Luxurious Teak

Nature's exterior and interior wood

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FEQ Burmese Teak from Myanmar (formerly Burma) is sustainably harvested and comes from the original or old growth forests and not the inferior Teak from plantations.

Take a minute to learn about Teak and how it can enhance your next project.

As an exterior wood, Teak is valued for its high strength, stability, durability, resistance to water, rot, fungi and mildew. This makes it an ideal wood for boat building, doors, windows, decks, furniture, carving, turnings, and other exterior millwork projects. Teak's rich colour and attractive grain pattern makes it an appealing wood for modern interior furnishings and décor.

UCS Global has Teak available as solid lumber, natural veneers and in our own Element Veneers.

Teak is available in:

4/4 through 8/4 (Other sizes available on request)

Plain sawn and quarter sawn

Long lengths are available
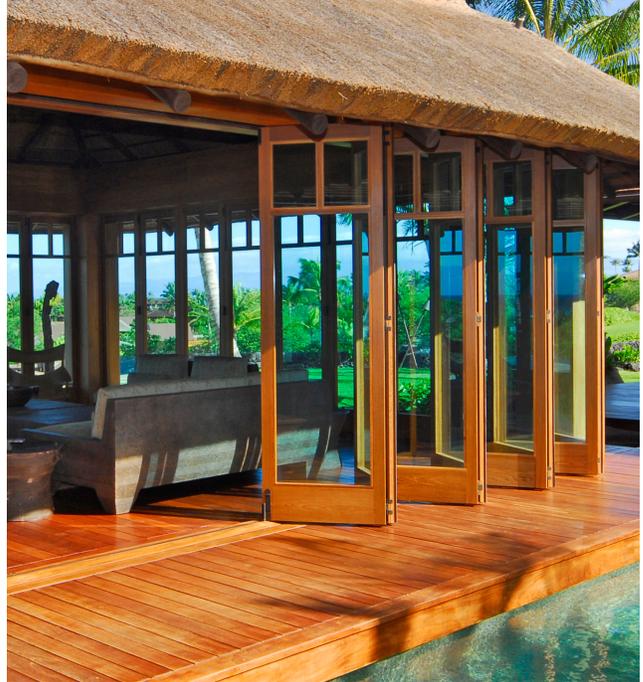
About Teak

SCIENTIFIC NAME
Tectona grandis

COLOUR/APPEARANCE
Heartwood tends to be a golden or medium brown, with colour darkening with age.

GRAIN/TEXTURE
Grain is straight, though it can occasionally be wavy or interlocked. Coarse, uneven texture and moderate to low natural luster. Raw, unfinished wood surfaces have a slightly oily or greasy feel due to natural oils

ROT RESISTANCE
Teak has been considered by many to be the gold standard for decay resistance, and its heartwood is rated as very durable. Teak is also resistant to termites, though it is only moderately resistant to marine borers and powder post beetles.

WORKABILITY
Easy to work in nearly all regards, with the only caveat being that Teak contains a high level of silica (up to 1.4%) which has a pronounced blunting effect on cutting edges. Despite its natural oils, Teak usually glues and finishes well, though in some instances it may be necessary to wipe the surface of the wood with a solvent prior to gluing/finishing to reduce the natural oils on the surface of the wood.