

Methods of analysis of

Wood preservatives and treated timber —

**Part 7: Quantitative analysis of
preservatives containing
bis(tri-*n*-butyltin)oxide: determination
of total tin**

NOTE It is essential that this Part is read in conjunction with Part 1 “Guide to sampling and preparation of wood preservatives and treated timber”.

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Foreword

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The procedures described in this standard method are intended to be carried out by qualified chemists or other suitably trained and/or supervised personnel.

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