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Querkus – Oak Natural – Oak Vintage – Oak Retro – Oak Smoked



1	GENERAL PRODUCT DESCRIPTION
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Each panel we produce at Decospan is unique. We use the available oak veneer in a creative and respectful way. Through unique production processes, we are able to capture and reinforce the beauty, colour, drawing and structure of solid wood, and combine it with all the advantages of a veneered panel. The sparkle of wonder in the eyes of the final customer when he enters his living room, kitchen or office is our ultimate satisfaction.

Querkus is a collection of decorative panels in oak veneer, which you can fully control. We see it as our mission to produce the most beautiful and decorative panels in oak veneer, with which you can turn your strongest creative ideas into high end interiors.

Intelligent. With Querkus we have succeeded in capturing the whims of nature in an accessible and easy to process product. So you don't have to worry about product specifications, but you can concentrate entirely on the look and feel that will make your project unique.

Authentic. An honest and authentic product, that's what Querkus stands for. That is why we not only process new oak trees, but we also give old oak beans a second life. Veneer from this last category looks even more durable and robust. Recycling and upcycling at their best.

Durable. With Querkus we want to reduce our impact on the environment. By making a project with a long life cycle, by working exclusively with oak from sustainable managed forests and through environmentally friendly production processes. All this is guaranteed by our Pure Wood Charter.

European. Oak is highly regarded in the furniture industry and interior design. Because of its durability and excellent workability, oak has been used for centuries in our regions. Our buyers are constantly looking for the best trunks of European origin.

2	QUALITY DESCRIPTION OAK NATURAL
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Natural brings out the honest and disarming beauty of the oak. No frills, just pure nature. With wood from strictly selected oaks, grown slowly in controlled and regulated growth zones.

The Natural panels are not treated and can be finished to your taste with a stain or varnish. Also a wood oil leads to optimal protection while maintaining the natural feel and warm appearance of veneer.

The 3 looks of Oak Natural are available in 4 veneer thicknesses: 0,6 mm, 1 mm, 1,5 mm and 2 mm.

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Oak Natural Adagio stands for excellent quality veneer wood and is suitable for better visible furniture. Mixmatch is only applied to the quarterly cut wood of European Oak that hardly contains any mirror. This results in a varied but uniform look. Typical wood characteristics such as the natural grain gradient are allowed while striking knots are excluded. Oak Natural Adagio therefore fits perfectly into a modern interior without many frills and contributes to the peace and warmth in a room.

Illustrating pictures (more on www.querkusdecospan.com) :



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Oak Natural Allegro is the ideal choice for visible applications where a typical wooden look is sought. The combination of quarter wood, half quarters and crown creates a lively veneer look. Typical wood characteristics such as the natural grain gradient are allowed while striking knots are excluded. Oak Natural Allegro therefore fits perfectly into a timeless interior where wood and other materials are combined in a balanced way.

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Oak Natural Vivace honours the natural beauty of wood through a blend of quality veneers with a rustic character. Nature is unfathomable and that is what makes these panels so special: the image clearly differs according to the chosen trunk and also the number and size of the buttons and brushes varies. This makes Oak Natural Vivace the perfect choice for lovers of authenticity and the ultimate expression of wood.

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3	QUALITY DESCRIPTION OAK VINTAGE
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Recover old materials and give them a new purpose, with respect for the past. This is the real spirit of the Oak Vintage look. Oak beams that have been used in trains for decades are now being processed down to the ground with a rich past and a warm look.

Vintage tells a story of quality, respect and craftsmanship that give each interior a unique and lived-in look, characteristic of the far and wide taste of both customer and interior designer.

In contrast to a normal veneer panel, Oak Vintage veneers are not jointed but are “loos” to each other. This sometimes creates spaces between the veneer strips, which contribute to the decorative character.

The 3 looks of Oak Vintage are available in 2 veneer thicknesses: 1 and 1,5 mm.

Oak Vintage Hoboken, illustrating pictures (more on www.querkusdecospan.com):



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Oak Vintage Harlem, illustrating pictures (more on www.querkusdecospan.com) :



Oak Vintage Baltimore, illustrating pictures (more on www.querkusdecospan.com) :



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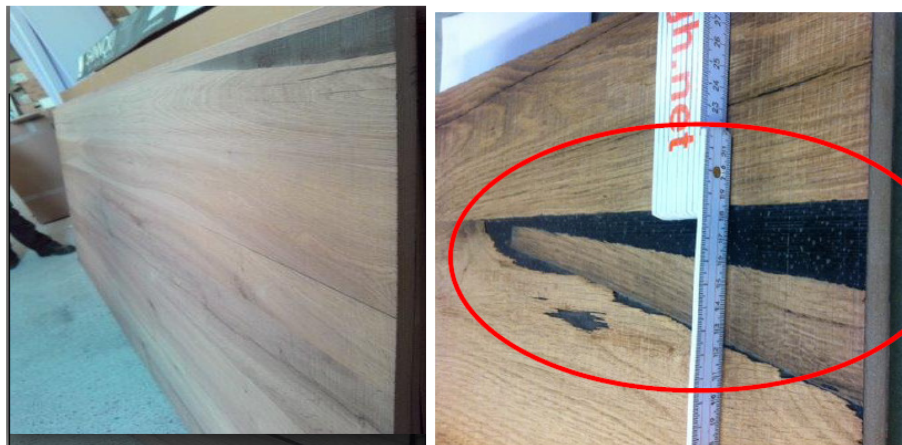
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Unlike other veneers, many characteristics of old oak panels are acceptable and just desired. These open defects are part of the reclaiming look. These include skewer, open knots, cracks, open joints, cutting errors & cracks, missing veneer, dark discoloration, wormholes, open flake.

