

**COMPANY STANDARD****SVEZA DRAWER BIRCH PLYWOOD  
Technical specifications****STO 52654419-004-2021**

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## **Preface**

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**COMPANY STANDARD**

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**ФАНЕРА SVEZA DRAWER БЕРЕЗОВАЯ**  
**Technical specifications****SVEZA DRAWER BIRCH PLYWOOD**  
**Technical requirements**

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**Effective date 7 June, 2021****1 SCOPE**

This company standard (hereinafter referred to as the Standard) applies to SVEZA DRAWER birch plywood (hereinafter referred to as SVEZA DRAWER plywood) that is used as an essential material in the manufacture of crate parts, furniture components or other finished products in the form of crates and other items that involve cutting of plywood with circular saws or end mills as well as machining of faces and edges.

**2 NORMATIVE REFERENCES**

This Standard includes normative references to the following standards:

- GOST 12.4.011-89 Occupational safety standards system. Means of protection. General requirements and classification
- GOST 427-75 Measuring metal rules. Specifications
- GOST 2140-81 Visible wood defects. Classification, terms and definitions, measurement methods
- GOST 3749-77 Checking 90° squares. Specifications
- GOST 6507-90 Micrometers. Technical specifications
- GOST 7016-2013 Products of wood and wood materials. Roughness parameters
- GOST 7502-98 Measuring metal tapes. Technical specifications
- GOST 8925-68 Flat clearance gauges for machine retaining devices. Design
- GOST 9620-94 Laminated glued wood. Sampling and general requirements in testing
- GOST 9621-72 Laminated glued wood. Methods for determination of physical properties
- GOST 9624-2009 Laminated glued wood. Method for determination of shear strength
- GOST 9625-2013 Laminated glued wood. Method for determination of ultimate strength and modulus of elasticity in static bending

GOST 11358-89 Dial-type thickness gauges and dial-type wall thickness gauges graduated in 0,01 and 0,1 mm. Specifications

GOST 15612-2013 Products from wood and wood materials. Methods for determination of roughness parameters

GOST 18321-73 Statistical quality control. Item random sampling methods

GOST 27678-2014 Wood-based panels and plywood. Perforator method for determination of formaldehyde content

GOST 30255-2014 Furniture, timber and polymers. The method for determination of formaldehyde and other volatile chemicals in the air of climatic chambers

GOST 30427-96 Plywood for general use. Classification of veneer surfaces by appearance

GOST 32155-2013 Wood-based panels and plywood. Determination of formaldehyde release by the gas analysis method

Note: when using this Standard it is advisable to check the validity of the reference standards in the "National Standards" information index published annually.

### 3 CLASSIFICATION AND SIZES

3.1 In terms of water resistance of adhesive bonding, SVEZA DRAWER plywood is INT /  $\Phi$ K category waterproof plywood bonded with carbamide-formaldehyde glues, for interior use.

Note: SVEZA DRAWER plywood of INT /  $\Phi$ K category belongs to INT formaldehyde emission group.

3.2 Based on its surface appearance, SVEZA DRAWER plywood is divided into the following grades: B, BBx, BB, CP, C (when Latin letters are used) and I, II, III, IV (when Roman numerals are used).

A grade designation includes both, Latin letters and Roman numerals. DR is added before the grade designation.

3.3 In terms of surface machining SVEZA DRAWER plywood is S2S, two sides sanded plywood.

#### 3.4 Sizes

3.4.1 The length and width of SVEZA DRAWER plywood sheets should correspond to the values specified in Table 1.

Table 1

In millimeters	
Plywood sheet length (width)	Maximum deviation
1,220; 1,250	±3.0
1,500; 1,525	±4.0
Notes: 1. SVEZA DRAWER plywood may be produced in other sizes and with other maximum deviations as agreed upon between the manufacturer and the customer. 2. SVEZA DRAWER plywood sheet length is determined parallel to grain direction of outer plies	

