



Red Oak

NAME

Name in spanish	Encino Rojo
International synonymous	Northern red oak, Southern red oak
Botanical name	Quercus rubra
Common names	Roble rojo americano
Family	Fagáceas
Origin	Templada americana

DESCRIPTION OF THE WOOD

Color	Sapwood of red oak is white to light brown and the heartwood is a pinkish reddish brown
Grain	Straight
Texture	Coarse
Brightness	High
Figured	Slightly pronounced figure
Smell	Absent
Taste	Absent

CHARACTERISTICS OF PROCESSING AND USE

Natural drying	Good
Artificial drying	Hard and slow
Natural Durability	Low
Workability	Lity good
Uses	Construction, furniture, flooring, architectural interiors, internal joinery and mouldings, doors, kitchen cabinets, panelling, etc.

PHYSICAL AND MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

Basic density	705 kg/m ³ (12% M.C.)
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