# Oak M-4 Design Parquet

Images are a guide; natural wood varies. Please order a sample.

## OVERVIEW

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| Species | European oak |
| Colour & surface | Oak natural, Brushed, Dark Oil, Hand finished |
| Collection | Design Parquet Panels |

## SPECIFICATIONS

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| Thickness | 15mm, 21 mm of bespoke |
| Hardwood Top Layer | 4mm or 6mm |
| Dimensions | 800mm - 800mm, 1000mm - 1000mm or bespoke |
| Micro bevels (V groove) | 4 side |
| Grades | Rustic, Natural, Select |

- Solid oak wood or Engineered oak wood birch plywood base, Tongue and Groove.

## GRADES

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| Rustic | The most characterful grade: no restriction on colour variation, sound knots in any number, sapwood allowed; larger knots and natural cracks are filled with colour-matched filler. |
| Natural | A natural, balanced look: moderate colour variation, sound knots of moderate size and number, some sapwood; filled where needed. |
| Select | A calm, more uniform appearance: limited colour variation, mostly free from knots with only small, isolated sound knots (filled with matching filler). |

Natural wood varies from board to board and batch to batch. Grade photos and samples are a guide; see www.hoffparquet.co.uk/wood-flooring-grades.html.

## DESIGN OPTIONS FOR PARQUET

- **Brass inlay** – a fine 3 mm or 5 mm brushed solid brass line to frame the parquet field, separate rooms or create panels (Brass Inlay 15 × 3 mm and 14 × 5 mm, 3 m lengths).
- **Wide plank border** – a perimeter border of bespoke wide oak planks around the herringbone or chevron field, mitred at the corners.
- **Contrasting wood inlay** – a single or double border, band or feature in a different colour or species, such as walnut in oak or a darker stain.
- **Bespoke sizes** – block widths, lengths and angles made to order to suit the room and the design.

## STAIR SOLUTIONS

Matching stair nosings, treads and risers are made in the same wood and finish as this floor.

### Square edge nosing

A crisp, modern nose that finishes flush with the riser. Edges are lightly bevelled so the line stays sharp but comfortable underfoot.

### Square nosing, softened edge

The same flush square nose with a small rounded edge, softer to the touch and more resistant to knocks on busy stairs.

### Full bullnose

A traditional fully rounded nose that overhangs the riser – the classic choice for Victorian and Georgian staircases.

### Overhang nosing, rounded corners

An overhanging nose with a flat face and gently rounded corners – a lighter, contemporary take on the bullnose.

### Bespoke treads and risers

Solid or engineered treads, risers, landings and stringers made to measure in any of our woods, grades and finishes.

## FLOOR PROFILES & THRESHOLDS

Solid oak profiles made to the exact height of your floor, unfinished or stained to match (colours 001–040).

### Ramp profile

Slopes gently from the wood floor down to a lower floor such as vinyl, tile or a door threshold, so there is no trip edge.

### Flat threshold

A slim flat bar that covers the joint between two floors of the same height – ideal for doorways between rooms.

### T-bar threshold

A T-shaped profile whose stem sits in the expansion gap between two floors of equal height, allowing both floors to move freely.

### Wood to carpet profile

Finishes the edge where wood flooring meets carpet, with a lip that holds the carpet neatly in place.

### L-shape end profile

An L-shaped edge that wraps the end of the floor where it meets a step, a glass door or a lower level.

## INSTALLATION

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| Before fitting | Acclimatise the boards in the room for at least 72 hours. The subfloor must be clean, dry and level; moisture-test screeds before installation. |
| Method | Fully bonded to the subfloor with a suitable flooring adhesive. |
| Underfloor heating | Suitable when fully bonded. Floor surface temperature must not exceed 27°C. |
| Guides | Step-by-step installation guides: www.hoffparquet.co.uk/wood-flooring-installation-guides.html |

## CARE & MAINTENANCE

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| Daily | Sweep or vacuum with a soft floor-brush attachment (no rotating brush). Use felt pads under furniture and mats at entrances. |
| Cleaning | Damp mop (well wrung) with a pH-neutral cleaner for oiled and hard-wax oiled floors, such as Hoff Parquet "Floor Care" Wood Floor Cleaner. No steam mops or vinegar. |
| Maintenance | Refresh with a maintenance oil or "Floor Care" Wax Refresher every 8–12 months at home, more often in busy commercial areas. |
| Full guide | www.hoffparquet.co.uk/cleaning-and-maintenance-instructions.html |

## SAMPLES & ORDERING

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| Samples | Available on request – info@hoffparquet.co.uk |
| Quotation | Supply only or supply and installation across Edinburgh, Glasgow, London and the UK. Free quotations and site visits in Edinburgh and the surrounding areas. |
| Trade | Architects, interior designers and developers: ask about our trade programme and complimentary samples. |
| Certification | Timber from FSC® and PEFC™ certified sources, compliant with UK and EU Timber Regulations. |