3.4.2 The SVEZA DRAWER plywood thickness and number of plies should correspond to the values specified in Table 2.

Table 2

Nominal plywood thickness, mm	Minimum thickness, mm	Maximum thickness, mm	Maximum deviation, mm	Thickness variation in one sheet, not more than, mm	Number of plies, not less than
3.0	2.7	3.3	± 0.3	0.2	3
4.0	3.7	4.3			3
5.0	4.7	5.3			4
6.0	5.7	6.3			5
6.5	6.2	6.8			5
8.0	7.7	8.3			7
9.0	8.7	9.3			7
10.0	9.7	10.3			7
12.0	11.7	12.3			9
12.7	12.4	13.0			9
14.9	14.6	15.2			11
15.0	14.7	15.3			11
18.0	17.7	18.3			13
21.0	20.7	21.3			15
24.0	23.7	24.3			17
25.0	24.7	25.3			17

Note: SVEZA DRAWER plywood may be produced in other thickness, number of plies and maximum deviations as agreed upon between the manufacturer and the customer.

3.4.3 SVEZA DRAWER plywood sheets should be cut at a right angle.

The out of square length should not exceed 2 mm per 1 m of the sheet edge length when controlled according to par. 6.4.1.

The difference in the lengths of the sheet diagonals should not exceed 2 mm per 1 m of the sheet edge length when controlled according to par. 6.4.2.

3.4.4 The deviation from straightness of the edges should not exceed 2 mm per 1 m of the sheet length.

3.5 The SVEZA DRAWER plywood designation should include the following information:

- name of the product with the wood species stated;
- category;
- combination of the grades of the outer plies veneer indicated with Latin letters and Roman numerals;
- emission class;
- surface machining type;
- sizes;
- identifier of this Standard.

Example of designation for SVEZA DRAWER birch plywood, INT / ФК category, B/BB (I/II) grades combination of the outer plies veneer, E1 emission class, two sides sanded, 1,525 mm long, 1,525 mm wide and 10 mm thick:

*Фанера SVEZA DRAWER березовая / SVEZA DRAWER birch plywood,  
INT / ФК, DR B/BB (I/II), E1, S2S / III2, 1,525 x 1,525 x 10  
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## 4 TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS

### 4.1 Characteristics

4.1.1 SVEZA DRAWER plywood outer and inner plies are birch veneer of different thicknesses.

The minimum thickness of outer plies after sanding should be at least half of their initial thickness.

4.1.2 No wood and machining defects that exceed the limits specified in Appendix A are permitted in outer plies of SVEZA DRAWER plywood. The terms and definitions of wood and machining defects are according to GOST 30427 and Appendix B.

4.1.3 Depending on the outer plies quality, SVEZA DRAWER plywood is produced in any combinations of grades listed in par. 3.2 of this Standard except for C/C grade.

4.2 The formaldehyde content in and the formaldehyde release from SVEZA DRAWER plywood in the indoor air should correspond to the values specified in Table 3.

Table 3

Emission class	Formaldehyde content	Formaldehyde release	
	Perforator method, mg/100 g of oven-dry weight of plywood	Small-scale chamber method, mg/m <sup>3</sup> of air	Gas analysis method, mg/m <sup>2</sup> *h
E 0.5	Up to and including 4.0	Up to and including 0.01	Up to and including 1.3
E1	Over 4.0 up to and including 8.0	Over 0.01 up to and including 0.124	Over 1.3 and up to and including 1.5 or less than 3.5 within 3 days after production

