

# A.C. TIMBER SOLUTIONS

## AMERICAN TULIPWOOD

<b>Wood Type</b>	Temperate Hardwood
<b>Latin Name</b>	Liriodendron Tulipifera
<b>Family</b>	Magnoliaceae
<b>Also known as</b>	American Yellow Poplar, American Whitewood, Tulip Tree, Canary Wood, Canary Whitewood



**Applications:** Interior joinery and furniture.

**Description:** Tulipwood's sapwood is white and in second-growth trees, very wide; the heartwood is variable in colour, ranging from olive green to yellow or brown and may be streaked with steel-blue. The annual growth terminates in a white band of parenchyma giving a subdued figure to longitudinal surfaces. The timber is straight-grained, fine textured, fairly soft and light in weight when dried.

- Weight approx. 510kg/m<sup>3</sup>

**Properties:** Easy to work and finishes to a fine, smooth surface. Takes nails without tending to split, glues well, can be stained, polished or painted and holds hard enamel finishes excellently.

Dries easily and well with little degrade.

**Durability:** Similar to Idigbo in general strength properties.

**Availability:** American Tulipwood is available from AC Timber standard stock in a range of thicknesses from 25.4mm – 101.6mm.