On the basis of a few pictures this quickly becomes clear. Below is an example of several defects that are allowed within these references.



However, the following items are blatant and no longer decorative and therefore not permitted.



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4	QUALITY DESCRIPTION OAK RETRO
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Just like the Vintage look, Retro pays homage to the quality and warmth of yesteryear. If the Vintage look is a bit too pronounced for you, our Oak Retro with its softer expression offers the perfect solution. Oak Retro is less striking but still has the necessary character to give each room a separate, characteristic atmosphere.

The subtle Retro look is achieved through appropriate processing techniques and by the way the sheets are jointed. Due to possible differences in colour tone, Oak Vintage and Oak Retro cannot be processed together in the same project.

As with Vintage, however, a number of features are allowed, such as open knots, missing veneer, fractures and minor joint errors.

The difference between Vintage and Retro is quickly clear from an example:



Oak Retro is only available in a veneer thickness of 0,6 mm, which makes this collection also more affordable than the Oak Vintage.

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Oak Retro Hoboken, illustrating pictures (more on www.querkusdecospan.com) :



Oak Retro Harlem, illustrating pictures (more on www.querkusdecospan.com) :



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Oak Retro Baltimore, illustrating pictures (more on www.querkusdecospan.com) :



5	QUALITY DESCRIPTION OAK SMOKED
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Oak Smoked exudes pure class. By smoking the Croatian Oak in the core, it obtains a tough look with idiosyncratic character. The traditional smoking process and the typical characteristics of the oak wood provide a powerful, dark look. Oak Smoked is reminiscent of exclusive clubs and hotel lobbies with the best whiskies and cigars

Oak Smoked consists of 3 variants: for Robusta the wood is intensively smothered until it gets a dark brown colour. For Arabica, the wood is much less smoked and light brown. In Havana both are combined into a panel full of character.

Note: the colour of the wood changes due to sanding.

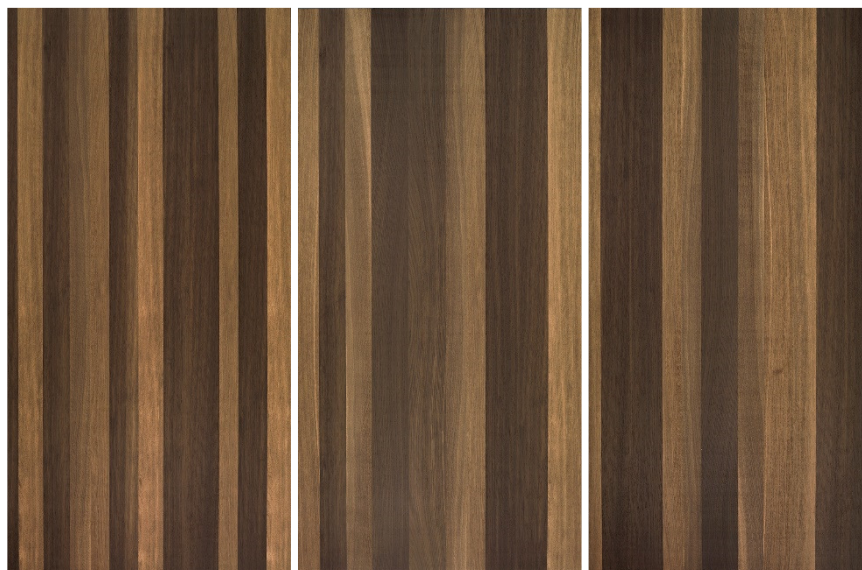
The 3 looks of Oak Smoked are available in 2 veneer thicknesses: 0,6 mm and 1,5 mm

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Oak Smoked Havana, illustrating pictures (more on www.querkusdecospan.com) :



Oak Smoked Arabica, illustrating pictures (more on www.querkusdecospan.com) :



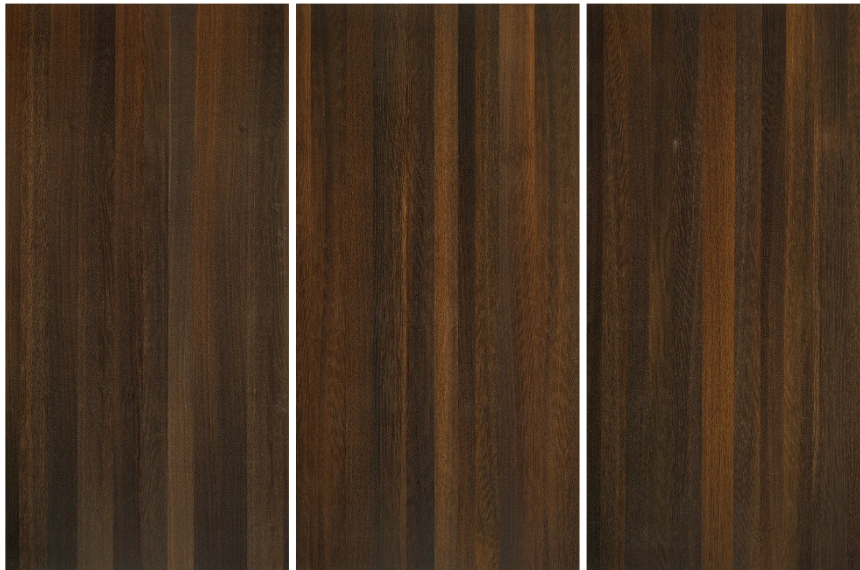
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Oak Smoked Robusta, illustrating pictures (more on www.querkusdecospan.com) :



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"Querkus" stands for unique and superior top quality. Therefore, only rely on panels that you can recognize by the Decospan mark on the side. The stamp also refers to the production date so that a clear tracing of each panel is possible. This is how Decospan distinguishes itself and guarantees its quality!

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