4.3 The physical and mechanical properties of SVEZA DRAWER plywood are given in Table 4.

Table 4

Item	Thickness, mm	Values of physical and mechanical properties
1 Moisture content, % not more than	3.0 – 25.0	10
2 Ultimate shear strength along bondline, MPa, not less than	3.0 – 25.0	1.0
3 Ultimate strength in static bending: - parallel to grain of outer plies, MPa, not less than - perpendicular to grain of outer plies, MPa, not less than	9.0 – 25.0	45 30
4 Modulus of elasticity in static bending: - parallel to grain, MPa, not less than - perpendicular to grain, MPa, not less than	9.0 – 25.0	5,000 3,000
5 Ultimate tensile strength perpendicular to board plane, MPa, not less than	3.0 – 25.0	1.2
<b>Notes:</b> 1. SVEZA DRAWER plywood shipped from the manufacturer's warehouse should have the moisture content values specified above. 2. INT / $\Phi$ K category SVEZA DRAWER plywood is tested after soaking the test pieces in water at $(20 \pm 3)$ °C for 24 hours. 3. The wood failure percentage is determined visually. 4. The test for determining the shear strength along bondline is performed in different bondlines as agreed upon between the manufacturer and the customer.		

4.4 SVEZA DRAWER plywood volume is specified in cubic metres. The volume of one sheet is calculated without rounding. The volume of a SVEZA DRAWER plywood pack and batch is calculated to an accuracy of 0.001 m<sup>3</sup>. The area of a SVEZA DRAWER plywood sheet is calculated to an accuracy of 0.01 m<sup>2</sup>, the area of sheets in a batch – to an accuracy of 0.5 m<sup>2</sup>.

4.5 The marking is made using an indelible black or green ink and applied on the end of each SVEZA DRAWER plywood sheet in the form of a stamp or text without margins. The marking should contain the following information:

- brief designation of the product according to the declaration of performance in accordance with [11];
- grade of SVEZA DRAWER plywood;
- manufacturer (code or name);
- thickness and/or sorter number.

No stamp is applied to the face.

The stamp on the edge is applied in the corner of the long or short end.

It is permitted to apply one stamp per (1-3) sheets of SVEZA DRAWER plywood of a thickness of 5 to 9 mm.

As agreed upon between the manufacturer and the customer, it is permitted: not to apply marking to SVEZA DRAWER plywood sheets;



- to add additional information to the mandatory marking.

#### 4.6 Stacking of SVEZA DRAWER plywood

SVEZA DRAWER plywood sheets should be stacked in packs of 400, 600 and 900 mm high sorted by grade, size and thickness.

As agreed upon between the manufacturer and the customer, SVEZA DRAWER plywood sheets may be stacked in packs of other heights.

SVEZA DRAWER plywood sheets in a pack should be stacked so that their grain directions coincide.

SVEZA DRAWER plywood sheets in a pack should be stacked so that the higher grades face upward.

#### 4.7 Packaging and marking of ready for shipment SVEZA DRAWER plywood packs

4.7.1 Packs of SVEZA DRAWER plywood should have proper packaging to ensure its integrity and prevent damage during transportation.

The main methods and types of packaging are regulated by SVEZA-Les LLC. As agreed upon between the manufacturer and the customer, there may be used other methods and types of plywood packaging.

4.7.2 The marking to packaged packs of SVEZA DRAWER plywood is applied in the form of labels. The text is written in the Russian and/or English language and the labels are placed parallelly or perpendicularly on two sides of the packaging. The text of both labels contains the same information:

- trademark;
- product name – SVEZA DRAWER birch plywood;
- sizes and thickness of SVEZA DRAWER plywood and thickness tolerances (if required);
- SVEZA DRAWER plywood grade according to Appendix C;
- category of SVEZA DRAWER plywood (INT / ФК);
- surface machining of SVEZA DRAWER plywood;
- sheets per pack;
- shift;
- SVEZA DRAWER plywood production date;
- emission class;
- order No. under Special Terms and Conditions (to be applied as agreed upon between the manufacturer and the customer);
- the regulatory technical document based on which SVEZA DRAWER plywood is produced;
- manufacturer name and address;
- certification markings and standard compliance mark;
- pictorial marking for handling of goods: “Keep dry” and “Use no hooks”;
- barcode if a data collection terminal (scanner) is available.

