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Hardwood material is an important cost factor in producing furniture. Most industries – like steel / aluminum profiles, screws, etc. - have developed standards in order to reduce cost for the customers and make handling easier. Pollmeier is following the same path and introducing standards to make the use of sustainable hardwood more affordable for future furniture customers.

STANDARD RTW:

- Reduces waste by 20 % because there is no need for ripping
- Reduces cost by 20 % because of having no ripping waste
- Eliminates workload because of no ripping and having less dust in the factory
- Reduces waste handling
- Easy to calculate and predictable
- Superior S-Quality guarantees at least a 2100 mm defect-free length in boards with total length of 2450 mm

RTW is available in half (1.4 - 1.9 m³) and quarter (0.7 - 1 m³) packages, which allows our customers to have the right size available by having small inventory.

Overview - STANDARD RIPPED-To-WIDTH (RTW) - Grades & Dimensions

Length: 2.45 m; 3.05 m; 3.35 m (plus 2 - 3 cm, occasional trimms allowed (approx. 10%))

Grade	width thickness* mm	42	48	49	50	54	68	80	100	125	150	175
	26 23,8 presanded	x				х	х	x	х			
Superior	32 29,5 presanded	х				х	х	x	х			
Superior	38 36,0 presanded	×				x	х	×				
	52 48,5 presanded			х			х	х				
Superior	38 36,0 presanded								x	x	×	
Door Frame	52 48,5 presanded								х	х	×	
	26 23,8 presanded	x				x	х	х	x			
	32 29,5 presanded	×				х	х	х	х			
Superior Colour	38 36,0 presanded	x				х	х	x				
	52 48,5 presanded			х			х	х				
Superior Colour	38 36,0 presanded								х	х	x	х
Door Frame	52 48,5 presanded								х	x	×	х
Superior Colour Redheart	26 23,8 presanded	x				х	х	х				
	26 23,8 presanded	×				х	х	х				
	32 29,5 presanded	×				×	×	×	**			
Cabinet	38 36,0 presanded	x				x	x	x	**			
	52 48,5 presanded			х			х	×	**			
Cabinet Colour	26 23,8 presanded	x				х	х	x				
	32 29,5 presanded	х				х	х	х	**			
	38 36,0 presanded	х				х	х	х	**			
	52 48,5 presanded			х			х	х	**			
Cabine Colour	38 36,0 presanded								**	**	**	**
Door Frame	52 48,5 presanded								**	**	**	**
Prime Frame	26 23,8 presanded		×		×							
	32 29,5 presanded	**										
Custom Shop	38 36,0 presanded	**										
Custom Shop	52 48,5 presanded			**								
	32 29,5 presanded	**										
Colour	38 36,0 presanded	**										
	52 48,5 presanded			**								

^{*} Tolerance ± 0.3 mm

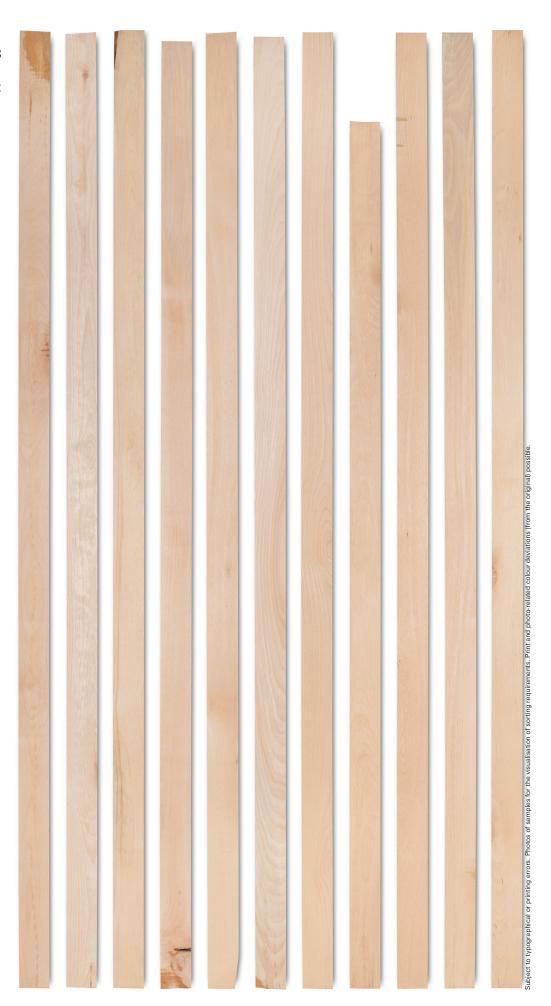
Pollmeier Standard

- Lightly steamed
- Carefully kiln-dried to 7 9 % moisture content
- Conditioned
- Pre-sanded on both faces

