

CHEMICAL PROPERTIES OF *ACACIA MANGIUM*

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# **ABSTRACT**

## **CHEMICAL COMPONENTS OF *ACACIA MANGIUM***

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This project is a study about chemical components of *Acacia mangium* wood. *Acacia mangium* is the commercial fast growing tree that valuable in wood industry of our country. There are seven experiments have done in this study namely determination of moisture content, cold – water solubility, hot – water solubility, alcohol – benzene solubility, 1% NaOH solubility of wood, lignin and ash in wood. The percentage of result shows the content of chemical component in wood such as extractive components, lignin and ash. Other that, the result also indicates the degree of decay or degradation.