

THE DISTINCT BEAUTY OF CUMARU

Cumaru, commonly called Brazilian Teak or Brazilian Chestnut, has a mix of light to dark red tones, which fade to a medium brown color with UV exposure. Cumaru is an extremely hard and dense wood imported from South America. It has a uniquely irregular, somewhat interlocked grain and a wavy, coarse texture.

NATURALLY DURABLE

Cumaru decking is sure to outlast typical domestic softwoods, and it comes at an affordable price, making it a great choice for any homeowner, builder, or business. Due to Cumaru's density, it is naturally resistant to decay, wet conditions, infestation by termites and wood boring insects of all types. Our Cumaru is carefully graded in order to insure we only supply the highest quality Cumaru Hardwood Decking available.

LOW MAINTENANCE, SUSTAINABLE

The rich color requires simple reapplication of a penetrative oil finish such as ExoShield. If left untreated, Cumaru will gradually age to a lustrous silver-gray. All of our Cumaru is responsibly selectively harvested, never clear-cut. For more information about our ongoing Green Commitment please visit our website.



TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Janka Hardness: 3,200 pounds

Strength (MOR): 24,800 psi

Stiffness (MOE): 3,050 1000 psi

Density (KG/m3): 1,090

Color: Cumaru's heartwood is a reddish brown with prominent tan tones that create a rich and pleasing color combination.

Tangential Shrinkage: 8.4 %

Radial Shrinkage: 5.4 %

Photosensitivity: Cumaru will darken upon exposure to light.

Family: Leguminosae

Tree Characteristics: The Cumaru tree can reach 160 feet in height with trunk diameters up just over 3 feet.

Geographic Area: Venezuela, Colombia, Brazil, Peru, Bolivia, The Guianas.

Grain: Interlocked

Luster: Low to medium

Durability Rating: Rated as very durable, resistant to brown and white-rot fungi, and has exemplary weathering characteristics.

