

Durability of wood and wood-based products —

Natural durability of solid wood

Part 1. Guide to the principles of testing and classification of the natural durability of wood

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