

COST Action E53

WG 2 (Moisture content and distortion)

WG Meeting in Riga, 23.4.-24.4.2007

Preliminary Agenda

Monday 23.4.2007 9:00 – 17:00

- TOP 1 Welcome by local organizers
- TOP 2 Role call of delegates, new delegates
- TOP 3 Minutes of the last WG 2 meeting in Sopron
- TOP 4 Report from SC Meeting in Hamburg
- TOP 5 Discussion of themes and topics for midterm workshop/conference
- TOP 6 Novelties in measuring MC and distortion
- TOP 7 Contribution of WG 2 to Task Group on quality requirements
- TOP 8 Report on status of leaflets and brochures on specific topics (as discussed in Sopron)
- TOP 9 Proposals for future activities
- TOP 10 Any other business

Tuesday 24.4.2007 8:30 – 17:00

COST E53 Workshop: “Wood drying – vision of tomorrow”

See attached program

COST E53 WG2 workshop

“Wood drying – vision of tomorrow”

Riga

24/04/2007

Final Program

Date: 24.04.2007

Venue: “Islande Hotel” 20, Kipsalas Street, Riga.

08:30 – 09:15	<i>Registration</i>	
09:15 – 09:30	I. Akefelds	Welcome
09:30 – 10:00	I. Akefelds	Wood drying today – drying quality, main tendencies and problems
10:00 – 10:30	L. Travan	Theory and praxis in wood drying
10:30 – 11:00	<i>Coffee break</i>	
11:00 – 11:30	J. Welling	Use of EN drying quality standards
11:30 – 12:00	R. Kliger	Quality requirements on building timber and causes of distortion
12:00 – 12:30	K. M. Sandland	Top loading during drying - A successful method to reduce deformations
12:30 – 13:30	<i>Lunch</i>	
13:30 – 14:00	F. Holger	Optimizing the kiln drying with VTT's kiln simulation program LAATUKAMARI
14:00 – 14:30	K. M. Sandland	Actions to reduce energy consumption during kiln drying of timber
14:30 – 15:00	J. G. Salin	Wood drying simulation program Torksim
15:00 – 15:30	<i>Coffee break</i>	
15:30 – 16:00	B. Esping	Dried Timber – how to specify correctly
16:00 – 16:30	P. Rozema	Correct wood moisture content measurement
16:30 – 17:00	W. Gard	Super heated steam drying on industrial scale
17:00	I. Akerfelds	Summary. End of conference