



# Your Build Timber Preservative Testing (In Service)

Are you selling or buying a house, require Council approval or concerned that the timber in your house or property may have insufficient levels of preservative?

IVS Labs offer a testing service that will tell you what preservative has been used and what level is in the timber.

Depending on your situation we can provide advice on the sampling process that best suits your needs and the most cost-effective testing option.

## Facts:

- ✓ Timber that has left the Treatment plant is sometimes referred to as 'In service' timber and therefore we cannot issue a compliance report but we can issue a test report.
- ✓ Testing is consistent with the New Zealand Timber Standards (NZS3640 and AS/NZS1604).
- ✓ In the majority of cases the preservative is either Copper, Chromium, Arsenic (CCA) for external use or Boron for internal use.
- ✓ We can recommend reputable consultants for interpretation of results.

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## Costs

**\$150 per test**

**\$170 per job** (Admin and Reporting Fee)

*For example, two samples are tested for CCA, the cost would be \$470+GST.*

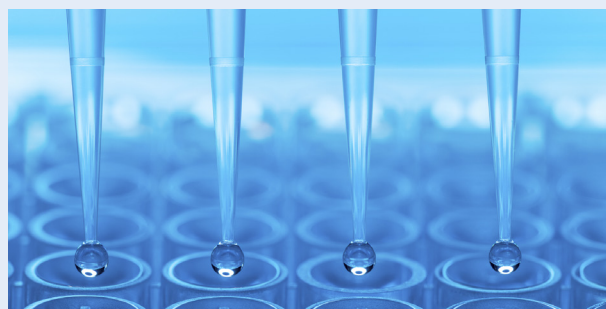
## Sampling

Require timber length of at least 15cm or 100g of shavings per sample. Fill out a submission form and courier samples to:

IVS Labs  
10 Bisley Road  
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## Reporting

Reports will be emailed to you.



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