For convenience in warehouse operations additional marking may be applied in the form of a label or using a stencil.

## 5 ACCEPTANCE RULES

5.1 SVEZA DRAWER plywood is accepted in batches.

A batch is a certain number of SVEZA DRAWER plywood sheets of the same grade and size.

One document should be issued for a batch, which contains the following information:

- trademark;
- manufacturer name and address;
- designation of SVEZA DRAWER plywood;
- batch size;
- the regulatory technical document based on which SVEZA DRAWER plywood is produced.

5.2 SVEZA DRAWER plywood sheets quality and sizes are checked by selective sampling. The selective check involves random sampling of SVEZA DRAWER plywood sheets according to GOST 18321 in the number specified in Table 5.

Table 5

Batch size	Controlled value under paragraphs			
	3.4.1; 3.4.2; 3.4.3; 3.4.4		4.1.2	
	Sample size	Acceptance number	Sample size	Acceptance number
Up to 500	8	1	13	1
501 to 1,200	13	1	20	2
1,201 to 3,200	13	1	32	3
3,201 to 10,000	20	2	32	3

5.3 Moisture content, ultimate shear strength along bondline, ultimate strength in static bending parallel and perpendicular to grain of outer plies, and modulus of elasticity in static bending parallel and perpendicular to grain of outer plies should be monitored for each thickness and number of plies of SVEZA DRAWER plywood at least once a month.

5.4 The control of the ultimate tensile strength perpendicular to board plane involves selection of 1 sheet out of 1000 sheets but at least 1 sheet from an order.

5.5 The control of the formaldehyde release involves selection of one sheet of SVEZA DRAWER plywood from any size sample.

The formaldehyde release is controlled at least once every 7 days as part of the INT formaldehyde emission group.

5.6 A batch is considered compliant with the requirements of this Standard and is accepted if in the samples:

the number of SVEZA DRAWER plywood sheets non-compliant with the requirements in terms of sizes, out of square length, straightness, wood and machining defects is less or equal to the acceptance number specified in Table 5;

no sheets of SVEZA DRAWER plywood have any blisters, delamination or bark pockets;

- the values of physical and mechanical properties correspond to the values specified in Table 4;

- the formaldehyde release values correspond to the standard values specified in Table 3.

## 6 INSPECTION METHODS

6.1 Sampling is according to GOST 9620, GOST 27678, GOST 32155, GOST 30255, [1] - [2], [6].

6.2 The SVEZA DRAWER plywood length and width are measured to a tolerance of 1 mm at two points parallel to the edges at least 100 mm from the edges using a metal measuring tape in accordance with GOST 7502. The actual sheet length (width) is the arithmetic mean of two measurement results.

6.3 The thickness of SVEZA DRAWER plywood is measured at a distance of at least 25 mm from the edges in the middle of each side of a sheet.

The actual sheet thickness is the arithmetic mean of four measurement results.

The following instruments are used to measure thickness:

- a thickness gauge according to GOST 11358 graduated not more than in 0.1 mm;

- a micrometer according to GOST 6507 graduated not more than in 0.1 mm.

The thickness variation in one sheet of SVEZA DRAWER plywood is defined as difference between the maximum and the minimum thickness values after four measurements.

6.4 Out of square length of SVEZA DRAWER plywood sheet

6.4.1 The out-of-straightness of SVEZA DRAWER plywood sheet is measured in accordance with GOST 30427. It is measured using a try square in accordance with GOST 3749 and determined by measuring the maximum deviation of the sheet edges from the try square surface using a metal ruler in accordance with GOST 427 to a tolerance of 1 mm.

6.4.2 It is permitted to determine the out of square length based on the difference of the lengths of the sheet diagonals measured using a metal measuring tape graduated in 1 mm in accordance with GOST 7502.

