

## TINEO DATA SHEET

Botanical name: Weinmannia Trichosperma

Country of origin: South America.

Veneer thickness: from 0.6 to 2 mm

**Specific gravity:** 500-600 kg/m<sup>3</sup> (air-dried)

**Use**: widely used for flooring, especially for outdoor use after appropriate treatments. Also used for high-value furniture and cabinet-making.

**Characteristics**: whitish sapwood and dark red heartwood, sometimes mottled or variegated. Another variety of Tineo, Weinmannia Descendens, typical of Central America, has, instead, a brownish-pinkish or reddish purple heartwood.

**Drying**: easy to dry and does not require an excessive amount of time, even if care must be taken to avoid cracking and warping.

**Surface**: medium fine texture and mostly straight grain.

**Gluing**: very strong with any type of joint.