

# Cedar Doors

## Residential Sectional Garage Door

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### Description

The Ashton TG&V (Tongue & Groove) Cedar Door is a timber sectional overhead garage door with timber boards across each panel, creating a classic look suitable for any home of distinction.

The Ashton TG&V Cedar Door features boards joined in a "V" groove fashion, either horizontally or vertically. The timber is the highest quality Western Red Cedar and is attached to a welded, heavy duty galvanised steel frame. The width and thickness of board can be varied to suit the particular architecture of your home.

A sectional garage door is produced by hinging a number of rigid panels together. These panels move vertically in the opening, then horizontally along the ceiling. They are guided by tracks, freeing up space and effectively sealing your garage off from the elements.

Ashton Garage Doors recommends that all sectional doors be installed with a proven reliable automatic garage door opener. See your local authorised reseller.

### Size Range

Ashton TG&V Cedar sectional doors are available in sizes 1960mm to 2800mm in height and up to 6000mm in width. The number of panels required is dependent on the height of the door, and the width of the boards if used horizontally.

Additional sizes may be available on request.

### Features

- "Overlap" panel profile ensures weather tightness.
- Custom sizes—Ashton Doors are made to order.
- Various cedar board profiles available to suit any style you desire.
- Ashtons use a welded 25 x 25mm galvanised box-section frame for uncompromising strength, alternatively a folded steel frame is available.
- Western Red Cedar timber provides natural variations in colour and grain for a truly unique door—stand out in your street!
- Western Red Cedar timber is the perfect choice for coastal environments as a door cladding that will never corrode.
- Heavy duty galvanised hinges used for longevity.
- Wheels have ball-bearings for smoother, more durable operation—important on heavier doors.
- Springs designed to comply with requirements for Aust. / NZ Standard i.e. 20,000 cycles.
- Reinforcing is supplied for wide doors to ensure your safety and security.
- Bottom weather-seal helps prevent leaves and dirt from entering your garage, even on slightly uneven floors.
- All Ashton Architectural Garage Doors are hand-made to exacting standard to ensure each door is of premium quality.

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### Colours/Finishes

Ashton Cedar sectional doors are supplied in their natural state. No sealer or primer is applied to the doors unless requested. This allows you to match the door with the remainder of your house. Given that timber is a natural product, variations in colour and grain on a door can be expected. It is common practice to, where possible, place darker pieces of timber in positions where they will have the greatest exposure to UV rays. This ensures they will fade quickly to create a more even coloured door overall.

### Options

Western Red Cedar is the preferred timber for Ashton timber garage doors due to its stable and lightweight nature. Several standard profiles are listed below.

HP88—ex 100 x 12mm—dressed both sides

HP83—ex 100 x 25mm—dressed both sides

HP84—ex 180 x 25mm—dressed both sides

Numerous other profiles are available on request, such as rusticated weatherboard and shiplap styles. It is also possible to obtain a 'band-sawn' finish for many of the available profiles. Just ask us for further advice.

The cedar boards can be run either horizontally or vertically to suit any architecture. In the case of vertical boards, horizontal cuts will be visible where the panels join.

In the same manner as the Ply & Batten style, Ashton TG&V Cedar Doors can have any number of cedar batten profiles and positions overlaid on them to create a truly unique garage door.

The intended finish of the door can have an influence on the construction method used. Always specify whether the door will have a paint or stain finish.

As with all garage doors, the finished weight must be taken into consideration when designing a door. For this reason, it is not always feasible to use certain products or materials in the construction of Ashton Architectural Garage Doors.

### Care and Maintenance

An Ashton Timber Garage Door should be cared for like any wooden outdoor furniture. If you do nothing, it will weather and turn grey, ultimately deteriorating and cracking. Ashton Timber Doors must be stained or painted immediately after installation, if not before. Thereafter, regular upkeep, such as re-staining should be performed as per the timber finish manufacturer's recommendations. This will result in your Ashton Timber Door retaining its striking appearance for many years to come.

As the garage door is the largest moving object in a home, Ashton Garage Doors recommends a yearly service by a trained professional. This will ensure that the door and opener will continue to operate with the correct spring tension and safety settings. All moving parts should be checked for excessive wear and tear, and well lubricated with a silicon based product. All screws / bolts should be regularly checked for tightness.

A monthly test of the garage door opener's safety settings should be carried out in accordance with the opener's owner manual recommendations.

### Notes/Information

1. Ashton Garage Doors, in normal residential use are covered by a 1 year warranty for all components and labour conditional on care and servicing as recommended in this specification sheet and by the reseller. Full details of the warranty are available, on request, from your nearest Ashton reseller.
2. The company reserves the right to make changes or improvements to the products or accessories without incurring any obligation to make similar changes or improvements to goods previously ordered.
3. Details are correct at date of publication. Specifications subject to change without notice. If a specification is critical to the end use, please contact the manufacturer first.

### Installation Requirements