6.5 The deviation from straightness of SVEZA DRAWER plywood sheet edges is determined by measuring the maximum gap between the sheet edge and the edge of the metal ruler using a gauge in accordance with GOST 8925 to a tolerance of 0.2 mm.

6.6 Warp

6.6.1 The warp of SVEZA DRAWER birch plywood 1,500 mm and 1,525 mm long with B, BBx, BB grade combinations of the outer plies veneer is determined on a horizontal table whose dimensions are not smaller than the length and width of the plywood sheet.

First, W or P warp shape of the sheet is visually evaluated after placing the sheet on the horizontal table.

6.6.1.1 SVEZA DRAWER birch plywood 1,500 mm and 1,525 mm long with B, BBx, BB grade combinations of the outer plies veneer and W warp shape should be pressed tightly to and fixed on the horizontal table at points 1, 2 and 3. The measurement should be taken at point 4 using a measuring metal ruler according to GOST 427 or a measuring metal tape according to GOST 7502 as shown in Figure 1.

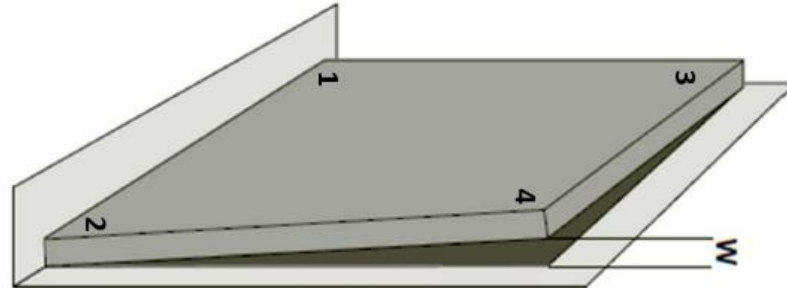


Fig.1

6.6.1.2 SVEZA DRAWER birch plywood 1,500 mm and 1,525 mm long with B, BBx, BB grade combinations of the outer plies veneer and P warp shape should be fixed on the table at points 1 and 2. The measurement should be taken at point 3 using a measuring metal ruler according to GOST 427 or a measuring metal tape according to GOST 7502 as shown in Figure 2.



Fig.2

6.6.1.3 The warp tolerances by shape for SVEZA DRAWER birch plywood 1,500 mm and 1,525 mm long with B, BBx, BB grade combinations of the outer plies veneer are specified in Table 6.

Table 6

Warp shape	Nominal plywood thickness, mm	Distance from the reference plane to the sheet surface, not more than, mm
		For a length of 1,500 mm; 1,525 mm
P / W	$\leq 6.5$	not considered
P	6.5 to 15	12
P	$> 15$	7.5
W	$> 6.5$	15

6.6.2 For the SVEZA DRAWER birch plywood with the characteristics other than specified in par. 6.6.1 – according to GOST 30427.

6.7 The moisture content is according to GOST 9621, [3].

6.8 The ultimate shear strength along bondline is according to GOST 9624, [4].

6.9 The ultimate strength and modulus of elasticity in static bending are according to GOST 9625, [5].

6.10 The formaldehyde content is according to GOST 27678 (the said method is used as the reference method), formaldehyde release in the environment is according to GOST 30255, GOST 32155, and [1].

6.11 The ultimate tensile strength perpendicular to board plane is according to [6].

6.12 The surface roughness is according to GOST 15612.

6.13 The measurement of wood and machining defects is according to GOST 30427 and GOST 2140.

## **7 TRANSPORTATION AND STORAGE**

7.1 Birch plywood should be transported in fully enclosed vehicles in accordance with the rules for carriage of goods by the respective mode of transport.

The transportation conditions should prevent any increase of the SVEZA DRAWER plywood moisture content that may result in changes of geometric, physical, qualitative characteristics of the plywood and emission class.

