STEP-BY-STEP DIRECTIONS FOR DRY WOOD "WAVE" BOWL

Start with square block of wood approximately 5x5x4"

Mark centers top and bottom

Draw bowl shape on end
Align so wave will follow growth rings

Draw Arc

Radius equals diameter of finished bowl Arc should split a line 1/3 down from top of bowl

Drill Holes for Dowels

Place these so they will be inside the bowl, aligned with the top of Arc

Cut Arc

Prepare veneer

Steam bend veneer and clamp in block

After 2 hours open clamps slightly

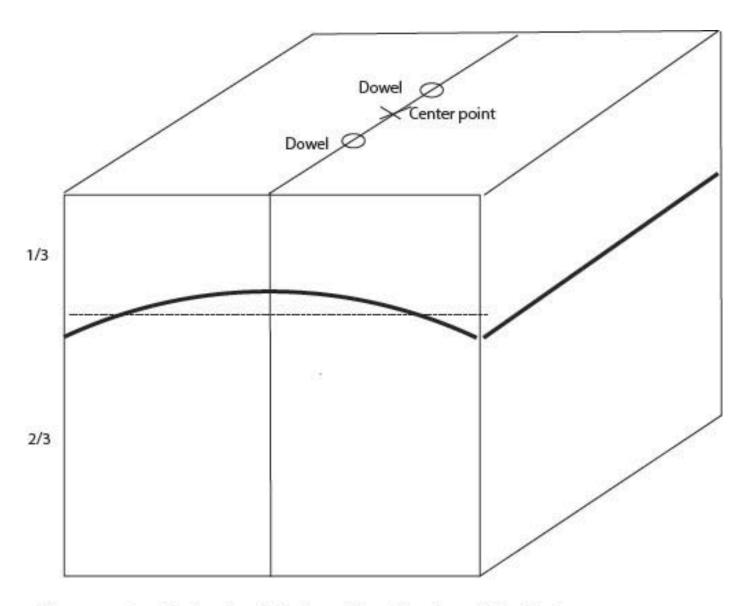
Continue to open clamps until veneer is dry

Drill / Cut holes in veneer

Glue and clamp.

Wait 24 hours

Turn to final shape



Draw arc to split the line 1/3 down from the top of the block Radius of Arc is equal to the diameter of the vessel.

Place dowels along center line of high point of arc. They should go about 3/4" past arc line.

The more centered and balanced everything is the better balanced the final vessel will be.