# **Antique Tobacco Oak Scar'dFace Flooring**

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Design Professionals to specify this product use the following information:

product: Antique Tobacco Oak Scar'dFace Flooring (designate solid or engineered with

appropriate face widths)

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### **Product Description:**

- 1. product information this antique oak's previous life as siding boards for tobacco drying barns provided conditions for a good cure of the tobacco leaf which also provided for nice preservation of the oak siding; the Scar'dFace product gives you the character of an oak barn siding floor with the function of a smooth-faced floor; in the milling process we remove as much texture as possible while maintaining as much character as possible; the result is a floor that shows off the bleed-through effect of the weathering and has a warm and appealing character
- **2. specie** a combination of red & white oak
- **3. source :: antique** 100% recycled primarily siding from tobacco drying barns

- **4. moisture content** kiln-dried to 6-8% moisture content
- **5.** hardness janka hardness rating: 1290
- **6. character rating** our character rating: 6.7 (rustic elements) our character scale rates floors on a 1 10 scale; a low number is a refined floor and a high number is very rustic
- 7. grading the appearance standards outlined here apply to a floor as a whole and not to individual boards
- **8. color** the color variances are unlimited, but predominately range from nutmeg brown to tan, occasionally with a slight red tint
- **9. grain** the majority of the wood will be flat or cathedral grain; some rift cut or quarter sawn boards may be included

#### solid wood

- 10. knots an unlimited amount of knots of any size are allowed; some knots are broken and will need filled or defected out by the installer
- **11. holes** an unlimited amount of nail holes are allowed, but generally there are only a few nail holes per board; occasionally bolt holes will also be present that will need filled or defected out by the installer

## engineered wood

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- of this product comes from checks in the surface of the boards so an unlimited amount of checking is allowed; cracks through the thickness of the board are allowed as long the board is stable enough for nail down installation
- **11. millwork** ¾" thick; the tongue and groove will be milled on the edges; the back of the board is milled with back outs; the ends of the boards will be cut square
- **12.** widths 3" to 8" milled to the full inch wide with custom sizes available; floors are usually produced with a combination of 3 or more face sizes with enough of each size to create a random pattern
- **13. lengths** 2' through 10'; with an average length of about 6'; boards up to 12' included if available
- **14. surface** the face is planed mostly smooth, but will still have variances from critter tracks, checks and remnants of weathering and saw marks
- 15. installation basic principles of installation for solid wood floors apply to this product and it should be installed according to the standard professional practices of your area; although, installers should be well experienced with custom wood floors and have artistic skill in board placement
- **16. unfinished** this flooring product comes unfinished and is designed to be prepped and finished on site

### engineered wood

cracks/checks much of the desired character of this product comes from checks in the surface of the boards so an unlimited amount of checking is allowed which may expose the black adhesive/platform & may need filled or defected by the installer

millwork 5/8" thick; the tongue and groove will be milled on the edges in the 12mm plywood platform; the ends of the boards will be cut square

widths 3" to 8" milled to the full inch wide with custom sizes available; floors are usually produced with a combination of 3 or more face widths with enough of each width to create a random pattern

**lengths** 1' through 10'; with an average length of about 5'

**surface** the wear layer is planed mostly smooth, but will still have variances from critter tracks, checks and remnants of weathering and saw marks

**installation** basic principles of installation for engineered wood floors apply to this product and it should be installed according to the standard professional practices of your area; although, installers should be well experienced with custom wood floors and have artistic skill in board placement

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