FK birch plywood of 1,500 mm and 1,525 mm length with combination of external layers grades: B, BBx, BB and warping requirements as specified in item 6.6 should be transported only in a horizontal position and in a special packing preventing warping.

In case of non-compliance with this requirement (vertical transportation in order to increase the amount of plywood to be transported, i.e. putting bundle on edge or without special packing), the manufacturer guarantees warping not more than 15 mm per 1 m of the panels' diagonal length for plywood with the thickness over 6.5 mm. On plywood up to 6.5 mm thick, any degree of warping is acceptable.

### **7.2 Storage of SVEZA DRAWER plywood**

SVEZA DRAWER plywood in an appropriate packaging should be stacked flat on a level surface on pallets or wooden battens indoors at a temperature of minus 40 °C to plus 50 °C and relative humidity of not more than 80%.

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## **8 MANUFACTURER'S WARRANTY**

The manufacturer guarantees that SVEZA DRAWER plywood quality complies with requirements of this Standard provided that the transportation and storage conditions are met.

The guaranteed shelf life of SVEZA DRAWER plywood of INT / ΦK category is 3 years from the day of receipt by the customer.

When SVEZA DRAWER plywood is intended for further processing or treatment, it is recommended that the manufacturer should be contacted to specify the plywood properties and specifications.

## **9 SAFETY REQUIREMENTS AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**

9.1 The content of hazardous chemicals released in the air of residential premises and public buildings when items made of SVEZA DRAWER plywood are used should not exceed the values specified by the requirements of [7], [8].

9.2 The compliance with the requirements of [9] to items made with the use of SVEZA DRAWER plywood is ensured by the manufacturers of those items through application of the appropriate technological solutions and protective coatings.

9.3 SVEZA DRAWER plywood should be produced with the use of the materials and components permitted for use by the national sanitary and epidemiological supervision authorities.

9.4 The personnel engaged in SVEZA DRAWER plywood production should be at least 18 years old and have no medical contraindications. Medical examinations are conducted in accordance with the effective orders of the Ministry of Health of the Russian Federation.

9.5 The personnel engaged in SVEZA DRAWER plywood production should be provided with personal protective equipment according to the applicable regulations in compliance with GOST 12.4.011.

9.6 Specific activity of Cesium 137 in SVEZA DRAWER plywood should not exceed the hygiene standards specified by the requirements of [10].

9.7 The standard SVEZA DRAWER plywood does not contain any raw materials, materials and components classified as hazardous waste.

9.8 SVEZA DRAWER plywood usually has a long service life and there are several disposal methods used. The disposal method for SVEZA DRAWER plywood should be selected taking into account the disposal requirements established by the legislation of different countries.

APPENDIX A  
(mandatory)

**Limits for wood and machining defects of outer plies of SVEZA DRAWER plywood**

The limits for wood and machining defects of outer plies of SVEZA DRAWER plywood are specified in Table A.1.

Table A.1

WOOD AND MACHINING DEFECTS	B (I)	BBx (II)	BB (II)	CP (III)	C (IV)
1. Pin knots	permitted				
2. Sound intergrown knots, light and dark	permitted up to 15 mm in diameter with a check of up to 0.5 mm in the maximum number of 5 per m <sup>2</sup>	permitted up to 25 mm in diameter with a check of up to 1 mm in the maximum number of 10 per m <sup>2</sup>		permitted with a check of up to 1.5 mm wide	permitted
3. Partially intergrown knots	permitted within the limits specified in par. 4 of this Appendix, up to 6 mm in diameter in the maximum number of 3 per m <sup>2</sup>	permitted within the limits for intergrown knots up to 15 mm in diameter in the maximum number of 10 per m <sup>2</sup>			permitted up to 40 mm in diameter without quantity restrictions
4. Non-adhering knots, falling out knots, knot holes (without bark inclusion)	permitted within the limits for intergrown knots up to 6 mm in diameter in the maximum number of 3 per m <sup>2</sup>	permitted within the limits for intergrown knots up to 6 mm in diameter in the maximum number of 6 per m <sup>2</sup>		permitted up to 6 mm in diameter without quantity restrictions	permitted up to 40 mm in diameter without quantity restrictions (permitted bark inclusion at knots up to 5 mm wide)

