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PRESERVATIVE GETS AWPA ACCEPTANCE

The non-metallic preservative used to protect Wolmanized® L³ Outdoor® wood has been accepted by the American Wood Protection Association for listing in the 2008 AWPA Book of Standards. It will be shown as PTI, referring to its three carbon-based ingredients: propiconazole, tebuconazole, and imidacloprid.

The American Wood Protection Association, formerly known as the American Wood-Preservers' Association, is the consensus standards writing body for the wood preservation industry. Made up of preservative manufacturers, wood treaters, users of treated wood, and academics, the association has a rigorous review process for the listing of new and modified treatments.

PTI preservative is the first non-metallic solution used to treated wood intended for residential applications. It was developed by Arch Treatment Technologies, Inc., licensor of the family of Wolmanized® wood products.

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