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The following guide is based on the 2016 Standards of the American Wood Protection Association (AWPA)

- ABOVE GROUND (UC3B) treated wood may be used in applications that do not come into contact with the ground.
- Use GROUND CONTACT (UC4A) treated wood in applications where the wood is buried in the ground or if the wood is exposed to ground contact type hazards.

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