*Appendix A, continued*

WOOD AND MACHINING DEFECTS	B (I)	BBx (II)	BB (II)	CP (III)	C (IV)
5. Small checks	permitted up to 200 mm long in the maximum number of 5 per metre of the sheet width	permitted up to 300 mm long in the maximum number of 5 per metre of the sheet width		permitted at the edges and in the middle	
6. Large checks, open joint of jointed veneer	not permitted	permitted of a length of up to 200 mm, width of up to 2 mm in the maximum number of 3 per metre of the sheet width	permitted of a length of up to 250 mm, width of up to 2 mm in the maximum number of 3 per metre of the sheet width	permitted of a length of up to 600 mm, width of up to 2 mm in the maximum number of 2 per metre of the sheet width + permitted of a length of up to 600 mm, width of up to 5 mm provided that they are repaired with a filler	permitted of a length of up to 800 mm, width of up to 10 mm, without quantity restrictions
7. Irregularities in wood structure (sloping grain, curly grain, swirl, small knots from dormant buds)	permitted				
8. Defects of wood structure (intergrown inbark, light and dark)	only light inbark is permitted, dark inbark is permitted within the size range and number limits for non-adhering knots	light inbark is permitted, dark inbark is permitted within the size range for non-adhering knots			
9. Defects of wood structure (open inbark)	permitted in the total number within the limits for non-adhering knots				
10. Sound discoloration (false heartwood)	not permitted	permitted up to 25% of the sheet surface		permitted	



*Appendix A, continued*

WOOD AND MACHINING DEFECTS	B (I)	BBx (II)	BB (II)	CP (III)	C (IV)
11. Sound discoloration (spots, streaks, streak marks)	permitted light ones not more than 15 % of the sheet surface area	Permitted of a length of up to 250 mm and width of up to 10 mm in the maximum number of 10 per m <sup>2</sup>	permitted		
12. Sound discoloration (group streaks)	permitted light ones not more than 15 % of the sheet surface area	permitted of a size of 60x40 mm in the maximum number of 1 per m <sup>2</sup>	permitted		
13. Discoloration due to oxidation; sapwood discoloration caused by wood-staining fungi (blue stain, sapwood color stains), discoloration during storage	permitted up to 30 % of the sheet surface	permitted within the limits including par. 10 of this Appendix not more than 50 % of the sheet surface area	permitted		
14. Biological defects (wormhole)	permitted in the total number within the limits for non-adhering knots				
15. Discolouration with partial wood damage	not permitted				
16. Repairing of knots and holes with wood plugs before pressing	not permitted		permitted using only oval shaped plugs in the maximum number of 8 per m <sup>2</sup> , the wood colour and grain direction should correspond to the wood colour and grain direction of the outer ply	permitted using only oval shaped plugs with a gap of 1 mm on one side or 0.5 mm on both sides	permitted using only oval shaped plugs

