

Cumaru



Cumaru is a product of multiple species of *Dipteryx*. Naturally distributed throughout South America and Central America, the tree has been widely cultivated in Mexico and the West Indies, particularly in Jamaica.

The general characteristics of Cumaru are a yellowish brown heartwood distinct from a pale brown sapwood. The texture is medium to fine, grain interlocked with distinct growth rings.

Cumaru can prove difficult to work. Excellent finish when turned with a lesser finish, planed and sanded.

Popular uses for Cumaru are marine decking/walkways, heavy construction, exterior furniture and cladding.

Legally certified material readily available.

| Cumaru / Tonkawood | |
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| Durability | Very durable |
| Strength | D60 |
| Density | 1,050kg / m ³ |
| Colour | Yellow brown to red brown |
| Grain | Cross |
| Texture | Moderately rough |
| Drying | Very slowly |
| Machining | Well |
| Screwing / Nailing | Pre-boring required |
| Botanical Name | <i>Dipteryx odorata</i> |
| Origin | Peru |

| Available Sizes | |
|-----------------|-----------|
| 1 1/4" x 6" | 3" x 12" |
| 2" x 6" | 4" x 8" |
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| 2" x 12" | 6" x 6" |
| 3" x 6" | 8" x 8" |
| 3" x 8" | 10" x 10" |