^{**} only stockvolumes available

Superior

- for dimensions see page 3
- nearly defect-free product
- defect-free cuttings on both sides
- Exceptional high yield in long cutting lengths without discolouration
 - ≥ 2.10m at 2.45m
 - ≥ 2.40m at 3.05m
 - ≥ 2.70m at 3.35m
- Small percentage in short and medium cutting lengths without discolouration





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- for dimensions see page 3
- colour no defect
- nearly defect-free product
- defect-free cuttings on both sides
- Exceptional high yield in long cutting lengths
 - ≥ 2.10m at 2.45m
 - ≥ 2.40m at 3.05m
 - ≥ 2.70m at 3.35m
- Small percentage in short and medium cutting lengths



Superior Colour BACK

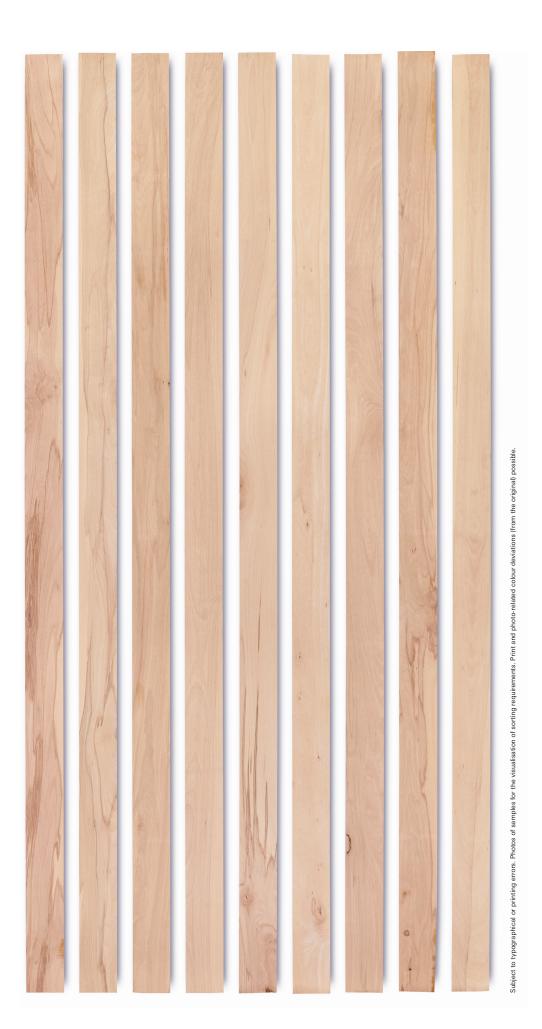


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Superior Colour Redheart

- for dimensions see page 3
- colour/redheart no defect
- nearly defect-free product
- defect-free cuttings on both sides
- Exceptional high yield in long cutting lengths
 - ≥ 2.10m at 2.45m
 - ≥ 2.40m at 3.05m
 - ≥ 2.70m at 3.35m
- Small percentage in short and medium cutting lengths



BACK



Cabinet

- for dimensions see page 3
- minimum yield 75% for short and medium cutting lengths of 600 mm or more



Cabinet **BACK**

Usable Wood (Ø 91%) 77% 99% 94% 89% 97% 82% 93% 85% 81% 97% 94% 97% 97% 96% 96% Subject to typographical or printing errors. Photos of samples for the visualisation of sorting requirements. Print and photo-related colour deviations (from the original) possible.



Cabinet Colour

- for dimensions see page 3
- minimum yield 75% for short and medium cutting lengths of 600 mm or more
- colour no defect

