



Hauser uses Brazilian Ipe hardwood sourced from environmentally managed, sustained-yield forests. Ipe is highly durable, resistant to insects and weathers all environments. The Janka scale rates the relative hardness of wood, the higher the number the harder the wood. This is one of the best measures of the ability of wood species to withstand denting and wear.

JANKA RATING	WOOD SPECIES (Hardest to Softest)
3684	Ipe
3220	Ebony
2350	Brazilian Cherry /Jatoba
2345	Mesquite
2200	Santos Mahogany
1940	Cameron
1925	Merbau
1860	Purpleheart
1850	Tigerwood
1820	Hickory and Pecan
1780	Rosewood
1725	African Padauk
1700	Locust
1630	Wenge
1630	Red Pine
1575	Zebrawood
1570	True Pine
1470	Sweet Birch
1450	Hard / Sugar Maple
1390	Kentucky Coffee Tree
1380	Natural Bamboo
1375	Australian Cypress
1360	White Oak
1320	White Ash
1300	American Beech
1290	Northern Red Oak
1280	Caribbean Heart Pine
1260	Yellow Birch
1225	Yellow Heart Pine
1180	Carbonized Bamboo
1136	Cocobolo
1010	American Walnut
1000	Teak
950	American Cherry
950	Soft and Ambrosia Maple
910	Paper Birch
900	Cedar
870	Southern Yellow Pine (Longleaf)
860	American Red Elm
840	Lacewood
790	Cumaru
770	Sycamore
690	S.Yellow Pine (Loblolly & Shortleaf)
660	Douglas Fir
630	Sassafras
590	Larch
570	Cypress, Southern
540	Chestnut
540	Poplar
500	Hemlock
420	White Pine