

## Appendix 4 Wood, veneer, bamboo, and cork

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### 4a Origin, traceability, and certified raw materials

(To be completed by wood supplier)

Supplier/producer of wood, veneer, bamboo, and cork:
Producer:
Product type (e.g., solid wood, plywood, or bamboo):

As documentation of the raw material, the following shall be indicated in the table below:

- Wood type/bamboo and geographical origin (country/state and region/province)
- Copy of certificate(s) for forest certification and type standard
- Proportion (%) of wood from certified forestry/raw material (copy of invoice may be used as documentation)

Type of wood/raw material (type and name)*	Geographical origin (country/state and region/province)	Forest Management (no.) Chain of Custody (no.)	Proportion (%) from certified forestry

\* Describe whether the wood is pine, spruce, beech, etc. and give the Latin name.

Have any of the above wood raw materials been treated with biocide after felling? Yes  No

Is the biocide classified by WHO as type 1A and/or 1B? Yes  No

**Signature of producer/supplier of wood, veneer, bamboo, and cork:**

Date:	Company name:
Person responsible:	Telephone: Email:

#### 4b Description of the raw material and proportion of certified raw materials

(To be completed by panel manufacturer)

For documentation of the raw material:

Detailed description of the supplier chain from cultivation (forest) to panel manufacturer:

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Alternatively, a flow diagram showing the supply chain from cultivation to manufacturer may be submitted as a separate document.

Type of wood/raw material (type and name)*	Supplier	Volume (m3 per year)	Proportion (%) of wood from certified forestry
Total:			

\* Describe whether the wood is pine, spruce, beech, etc. and give the Latin name.

**Signature of panel manufacturer:**

Date:	Company name:
Person responsible:	Telephone: Email:

#### **4c Requirements for forest certification**

Wood included in the product must be certified by a third party, cf. the applicable forestry standard which fulfils the requirement for the standard and certification system.

The following requirements apply to standards and certification systems that can be accepted by Nordic Ecolabelling.

##### **Standards:**

1. The standard must balance economic, ecological and social interests and comply with the UN's Rio document, Agenda 21, and the Forest Principles, and respect relevant international conventions and agreements.
2. The standard must include absolute requirements and promote the objective of sustainable forestry.
3. The standard must be generally available. The standard must have been developed in an open process in which ecological, economic and social stakeholders have been invited to participate.

##### **Certification system:**

The certification system must be open and have broad national or international credibility, and it must be possible to control compliance with the requirements in the forestry standard (see above).

##### **Certification body:**

The certification body must be impartial and credible and be able to verify that the requirement in the standard has been fulfilled, be able to communicate the result, and be suitable for an effective implementation of the standard.

##### **Documentation:**

Copy of the forestry standard, name, address, and telephone number of the organisation that drew up the standard, and the certification body's approval report.

References must be given for persons representing parties and interest groups that have been invited to contribute to the development of the forestry standard.

The environmental labelling organisation is entitled to require further documentation in order to assess whether the requirements in the standard and the certification system are fulfilled.

##### **Alternatively:**

In certain cases, Nordic Ecolabelling may agree to grant a licence without the wood used in production being certified in accordance with an approved forestry standard.

It must be documented in another reliable way that the wood is sourced from sustainable forestry with a level of requirements that is equivalent to the approved forestry standards.