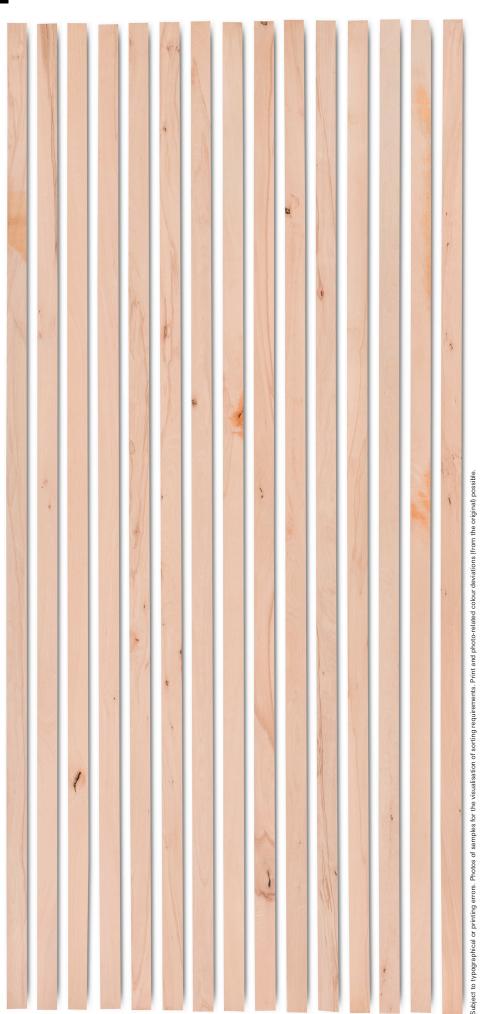


Cabinet Colour BACK

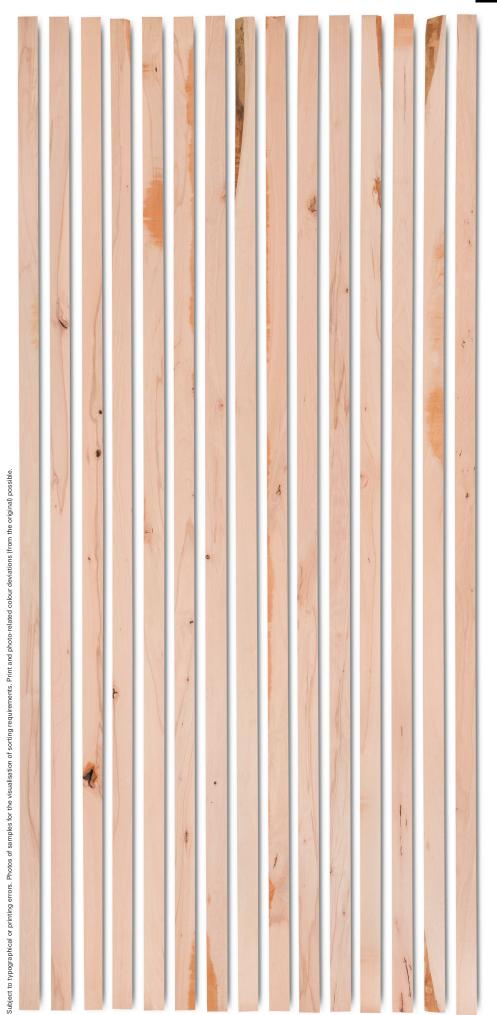


Prime Frame

- for dimensions see page 3
- contains predominantly smaller defects
- designed to use at high yield in upholstery frames



Prime Frame BACK



COST PER READY TO USE COMPONENT IF RTW IS BEING USED.

Grade	RTW price	Yield	Final price	Comments
Superior				
Superior Colour				
Cabinet				
Cabinet Colour				

EXEMPLARY BEECH MATERIAL COST CALCULATION FOR A PIECE OF FURNITURE.

			Frame piece	Rear legs	Front legs	of a chair	Pieces
			4	2	2	Quantity	
			390	900	490	Length (mm)	Fin
			52	46	46	Width (mm)	Final dimensions
			22	46	46	Thick- ness (mm)	ons
			400	910	500	Length (mm)	Raw ma
			54	48	48	Width (mm)	Raw material dimensions (invoiced)
			26	52	52	Thickness (mm)	ensions
			0.000562	0.002271	0.001248	raw material	Volume (m³)
			655	745	745	(em.) (RTW)	Price raw material
			80%	80%	80%	(%)	Yield
			818.75 €	931.25€	931.25€	based on dimensions	Net raw material costs
		Total Cost	0.46 €	2.12 €	1.16 €	Materialcost of a single piece using RTW or CTS	
		8.39 €	1.84 €	4.23 €	2.32 €	Total materialcosts of pieces using RTW or CTS	

Other sales price
Raw material costs of PM
Other raw material costs



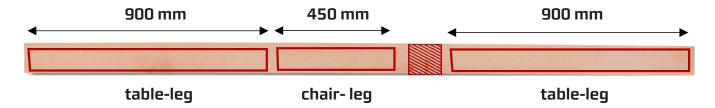


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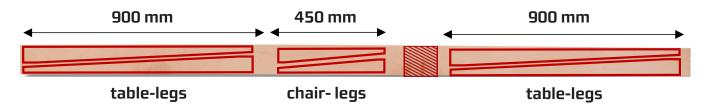
General advice on the use of RTW:

- Especially when designing new furniture models it is important to have a look what standard sizes are available and work with the new standards as efficient as possible to reduce waste and limit inventory. Smart use of the new standards leads to significant cost savings during the lifetime of the new furniture model.
- Use as few Ripped-to-Width dimensions as possible to ensure:
 - minimum waste and maximum yield
 - low inventory
 - good usage of the wood by having short pieces in each Ripped-to-Width dimension.

Example picture:



Position conical parts opposite each other for more efficiency



Please note: The most powerful advantage of RTW is the high flexibility in length cutting.

If the customer has a high variety in lengths or processes small volumes per length, RTW is often the better alternative compared to COMPONENTS.

If the customer can use CTS one pallet one size, our COMPONENTS dimensions fit, CTS is costwise most often the best alternative.

Machining examples on the use of RTW

How to machine-cut RTW to length:





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Comments



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Beech. One Wood. So many possibilities.



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