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Definition of hazard classes of biological attack -
Part 2: Application to solid wood**

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Foreword

This part of this European Standard has been drawn by WG 1 "Hazard classes" of the Technical Committee CEN/TC 38 "Durability of wood and wood-based products" with AFNOR as Secretariat.

This European Standard is divided in three parts, part 1 gives general definitions of hazard classes of biological attack, part 2 concerns their application to solid wood and part 3 concerns their application to wood-based panels, this last part has been established in association with CEN/TC 112 "Wood-based panels".

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