

The following precautions should be taken when handling reclaimed pallet wood boards and in determining where to use and dispose of the pallet wood boards.

Handling and Use Recommendations

Avoid prolonged inhalation of sawdust. When sawing, sanding or machining wood, wear a dust mask and goggles. Wear gloves when working with wood. Only work with the reclaimed pallet wood boards in a well-ventilated area. Keep the reclaimed pallet wood boards and any sawdust and debris away from heat, sparks, and open flames. Do not use a lighter, match or other ignition sources until the project is complete and all sawdust and debris are cleaned up. All sawdust and debris should be cleaned up and properly disposed of after the project is complete. After working with the reclaimed pallet wood, wash all skin that was exposed to sawdust thoroughly, especially before eating, drinking, using a bathroom or otherwise engaging in activities where the sawdust may be ingested or may come into contact with your eyes or sensitive skin areas. If you are sensitive to sawdust, wash work clothes separately from other household clothing before reuse. To remove mold from a reclaimed pallet wood surface, mild soap and water is recommended.

Variation and Defects:

Reclaimed pallet wood is a natural product and may contain certain aged characteristics, including, but not limited to: color variation, nail holes, mortise holes, staining, tapering, wane (not squared), etc. Reclaimed pallet wood dimensions are not exact, and dimensions can vary. Appearances of reclaimed wood can also vary from board to board, creating its unique look.

Wood Species:

Reclaimed pallet wood boards are created from multiple species of wood. Our pallets boards are domestically sourced and manufactured for use according to IPPC guidelines.

Nails and Other Objects:

The reclaimed pallet wood comes from actual disassembled pallets. There is a possibility of nails, rough surfaces and other objects in the wood, both metallic and non-metallic.

Insects:

Reclaimed pallet wood comes from pallets that have been constructed using heat-treated wood to reduce the risk of insects, mold, fungus, and other contaminants; however, exposure to these elements can still exist. We do not use pallets treated with Methyl Bromide. Reclaimed pallet wood boards are not warranted against insect habitation, mold or fungus.

Disposal Recommendations:

Pallet wood products which are no longer usable—such as cutoffs, broken boards, sawdust or wood material taken out of service—may be disposed of in landfills.

For California residents:

⚠ WARNING: DRILLING, SAWING, SANDING, OR MACHINING WOOD PRODUCTS GENERATES WOOD DUST, A SUBSTANCE KNOWN TO THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO CAUSE CANCER. AVOID INHALING DUST GENERATED FROM WOOD PRODUCTS OR USE A DUST MASK OR OTHER SAFEGUARDS TO AVOID INHALING DUST FROM WOOD PRODUCTS. WOOD PRODUCTS EMIT CHEMICALS, INCLUDING METHANOL, WHICH IS KNOWN TO THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO CAUSE BIRTH DEFECTS OR OTHER REPRODUCTIVE HARM. FOR MORE INFORMATION GO TO WWW.P65WARNINGS.CA.GOV/WOOD.