

# Finnish Larch Home

case study  
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**Architect:** Djuric Tardio Architectes

**Owner:** Private Client

**Year of completion:** 2012

**Climate:** Marine West Coast Climate

**Material of interest:** Wood

**Application:** Exterior

**Properties of material:** Finnish Larch is a high quality wood, durable with waterproof qualities, as well as a smooth and knot-free surface. The Finnish panels are pre-cut, and supplemented by wood fiber insulation and non-treated siding, and are delivered preassembled. The façades is also constructed out of wood panels, with a very efficient wood fiber insulation system which completely allows the elimination of thermal bridges, greatly reducing heating and cooling costs of the building.

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