## **Durability and Preservation**

This file is a 33 minute video and so is quite large. It covers a range of topics and can be obtained by contacting the National secretary on <a href="mailto:jak.norton@gmail.com">jak.norton@gmail.com</a> or mob. 0418 989 398.

## **Presentation topics**

- What is included in "Wood preservation in Australia"
- What is NOT included in "Wood preservation in Australia"
- Options for controlling biological hazards
- Sapwood and heartwood
- Natural durability
- The hazard class system
- Preservatives currently approved in Australia
- Regulatory requirements for wood preservatives in Australia's
- Compliance with specification
- Timber treatment systems
- Branding of treated timber
- Some practicalities
- Opportunities for improvement
- Natural and alternate systems

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