



# TRUE

ENGINEERED  
HARDWOOD  
FLOORING

## UNIQUE WOOD DESIGNED BY NATURE AND TIME

Some of the most spectacular-looking woods were created by healthy trees falling into adjacent swamps, wetlands, lakes, and rivers, lying buried for hundreds to thousands of years. Deprived of any oxygen and sunlight, they were preserved from decay by absorbing salt, tannins and minerals' resulting in the most beautiful, partially fossilized timber in a wide range of colors.



## EVERY LOG TELLS ITS OWN STORY

Each log, in each wood species, carries its own unique history. Age and exposure to the specific conditions in which it has been preserved determine the tone and intensity of color. These range from pale grey and brown to dark golden brown and dark grey through to charcoal with a platinum sheen. It will take some 4,000 to 5,000 years for nature to create the most prized black.

## TRUE CREATION TIMELINE



500 yrs

1,000 yrs

2,000 yrs

3,000 yrs

3,500 yrs

5,000 yrs

## OUR INSPIRATION AND CHALLENGE

These ancient woods, named bog-wood\*, are in high demand because of their unique patina and beauty.

A similar look was applied to driftwood and weathered wood, created by nature's natural elements and climate over a long period.

Inspired by nature, we developed specific techniques to replicate the patina and authentic look of these weathered and ancient woods. With this natural process, we produced hardwood flooring featuring the same kind of unique beauty and color that penetrates throughout each distinct species.



## A UNIQUE COLLECTION OF WOOD FLOORS

We are now extremely proud and happy to be able to present and offer an exclusive collection of hardwood floors, by replicating this natural process. The raw hardwood material is treated with salt and minerals under high pressure which speeds up the process that would have taken nature thousands of years. The result is a remarkable, authentic looking range in oak, hickory, maple and pine - each with its own beautiful look, color and patina.

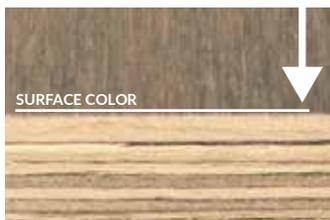
## NO STAINS OR DYES

Not only are these floors one-of-a-kind in their richness of color and patina, unlike all other existing wood floors, the beauty and color of each floor also goes all-through the surface layer without the use of any stains or dyes.

## SURFACE LAYER CARRIES COLOR THROUGH TO THE CORE



TRUE COLOR GOES ALL THE WAY THROUGH TO THE CORE



TRADITIONAL COLOR IS APPLIED ONLY TO THE SURFACE



\*Bog-wood - (Originally from Ireland and Scotland) Bog-wood is created from the trunks of trees that have lain in bogs, and bog-like conditions such as lakes, river bottoms and swamps, for centuries and even millennia. Deprived of oxygen, the wood undergoes the process of fossilization and morta formation.

## DENT AND SCRATCH RESISTANT

The additional benefit of this wood treatment process - whether by nature or by our unique production technique – is a harder hardwood that is even more stable and more resistant to dents, wear and scratching. Our floors become high-performing hardwood floors especially suitable for commercial environments, as well as residential installation.

The True Collection by Hallmark Floors is the very first of its kind and is in a hardwood category all its own.



ONYX OAK



GARDENIA OAK



ORANGE BLOSSOM HICKORY



NEROLI OAK



LEMON GRASS OAK



ORRIS MAPLE



GINGER LILY OAK



MAGNOLIA HICKORY



SILVER NEEDLE OAK



JASMINE HICKORY



JUNIPER MAPLE



AMBER PINE



ONYX OAK

DIMENSIONS: 7.5" X 6'2" RL  
THICKNESS: 5/8" 3MM  
FINISH: NU OIL® SUPER-MATTE

## Features

|                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Length:                 | Up to 6'2" RL                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Width:                  | 7½"                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Thickness:              | 5/8" Engineered<br>Sawn Cut                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Finish:                 | Nu Oil® Super-Matte                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Edge Detail:            | Handcrafted Bevel                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Certified:              | EPA - TSCA Title VI Compliant                                                                                                                                                                     |
| TrueCore <sup>2</sup> : | Core material made with quarter sawn pine lamella's                                                                                                                                               |
| Warranty:               | Limited Lifetime residential finish<br>Limited Lifetime residential structural<br>3 year commercial finish<br>10 year commercial structural                                                       |
| Maintenance:            | Clean with Nu Oil® Floor Cleaner.<br>For full care and maintenance instructions visit<br><a href="http://HallmarkFloors.com/Floor-Care-Maintenance">HallmarkFloors.com/Floor-Care-Maintenance</a> |

## Benefits

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| Finish:     | Protective low sheen - provides a truly natural wood finish<br>Guaranteed quality and durability - long lasting finish<br>100% Renewable with Hallmark's Restoration Oil |
| Wear Layer: | Ultra thick wear layer provides lasting durability<br>Color goes all the way through the wear layer<br>Easier to repair or touch-up if an accident occurs                |
| Structure:  | Greater dimensional stability than 3/4" solid<br>Healthy indoor air quality                                                                                              |



Amber, Pine

## Trim Options

Stair Nose  
T-molding  
Threshold  
Reducer

## Installation



Nail Down  
(Staple with  
Glue Assist)



Glue Down



Over Radiant Heat  
(Excluding Nail Down & Hickory)

Installs over: concrete, wood, vinyl floors and radiant heat systems. Above, on or below grade. See complete installation instructions. Hallmark Hickory, Solid products and Nail Down installation is not approved for installation over Radiant Heat.

### True Wood Characteristics:

Using multiple species, natural salts, tannins & minerals are used to create light to heavy color contrast between boards, open & filled knots, splits & checks ranging from large to small. Heartwood and sapwood (light to dark) can be present and varied textures from light to heavy saw marks, wire brushing and hand sculpting. Refer to sample for a visual representation.