



# Highprofile Classic

Tips for evaluating interior timber shutters

## IT'S WHAT'S ON THE INSIDE THAT COUNTS

Highprofile Classic timber plantation shutters are crafted from 100% genuine Poplar, Paulownia, or Basswood timbers.

- Poplar is an even-grained timber with a Janka hardness rating 540, offering durability and a smooth finish.
- Paulownia, known for its exceptional lightness and high strength-to-weight ratio, delivers impressive performance. When painted, shutters made from Poplar and Paulownia are virtually indistinguishable.
- Basswood is a lightweight, strong, and durable timber with consistent colour and grain, making it the ideal choice for stained shutters.

However, not all shutters marketed as 'Basswood' are the real deal. Many are Laminated Veneer Lumber (LVL), featuring just a thin Basswood veneer (about 30%) wrapped around laminated strips of other timbers. Always verify that your plantation shutter is 100% of your preferred timber species before purchasing.



## NOT ALL PAINTS ARE THE SAME

Highprofile Classic timber plantation shutters are finished with premium 2-pac polyurethane paint—the same finish used in high-end cabinetry and kitchens. Unlike inferior Nitro Cellulosic paints, which can streak and chip, Highprofile's 2-pac paint ensures a flawless, durable, and easy-to-maintain finish, enhancing your shutters' look and longevity.

## HAND-SELECTION IS KEY

The beauty of stained timber shutters lies in the natural grain. Highprofile Classic stained shutters are crafted exclusively from 100% Basswood, meticulously hand-selected to ensure a luxurious, even-grained appearance. When choosing stained shutters, ensure the vendor personally selects every piece of timber to deliver a functional and visually stunning product.

## CUSTOMISATION EQUAL TO THE IMAGINATION

With Highprofile Classic timber plantation shutters, the possibilities are endless. Whatever shape, size, colour, blade width, or window covering you envision, we can bring it to life. Our bespoke designs turn your creative ideas into stunning, cost-effective reality. The only limit is your imagination.