

An architect's guide to engineered wood panels

As an architect you know you're only as good as your last project and your reputation. Specifying precise products means there's less margin for error and damage to your reputation. When drawing up contract documents ensure your drawings include the product manufacturer, product name and grade to avoid contractors subbing in products that they 'think' will do the job. Leaving such important decisions to supply teams and contractors can not only affect the sustainability and carbon footprint of your project, but also fundamentals such as the structural integrity of the build.

Not all products are equal.















Systems you can trust



Don't risk your reputation by allowing others to use substandard products.

Cheap imports from Eastern Europe, China and South America may be appealing to contractors but cutting corners comes at a price.

Do they carry all the necessary standards and quality marks? Do they comply with UK building specifications?

Is it worth risking your practice's reputation with untested products that have travelled thousands of miles round the world?

Balance your carbon

Our net carbon negative products can offset building emissions



At West Fraser our range of OSB, particleboard and MDF engineered wood panels are all net carbon negative. All our boards are proudly made in the UK, and come with all the necessary accreditations and safety marks. Tried and trusted by architects for over 50 years.

- Net carbon negative
 Sustainably sourced and produced
- **O** Zero added formaldehyde OSB
- UKCA and CE marked
- **£** Cost effective

Panel products for every application

🚯 SterlingOSB[®] Zero[®]

Structural and decorative use

Perfect for roofing, timber frame construction, flooring, dry lining, screening, outbuildings, security etc

BS EN 300 / BS 5268-2 and Eurocode 5 / EN 13986: 2004

CaberFloor[®]

Suitable for both new builds and replacement floors

Perfect for domestic and commercial projects

BS EN312: part 5

CaberMDF[®]

Economical alternative to hardwood

Perfect for interior joinery, panelling, mouldings, shop fitting, furniture etc

BS EN 622 parts 1 and 5



Why choose SterlingOSB Zero?



SterlingOSB[®] Zero[®] OSB3

Highly versatile board for structural use in load bearing dry or humid conditions





SterlingOSB[®] Zero[®] T&G

Tongue and groove board with a smooth surface finish, for roofing and flooring

SterlingOSB[®] Zero[®] PrimedPlus

Pre-painted with a UV coating and sealed edges ready ready for immediate use or the application of graphics



		Thickness mm	Length mm	Width mm	Edge profile	Sheets per pack	
	terlingOSB Zero SB3	9, 11, 15, 18	2400	1200	SE	100, 84, 60, 50	
		9, 11, 15, 18, 22	2440	1220	SE	100, 84, 60, 50, 40	SterlingOSB Zero conforms with
00		9	2700	1200	SE	100	comorns with
	SterlingOSB Zero T&G	18	2400	1200	TG2	50	
		18	2440	1220	TG2	50	FSC
		18	2400	590	TG4	100	FSC* C012533
	erlingOSB Zero medPlus	18	2440	1220	SE	50	

Please see website for latest sizes and product range





For more info visit: SterlingOSBzero.com

Why choose CaberFloor?



Net carbon negative

Sustainably made in the UK

Designed for all projects: New-builds, refurbs, domestic and commercial

An advanced range of flooring products



Precision engineered high quality panels



The nation's favourite P5 with a range of different finishes



- Waterproof and slip resistant coatings
- Recyclable packaging



CaberFloor P5[®]

The UK's most specified P5 flooring Moisture resistant TG4 edge



CaberDek[®]

 $\mathsf{P5}$ with with a strong, waterproof and slip-resistant peelable film

BBA approved for 60 days exposure* when installed with CaberFix D4

TG4 edge



Caber Shield[®] ECO

P5 with a tough, permanent, solvent-free, UV waterproof coating to the top surface

The greener choice for permanently protected flooring TG4 edge



CaberAcoustic[®]

P5 with a 10mm acoustic layer to reduce sounds Reduces impact sound transmission by Δ Lw19dB[†] TG4 edge

CaberFloor conforms with

	Thickness mm	Length mm	Width mm	Edge profile	Sheets per pack
CaberFloor P5	18, 22	2400	600	TG4	100, 82
CaberDek	18, 22	2400	600	TG4	100, 82
CaberShield Eco	22	2400	600	TG4	82
Ochenternetic	28††	2400	600	TG4	100
CaberAcoustic	32††	2400	600	TG4	82



*When installed according to manufacturer's instructions **Dependant on type

¹ 19dB sound reduction applies when CaberAcoustic is installed on its own. Greater reductions applicable when used within a system for noise transference reduction (see website for details).

^{††} Including 10mm acoustic layer

For more info visit: CaberFloor.com

Why choose CaberMDF?



Net carbon negative

The professional's range of MDF

Sustainably made in the UK

Precision engineered high quality panels

5 different grades available including moisture resistant (MR)

Highly versatile

Suitable for a range of finishes

Recyclable packaging



CaberMDF[®] Trade

High quality, lightweight MDF with an enhanced smooth surface and consistent density. Engineered from UK sourced wood and BS EN 622 parts 1 and 5 accredited

CaberMDF[®] Trade MR

As per CaberMDF Trade but performs well in occasionally wet or humid environments



CaberMDF[®] Pro

A premium grade MDF with a consistent density for high quality finishing. Saws and drills easily, shapes and routs cleanly

CaberMDF[®] Pro MR

As per CaberMDF Pro but performs well in occasionally wet or humid environments



CaberMDF[®] Industrial

The ultimate MDF, ideal for advanced routing with superior finish. Suitable for occasionally wet or humid environments

	Thickness range (mm)	General purpose joinery	Simple designs with minimal profiles	Architectural mouldings	Humid conditions	
CaberMDF Pro	6 - 30	•	•	•		CaberMDF conforms with
CaberMDF Pro MR	6 - 30	•	•	•	•	FSC www.stury
CaberMDF Trade	12 - 25	•				FSC* C012S33 The mark of responsible forestry
CaberMDF Trade MR	12 - 25	•			•	CE



For more info visit: CaberMDF.com

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The professional's range

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