

Antique Tobacco Oak AgedSawn Flooring

Specification Sheet #10264

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Design Professionals to specify this product, use the following information:

product: Antique Tobacco Oak AgedSawn Flooring

designate appropriate face widths, additional texture, if any, and factory finish or unfinished

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Product Specifications:

1. **specie** a combination of American red & white oaks
2. **source: antique** 100% recycled primarily siding from tobacco drying barns
3. **moisture content** kiln-dried to 6-8% moisture content after the wood has been well seasoned in its previous use
4. **hardness** janka rating: 1290 (hard)
5. **character rating** 9.2 (very rustic) our character scale rates floors on a 1 - 10 scale; a low number is a refined floor and a high number is very rustic
6. **grading** the appearance standards outlined here apply to a floor as a whole and not to individual boards
7. **knots** an unlimited amount of knots of any size are allowed; some knots are broken and may need filled or defected out by the installer
8. **holes** an unlimited amount of nail holes are allowed, but generally there are only a few nail holes per board; staining around fastener holes is common; insect holes/tracks, of any size are allowed
9. **checks/cracks** much of the desired character of this product comes from checks in the surface of the boards so an unlimited amount of checking in allowed; cracks through the thickness of the board are allowed as long as the board is stable enough for nail down installation
10. **standard surface texture** the original weathered face will be wire-brushed (to remove dirt, debris and loose wood, texture is added in some areas); due to the variance in texture some boards may be higher (overwood) than the board next to it; overwood can be deflected in the screening process after installation; occasionally joints will need additional work with hand tools to feather the higher board down to the board next to it; **additional available textures:**
 - a. Pillowed edges
 - b. Square Plugs
11. **color** the face color will usually vary from dark brown and gray (almost black when finish is applied) to light brown; an unlimited combination of colors is allowed
12. **grain** the majority of the wood will be flat or cathedral grain; some rift cut or quarter sawn boards may be included

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13. **millwork** ¾" thick at the milled portion of the face with the original textured areas thinner; a tongue and groove will be milled on the edges; the back of the board is milled mostly smooth with back outs; the ends of the boards will be cut square
14. **widths** 3" to 7" with custom sizes available; floors are usually produced with a combination of 3 or more face sizes with enough of each size to create a random pattern; stated widths may be adjusted +/- ½" at manufacturer discretion
15. **lengths** up to 10'; with an average length of about 6'; 12' board to be included if available; minimum length of 2'
16. **installation** basic principles of installation for solid wood floors apply to this product and it should be installed according to the standard professional practices of your area; installers should be well experienced with custom wood floors and have artistic skill in board placement
17. **unfinished** this flooring product comes unfinished and is designed to be prepped and finished on site, however an option for a Factory Finish of Hard Oil UV Cured is available