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WOOD 2000 KYOTO

An Invitation to the 50th Annual Meeting of The Japan Wood Research Society

The Japan Wood Research Society takes great pleasure in inviting everyone with an interest in the science and technology of wood to "WOOD 2000 KYOTO," the 50th Annual Meeting of The Japan Wood Research Society to be held from April 3 to 5, 2000, at Kyoto University, Kyoto, Japan.

The Society's members may give oral or poster presentations during the meeting. The title and brief abstract must be sent no later than January 11, 2000. For more information, please contact the following office or check our homepage.

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Mokuzai Gakkaishi (Journal of the Japan Wood Research Society)

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Original articles

Y. Liu, Y. Nakayama, Y. Kanagawa, S. Fujiwara Bending work of plantation grown Chinese fir (*Cunninghamia lanceolata* Hook)

N. Itagaki, H. Mihashi, S. Ninomiya, N. Yoshida, T. Esashi

Influence of knots on tensile strength of sugi lamina

K. Murata, M. Masuda, M. Ichimaru Analysis of radial compression behavior of wood using digital image correlation method

H. Imanishi, Y. Sasaki

Bending properties of wooden spaced beams II: Theoretical prediction and experimental verification of failure load K. Murakami, M. Ueda, H. Matsuda, M. Zhang, T. Kawasaki, S. Kawai

Manufacture and properties of three-layered particle-boards with oriented face strands of veneers I: Effects of face strand / Core particle rations, resin types and resin contents on the board properties.

Notes

N. Yamada, Y. Fujii, S. Okumura, Y. Taniguchi Estimation of drying stresses in hollowed log using finite element method I: The linear finite element analysis of the drying stress were substituted by the thermal stress

S. Nagahama, H. Sakai, K. Nishimura, M. Tajima Inheritance of liu-shan (*Cryptomeria fortunei*) leaf diterpene hydrocarbon of complex type

M. Matsumoto, F. Eguchi, T. Iijima, M. Higaki Preparation and regeneration of protoplasts from mycelia of *Tricholoma matsutake*