



Technical Specifications of
Hardwood Cross-Arms for Distribution Network



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1. Purpose and Scope

This specification sets out the **guideline requirements** for the supply of **materials used on totally exposed Distribution Network**.

2. Standards

All **items/materials** and equipment **manufactured shall conform** under these **specifications** with **latest applicable standards of AS/NZS, ANSI, IEC, NFC, IEEE, BS** except otherwise specified in this document.

Applicable Standards	Description
AS 3818-4	Timber – Heavy Structural Products – Visually Graded: Cross-Arms for Overhead Lines

3. Material List and Quantity

Material	Specification	Reference	Quantity
Hardwood Cross-Arm Fully Treated Wood	2900 x 100 x 100	AS 3818-4 Must be Fully Treated to H3 CCA Chemical	2000
	2900 x 100 x 150		1000
	2300 x 100 x 100		2000
	3600 x 100 x 100		500
	3600 x 100 x 150		500

4. Drawings

The **tenderer to supply** with the tender **detailed drawings and pictures** of the items tendered.

5. Local Environment Conditions

The items/materials as listed are exposed to the following environmental conditions.

Factors	Conditions
Temperatures	Ranges from 20 ⁰ C -45 ⁰ C
Solar Radiation	1000 W/m ²
Humidity	Relative humidity in excess of 90%
Precipitation	Range of 3000 mm to 6000 mm rainfall annually Exposure to winds in excess of 250km/hr.
Pollution	Salt spray and salt deposit densities on coastal areas and pollution ranging from 3.0g/m ² to 4.50g/m ²

6. Quality Assurance

The **manufacturer** shall possess **certified certificate of Quality Assurance** under the **ISO 9001:2015, ISO 9001:2008** is also acceptable for the factory where the materials were manufactured. The bidders must **provide** with the bid a **copy of the ISO Certificate certified** as a true copy of the original by the manufacturer.

7. Tests

All items in this tender are referenced to Standards specified. It is important for the Tenderer **“To provide Type Test Reports with the Offer as specified in each Reference Standards specified in Clause 3 of this tender”** failure to do so will lead to rejection of the Bid. .