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BOTANICAL NAMES

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ORIGINS FAMILY

It belongs to the family of Oleaceae.

GROWTH AREA

American ash is widespread throughout the eastern United States.

SPECIFIC WEIGHT

670 kg/m³ al 12% C.U.

TECHNOLOGICAL FEATURES

It is a decorative wood thanks to the good effect produced by its brownish streaks. American ash has a coarse pore texture and a straight fibre.

DRYING METHOD

It is a very easy and quick process but it must be carried very carefully to avoid splitting.

MAIN USES AND WORKING

American ash can be work well without difficulties;
It has a great resistance and flexibility;
It is considered a very great wood for the execution of fine woodwork, for furniture, fixtures and chairs.