



AWPA listing

The effectiveness of CA-C is recognized by the American Wood Protection Association (AWPA), the organization that sets standards for the wood treating industry. Before AWPA lists a preservative in its standards, the candidate must satisfy a critical membership that includes treated wood users, academic experts, wood scientists, and manufacturers of competitive products. Convincing this audience requires a persuasive package of laboratory and field data.

Because of the intensive process involved, AWPA standards are accepted by the International Code Congress for its model code, the International Building Code (IBC).



In January, 2009, CA-C preservative was accepted for listing by AWPA, as were its treating requirements.