Garapa

Apuleia leiopcarpa

This is a Brazilian hardwood. This wood is a beautiful light golden yellow with a medium luster and a fine grain. It is durable and resistant to rot and decay. Garapa is also resistant to insects and fungi. Garapa is a very strong wood and is scratch resistant.

Fire Resistance

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| Material | NFPA Class\* | UBC Class\*\* |
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\*NFPA is the National Fire Protection

\*\*UBC is the Uniform Building Code

Density and Buoyancy

Garapa Janka\* rating – 1700

The Average weight is 50 lbs./cu. Ft. Specific Gravity is .86

\*The Janka rating is a measure of the amount of force required to push a .444" diameter steel ball half way into a piece of wood.

Workability

Garapa glues well and is very stable once glued. It cuts, nails, and screws well without a tremendous blunting effect on tools.

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