



Halifax Collection

Glossary

MATERIAL

The material is a key characteristic of your furniture's appearance, durability, cost, and even its chosen location.

Solid Wood

Exposed pieces are usually solid, but hidden areas may be another material. Construction may consist of one single board or several wood boards or blocks that are glued together.

Product Considerations

- Prone to water stains
- Soft wood varieties can dent more easily
- May be more expensive than other materials
- Not common in the healthcare environment

Wood Veneer

Thin sheets of quality wood applied to a less expensive core such as solid wood or engineered wood for a decorative effect.

Product Considerations

- Make it possible to match grain patterns or to create designs
- Usually less expensive than other materials
- Water may cause stains
- Often the sides of furniture are veneer

High Pressure Laminate (HPL)

Plastic, foil, or paper that is printed with a wood grain pattern. HPL is then bonded to a composite such as particleboard or medium density fiberboard.

Product Considerations

- Less expensive than many other materials
- Resistant to dings and stains
- The tops of furniture are often made of laminates

Melamine

Differs from thermal fused laminate in that the melamine (paper) layer is glued onto a particleboard or MDF surface and sprayed with a plastic sheen to make it more abrasion resistant.

Product Considerations

- Can peel and show scratches because it is not thermally bonded to the substructure
- Many big box stores use melamine products in solid or wood grain patterns
- Not considered commercial grade furniture
- More affordable than many other materials

EDGING

Edging is a process and/or a strip of material used in a variety of furniture. Edging covers and creates a more durable and aesthetically pleasing outer edge trim that increases the product's perceived value. Varieties include:

Lumber Banding

Made of wood.

T Molding Plastic

Usually made with PVC.

Edge Banding

A narrow strip of material used as trim to help cover the exposed sides of materials.

See our full-line Catalog V65, pages 1742-1749, and our Healthcare Catalog V10, pages 149-156, for our complete selection of resident room furniture.



BRAND	PRODUCT	CONFIGURATION	FINISH	DIMENSIONS			MATERIAL	VENTILATED BACK PANELS	HARDWARE FINISH	PART #
				HEIGHT	WIDTH	DEPTH				
 Yes, you can. [®] Torrington Collection	Bedside Chest	Three Drawers	Biltmore Cherry	30"	22-5/8"	17-7/16"	Laminate	Yes	Antique Brass	673601: See V10, Page 151
	Chest of Drawers	Four Drawers		37-7/8"	31-1/2"	17-7/16"	Laminate	Yes	Antique Brass	673611: See V10, Page 151
	Wardrobe	One Door, Two Drawers		72"	23-1/8"	24-1/2"	Laminate	Yes	Antique Brass	673621: See V10, Page 151
	Bedside Chest	Three Drawers	Solar Oak	30"	22-5/8"	17-7/16"	Laminate	Yes	Antique Brass	673596: See V10, Page 151
	Chest of Drawers	Four Drawers		37-7/8"	31-1/2"	17-7/16"	Laminate	Yes	Antique Brass	673606: See V10, Page 151
	Wardrobe	One Door, Two Drawers		72"	23-1/8"	24-1/2"	Laminate	Yes	Antique Brass	673616: See V10, Page 151
 for the great ahead [™] Oslo Collection	Bedside Cabinet	One Door, One Drawer	Cherry	29-1/2"	21"	18"	Laminate Top	Yes	Brushed Nickel	679281: See V10, Page 149
	Bedside Cabinet	Three Drawers		29-1/2"	21"	18"	Laminate Top	Yes	Brushed Nickel	679282: See V10, Page 149
	Chest of Drawers	Three Drawers		29-1/2"	29"	18"	Laminate Top	Yes	Brushed Nickel	679283: See V10, Page 149
	Chest of Drawers	Four Drawers		37"	29"	18"	Laminate Top	Yes	Brushed Nickel	679284: See V10, Page 149
	Wardrobe	One Door, Two Drawers		78"	22"	23"	Laminate Top	Yes	Brushed Nickel	679285: See V10, Page 149
	Wardrobe	Two Doors		78"	30"	23"	Laminate Top	Yes	Brushed Nickel	679286: See V10, Page 149
	Wardrobe	Two Doors, Two Drawers		78"	30"	23"	Laminate Top	Yes	Brushed Nickel	679287: See V10, Page 149



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