash 32 mm

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Description

Ash is one of the most valuable woods of the Central European forest, found mainly along streams and rivers and in riparian forests. Thanks to its elasticity and shock resistance, it is known for its use in gymnastic equipment and tool handles. The wood gets its typical, expressive character from its ring and coarse pores. The brown heart of the ash does not develop until it is about 70 to 90 years old, depending on the location. The brown to dark brown or sometimes light brown heartwood stands out slightly against the broad, light yellowish sapwood.

Trade names and other names

German: Esche mit Kern, Ash Braunkern

English: Ash

French: Frene

Italian: Frassino maggiore, Frassino comune

Spanish: Fresno norteño, fresno común, fresno grande

Dutch: Aesche, As

Portuguese: Cinza

Arabic: Murran

Chinese: 欧洲山毛榉

Available thicknesses

22, 30, 32, 40, 50, 52, 60, 70, 80 mm, other thicknesses on request.

Occurrence

Ash (*Fraxinus excelsior*) is found throughout Europe with the exception of central and southern Spain, in the Near East and partly in India.

Trunk and bark

As a rule, ash trees reach a height of between 17 and 35 metres. On particularly good sites, however, heights of over 40 m can be reached. The ash can be up to 20 m knot-free and 1 m thick. The bark of the ash is smooth and greenish grey up to the age of 50, later brown, almost black, with broad longitudinal and transverse cracks.


Characteristics and wood colour

The ash is ring-porous, the large vessels in the early wood appear as coarse needle cracks in longitudinal section. The annual rings are clearly visible in all sections of the Ash. The wood of the European Ash is creamy white to light brown, sometimes with a dark brown or black heartwood. Heartwood and sapwood are hardly distinguishable. Dark heartwood is a quality defect in ash, as the wood with red, brown or black heartwood is not as tough as those of white colour.

Specifications

Category	Lumber
Product group	Unedged lumber
Thicknesses	32 mm
Weight kg/m3	720.000
Specie	Olive Ash
Botanical name	Fraxinus excelsior
Wood type	Hardwood
Main occurrence	Europe
Wood origin	Italy Croatia Austria Switzerland Hungary
Certification	not certified FSC®100%
Colour	brown
Hue	clear
Use	furniture interior Carving and turnery work
Surface structure	rough-cut
Humidity	10% ± 2%
Customs tariff number	44079910
Packaging	loosely
Items on stock	yes
Date of delivery	approx. 3 - 6 working days
Postal shipping	nein

Documents

	Prospekt Furniere & Massivholz
	Holzdeklaration