## **Handling and Storage**

To ensure your doors remain in the same state of quality as they left the factory we recommend the following on site handling tips:

- Doors must never be stored in an upright position with the top edge against a wall. This is the most common cause of doors bowing on site.
- Doors should be stored on a flat, level surface.
- Ideally doors should be stored on a protective board of at least 16mm in thickness with leveling bearers.
- Doors should never be stored in or near direct sunlight. This can result in veneer discolouration within a few hours.
- Do not sit on top of or store anything on top of or against timber doors being stored on site.
- Ensure the storage area is dry and well-ventilated.
- Exercise caution when moving and fitting doors to ensure door edges and faces are not damaged.
- Doors, as a finishing product should be installed as late as possible in the building program to prevent damage from other trades.