ANINGRE Common name:

Family: **SAPOTACEAE** Scientific name(s): Aningeria altissima

Aningeria robusta Aningeria superba Gambeyobotrys gigantea

Note: Sometimes confused with LONGHI (Gambeya spp.).

LOG DESCRIPTION WOOD DESCRIPTION

Diameter: from 70 to 90 cm Colour: Creamy white

Thickness of sapwood: from 3 to 6 cm Sapwood: Not clearly demarcated

Floats: Texture: Fine no

Durability in forest: Grain: Low (must be treated) Straight or interlocked

> Interlocked grain: Slight

Note: Logs are almost floatable.

Wood cream white to pale pink brown, veined, lustrous aspect. Grain sometimes wavy producing a

moiré aspect.

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

Physical and mechanical properties are based on mature heartwood specimens. These properties can vary greatly depending on origin and growth conditions.

standard deviation mean mean standard deviation Density *: 0.57 g/cm3 Monnin hardness*: 2.5 Crushing strength *: 48 MPa Coef of volumetric shrinkage: 0.41 % Static bending strength *: 84 MPa 7.0 % Total tangential shrinkage: 3.7 % Total radial shrinkage: Modulus of elasticity *: 13690 MPa Fibre saturation point: 31 % (*: at 12 % moisture content; 1 MPa = 1 N/mm2) Stability: Moderately stable

NATURAL DURABILITY AND TREATABILITY

Fungi and termite resistance refers to end-uses under temperate climate.

Except for special comments on sapwood, natural durability is based on mature heartwood.

Sapwood must always be considered as non-durable against wood degrading agents.

Fungi: Class 4-5 poorly to not durable

Dry wood borers: Susceptible; sapwood not or slightly demarcated (risk in all the wood)

Termites: Class S - Susceptible 1 - easily permeable Treatability:

Biological hazard class*: 1 - not in ground contact, under cover (no dampness)

This species is listed in the European standard NF EN 350-2.

COUNTRIES - LOCAL NAMES

Countries	Local names	Countries	Local names
Angola	KALI	Germany	TANGANYKA NUSS
Angola	MUKALI	Italia	TANGANYKA NOCE
Central African Rep	M'BOUL	United Kingdom	ANINGERIA

Congo **MUKALI** Congo N'KALI Côte d'Ivoire **ANIEGRE**

Côte d'Ivoire ANINGUERI BLANCA

Dem Rep of Congo **TUTU** Ethiopia **KARARO** Ghana **ASANFENA** Kenya **MUKANGU** Kenya **MUNA** Nigeria LANDOJAN Uganda OSAN Germany **ANINGRE**

* ensured by natural

durability (according

EN standards).

ANINGRE

REQUIREMENT OF A PRESERVATIVE TREATMENT

Against dry wood borer attacks:
In case of temporary humidification risk:

Requires appropriate preservative treatment Requires appropriate preservative treatment

In case of permanent humidification risk:

Use not recommended

DRYING		Possible drying schedule			
Drying rate: Risk of distortion: Risk of casehardening: Risk of checking: Risk of collapse:	Normal Slight risk No Slight risk No	M.C. (%)	Tempera dry-bulb	ture (°C) wet-bulb	Air humidity (%)
		Green 50 40 30 15	42 48 48 48 54	39 43 43 43 46	82 74 74 74 63

This shedule is given for information only and is applicable to thickness < 38 mm.

It must be used in compliance with the code of practice.

For thickness from 38 to 75 mm, the air relative humidity should be increased by 5 % at each step.

For thickness over 75 mm, a 10 % increase should be considered.

Note: Tendency to blue stain, especially in early stages of air drying.

SAWING AND MACHINING

Blunting effect: High

Sawteeth recommended: Stellite-tipped Cutting tools: Tungsten carbide

Peeling: Good Slicing: Good

Note: Risks of splinters in cross cutting, boring or mortising. Stains well.

ASSEMBLING

Nailing / Screwing: Good Gluing: Correct

END-USES

Main known end-uses; they must to be implemented according to the code of practice.

Important remark: some end-uses are mentionned for information (traditional, regional or ancient end-uses).

Note: Can be used as substitute for MERISIER (Prunus avium). Wood very sensible to blue stain.

Sliced veneer

Veneer for interior of plywood

Veneer for back or face of plywood

Cabinetwork (high class furniture)

Current furniture or furniture components

Interior joinery

Moulding

Light carpentry

Glued laminated