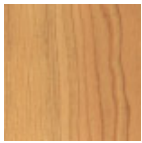


Wood Characteristics

Wood is a natural product. Color variation, graining differences, pin holes, knots and mineral streaks all enhance the beauty of natural wood. You may experience these and other natural and beautiful wood characteristics in your CANAC cabinetry.

Canac strives to maintain industry-leading standards by carefully selecting high quality pieces of solid and veneer woods for your cabinetry. Canac's finish processes are designed to enhance the natural wood tones and characteristics that vary from tree to tree.



Cherry

Cherry is moderately heavy and strong with a smooth and even grain pattern. As it ages, it will darken and mellow, creating a beautiful patina. Cherry showcases more natural characteristics than other woods. It may naturally contain localized variations of green, pink and yellow streaks.



Maple

Hard Maple is a heavy, dense and strong wood with a smooth and straight grain pattern. Grain may also occur as a “bird’s eye” figure. Hard maple has a high resistance to abrasion and wear. As it ages, it will take on a golden hue.



Oak

Red Oak is very strong and stiff with an open-grain pattern that can run from straight lines to arched and pointed. In lighter finishes, darkness and lightness variations will be noticeable. Prominent flame-shaped grain pattern is enhanced when finish color is applied.



Knotty White Oak

White Oak is harder and heavier than red oak. It is straight-grained and has a medium to coarse texture. This wood is hand selected specifically for rustic character including knots, worm holes and mineral stains.