

Laminated veneer lumber – ideal for furniture construction



## Industrial wood – based material with highest stability and dimensional accuracy

#### Areas of use

Furniture industry/shop fittings stabilisers, strips, slats

Scenery and stage construction



- Low moisture content: no shrinkage, swelling or twisting
- · Excellent dimensional stability
- Slim yet highly stable cross-sections
- Homogeneous product with consistently high strength
- Firm anchoring base for staples, nails and screws
- Industrial product with consistent properties
- Reliable delivery due to European production
- · Economic use of raw material



# Laminated veneer lumber – A refined wood-based material ideal for industrial series production

STEICO LVL (Laminated Veneer Lumber) is one of the most stable wood materials. It consists of several layers of approx. 3 mm thick coniferous wood veneers glued together (pine/spruce). Defects are evenly distributed throughout the material resulting in a homogenous cross-section. STEICO LVL RL consists of veneers running parallel to each other. This structure means that STEICO LVL RL is highly stable.

### Advantages

#### **Precision**

- Precise tolerances thanks to modern technologies
- Material moisture at 10 %, ideal for later use. No shrinkage!
- Dimensionally stable and high-strength cross-section



#### **Processing**

- Simple processing with standard woodworking machines
- Ideal anchoring base for staples and nails, enables low-cost fixings
- · Easy handling due to low weight



#### Strength

- Homogeneous cross-sections, no weak points as with natural wood - consistent high strength
- Material savings compared to solid wood
- Slim and highly stable constructions



#### **Dimensional accuracy**

- Absolutely straight components, even for longer furniture components
- No twisting thanks to multiple bonded veneer layers
- Avoidance of subsidence and crack formation



#### Additional processing for STEICO $\it LVLRL$

- Exceptional variety of formats, from panels to strips
- Customer-specific cutting with precise tolerances
- Extensive quality control
- · Calibration and chamfering
- Planing, sanding and grooving



#### Possible uses for STEICO LVL RL in furniture construction

- Sofa frames
- Frame construction
- Stabilizers
- Any type of heavy-duty furniture components
- Anchoring base for staples and nails
- Kitchen furniture
- Box furniture



#### Mechanical properties of STEICO $\mathit{LVL}\ \mathit{RL}$ and STEICO $\mathit{LVL}\ \mathit{R}$

Key characteristics	Symbol	Unit	STEICO LVL RL	STEICO LVL R	Drawings
Flexural Strength					
Edge, parallel to the grain direction (height 300 mm)	f <sub>m,0,edge,k</sub>	N/mm²	32	44	F.
Flat, parallel to the grain direction	f <sub>m,0,flat,k</sub>	N/mm <sup>2</sup>	36	50	
Compression strength					
Perpendicular to grain, edgewise	f <sub>c,90,edge,k</sub>	N/mm²	7.5	7.5	↓F ↓F
Perpendicular to grain, flatwise	f <sub>c,90,flat,k</sub>	N/mm²	3.0	3.6	IF T <sub>F</sub>
Elasticity module					
Parallel to the grain direction	E <sub>0,mean</sub>	N/mm²	12,000	14.000	F.A.
Shear strength					
Edge, parallel to the grain direction	f <sub>v,0,edge,k</sub>	N/mm²	4.6	4.6	
Flatwise, parallel to grain	$f_{v,0,flat,k}$	N/mm²	1.1	2.6	F

#### Delivery formats STEICO $\it LVL~RL$

STEICO LVL – Everything is possible – from narrow strips to large – format panels, which can be cut to size by the customer. STEICO LVL is available in an extraordinary variety of formats.

Thickness t [mm]	Width b/Height h [mm]	Pieces/Pack	Qty. (m/pk)	
			Length [m]	
			2.00	6.00

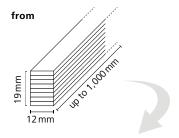
#### Slats (without thickness calibration) – Delivery in packages, Eased edges a) f)

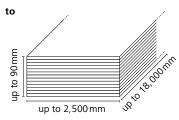
21	25 b)	896	1,792	-
	46 c)	512	1,024	_
27	50 d)	480	_	2,880
	60 d)	400	_	2,400
	70 d)	320	_	1,920
36	65 e)	384	768	_
39	50 d)	336	_	2,016
	60 d)	280	_	1,680
	70 d)	224	_	1,344

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#### Format varieties:

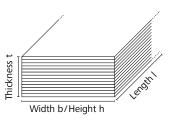




#### Technical data STEICO LVL

Laminated veneer lumber	STEICO LVL RL according to DIN EN 14374 from softwood veneers
Average wood moisture content	u = approx. 9 %
Density $\rho_{mean}$ [kg/m <sup>3</sup> ]	525
Fire resistance	D-s1, d0
Formaldehyde emission	E1
Waste code (EAK)	030105/170201, disposal as for natural wood and wood- based materials

#### **Description:**



Note: Store STEICO LVL RL flat and on a dry surface; protect from dirt and moisture during transport and storage





Further information for STEICO LVL can be found in the STEICO LVL - Design Guide

STEICO LVL RL is produced in line with the harmonised European norm DIN EN 14374, is third party supervised and approved by building authorities.

- a) Non stock item Delivery times on request b) 41 Pack./truck c) 39 Pack./truck

- d) 10 Pack./truck e) 21 Pack./truck
- f) Other cross sections and lengths on request
- g) 11 Pack./truck







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