*Appendix A, continued*

WOOD AND MACHINING DEFECTS	B (I)	BBx (II)	BB (II)	CP (III)	C (IV)
17. Double plug	not permitted		permitted using only oval shaped plugs in the maximum number of 1 per m <sup>2</sup>	permitted using only oval shaped plugs	
18. Repairing of large checks with veneer plugs	not permitted				
19. Bulges due to overlapping inner plies (marks indicating plies overlap)	not permitted	permitted of a width of up to 3 mm in the maximum number of 3 per sheet		permitted of a width of up to 5 mm in the maximum number of 5 per sheet	permitted
20. Overlap	not permitted	permitted of a length of up to 100 mm, width of up to 2 mm in the maximum number of 1 per metre of the sheet width		permitted of a length of up to 300 mm, width of up to 2 mm in the maximum number of 2 per metre of the sheet width	permitted
21. Marks left by tools and equipment (marks left by battens, stripes)	not permitted	permitted up to 10 % of the sheet surface		permitted	
22. Glue penetration	not permitted	permitted up to 2 % of the sheet surface		permitted up to 5 % of the sheet surface	permitted
23. Marks left by tools and equipment, pinholes, kerfs	permitted in the total number within the limits for non-adhering knots				
24. Scratches, ridges, bumps, dents, crests	not permitted			permitted up to 0.5 mm high (deep), up to 120 mm long, up to 10 mm wide	permitted

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WOOD AND MACHINING DEFECTS	B (I)	BBx (II)	BB (II)	CP (III)	C (IV)
25. Warp	in accordance with par. 6.6.1			not considered in plywood under 6.5 mm thick, permitted maximum 15 mm per 1 m of the length of the diagonal of a plywood sheet over 6.5 mm thick	
26. Glue thread	not permitted			permitted	
27. Blisters, delamination (incl. in bending), bark pocket	not permitted				
28. Sander skips (non-uniform sanding)	not permitted				permitted up to 50 % of the sheet surface
29. Sanding through	not permitted			permitted up to 1% of the sheet surface	permitted
30. Metal inclusions	not permitted			permitted non-ferrous metal staples	
31. Edge defects after trimming, missing veneer	not permitted	permitted of a width of up to 2 mm			permitted of a width of up to 10 mm
32. Coarse peeling	not permitted	permitted up to 5 % of the sheet surface		permitted up to 15 % of the sheet surface	permitted
33. Waviness (for sanded plywood), fuzzy grain, ripple	not permitted			permitted	
34. Surface roughness	roughness $R_m$ is according to GOST 7016, $\mu\text{m}$ , not more than 100				
35. Pocket (without bark inclusion)	not permitted	permitted in the total number within the limits specified in par. 12 of this Appendix		permitted	
36. Glued in pieces of veneer	not permitted			permitted of a length of up to 150 mm, width of up to 30 mm in the maximum number of 1 per sheet	permitted

Note: No defects not specified in Appendix A are permitted.

**APPENDIX B**  
**(mandatory)**

**Terms and definitions of machining defects of outer plies of SVEZA DRAWER plywood**

The terms and definitions of machining defects of outer plies of SVEZA DRAWER plywood are specified in Table B.1.

Table B.1

Description of machining defects	Definition
Glued in pieces of veneer	Pieces of veneer glued (pressed) in plywood surface
Coarse peeling	Plywood surface has closely located shallow depressions resulting from local wood removal during peeling
Pocket	Cavity inside wood or between growth rings that is filled with gums

APPENDIX C  
(mandatory)

**Designation of SVEZA DRAWER plywood grades**

The designation of SVEZA DRAWER plywood grades is given in Table C.1

Table C.1

Latin letters	Roman numerals	Text on the label in the "Grade" field
B/B	I/I	DR B/B (I/I)
B/BB	I/II	DR B/BB (I/II)
B/BBx	I/II	DR B/BBx (I/II)
B/CP	I/III	DR B/CP (I/III)
B/C	I/IV	DR B/C (I/IV)
BB/BB	II/II	DR BB/BB (II/II)
BB/BBx	II/II	DR BB/BBx (II/II)
BBx/BBx	II/II	DR BBx/BBx (II/II)
BB/CP	II/III	DR BB/CP (II/III)
BBx/CP	II/III	DR BBx/CP (II/III)
BB/C	II/IV	DR BB/C (II/IV)
BBx/C	II/IV	DR BBx/C (II/IV)
CP/CP	III/III	DR CP/CP (III/III)
CP/C	III/IV	DR CP/C (III/IV)

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