

## **Wood Grading**

## First Quality, #1 Common, Select

First Quality products may or may not offer a warranty. If so, all warranties are directed to the Manufacturer. Installation of a warranted product deems acceptance. Manufacturers closeouts or discontinued inventories often do not offer a warranty & are SOLD AS IS. The majority of the floors, unless manufactured to be distressed, will be generally free of defects. Natural characteristics will be visible, but defects will have been culled at the factory. Board length is typically longer & finish quality will be visibly clean. There will be less color & variation in this grade, unless it is manufactured to be a "distressed" look or is a naturally varied wood, such as Natural Hickory. You will need to figure at least 5-8 % and you should get a serviceable floor. Refer to Stovers Return Policy

## Cabin Grade, Rustic, #2 Common, Tavern

Down grade products all have a defect or a missed specification. Dye lot variation, color defect, gloss level, shorter board length and miss-milling are all examples of possible defects. If a lot made today has a gloss level different from the specification, it cannot be mixed with a lot made last week so it would be downgraded to seconds. Anything that would keep a floor from being First Quality automatically makes it Second Quality (aka. Seconds). You will need to figure at least 10% waste and you should get a serviceable floor. The finish product you achieve will be determined greatly by your interpretation of waste. SOLD AS IS — Refer to Stovers Return Policy

## **Utility Grade, #3**

The lowest grade of all pre-finished flooring, this grade accepts anything; short pieces, sander burns, splits, large knots, pieces missing tongue and/or groove, any and all of these can be in a box of utility grade wood. That being said, it is still pre-finished, solid wood at half the cost of unfinished wood flooring. You will need to figure at least 25% waste and you should get a serviceable floor. We sell a lot of this material to customers that are looking for a low cost alternative & are willing to invest some time in the culling & installation process. SOLD AS IS - Refer to Stovers Return Policy.

Please feel free to contact us with any questions that you may have. We have a team of experts that are available to you to assist you with your questions, concerns and even assist you with placing an order.

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