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## Amendments

This standard differs from DIN EN 1912:2010-07 as follows:

- a) in Table 1, grades S7K, S10K, S13K and HS R have been included;
- b) in Table 2, new species have been added for the Netherlands in strength classes D40, D50 and D60: Maçaranduba (133), Cumaru (135), Tali (140) and Okan (141) and Angelim vermelho (134);
- c) in Table 2, new species have been added for France in strength classes D50, D40 and D35: Ipe (136), Angelique (137), Gonfolo (138) and Jaboty (139);
- d) in Table 2, a new species has been added for the United Kingdom in strength class D40: Sapele (132);
- e) Table 4 has been extended to include: *Cylcodiscus gabunensis* Harms (141), *Dinizia excelsa* Ducke (134), *Dipteryx odorata* Willd (135), *Dicorynia guianensis* Amsh (137), *Erisma uncinatum* Warm (139), *Erythrophleum ivorensis* A. Chev (*Erythrophleum suaveolens* Brenan) (140), *Entandrophragma cylindricum* (132), *Manikara bidentata* (133), *Tabebuia* spp. (136), *Qualea* spp. (*Ruizterania* spp.) (138);
- f) in Table A.1, normative references are now dated.

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- a) Table 1, Table 2 and Table A.1 have been corrected.

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