# ANALYSIS OF DIAMETERS AND TAPER OF DIAMETER OF PINE LOGS IN I/III CLASS OF QUALITY 

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#### Abstract

This paper presents the results of investigations of diameter and taper of diameter of pine logs. The investigation was performed on raw material with dimensions: $5,0 \mathrm{~m}$ and $6,0 \mathrm{~m}$ in length and assigned in $I$-st; II - nd; III - rd class of quality. A total number of 60 logs were investigated i.e. 30 for each length. For logs of $5,0 \mathrm{~m}$ in length, mean diameter was $42,2 \pm 1,427 \mathrm{~cm}, 1,1 \pm 0,091 \mathrm{~cm} / \mathrm{m}$ taper of diameter and belonging to ,,C" group of thickness. For logs of $6,0 \mathrm{~m}$ in length, mean diameter was $38,9 \pm 1,240 \mathrm{~cm}, 1,1 \pm 0,093 \mathrm{~cm} / \mathrm{m}$ taper of diameter belonging to „C" group of thickness.


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