

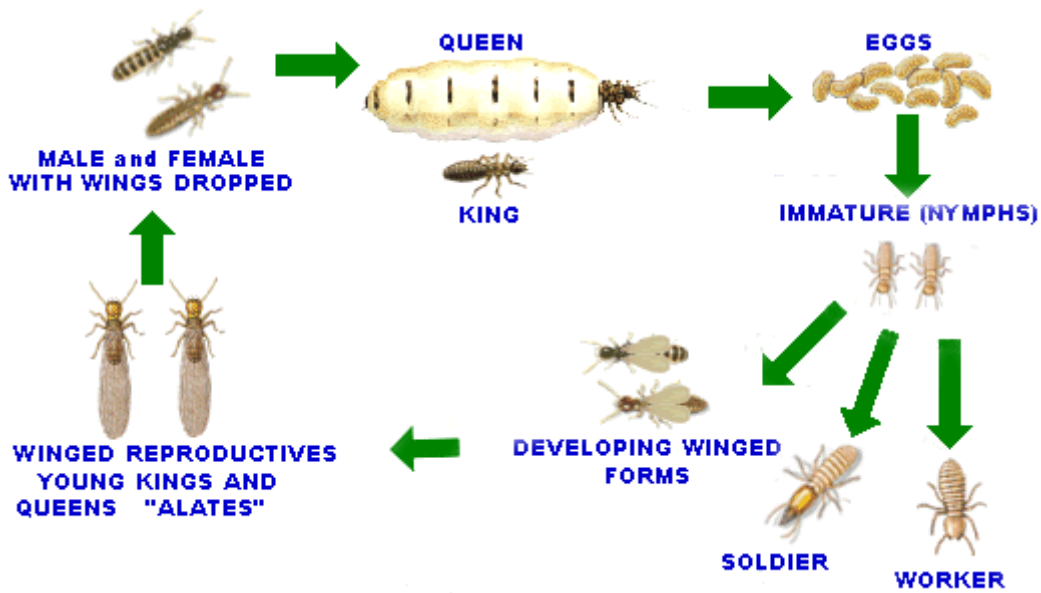
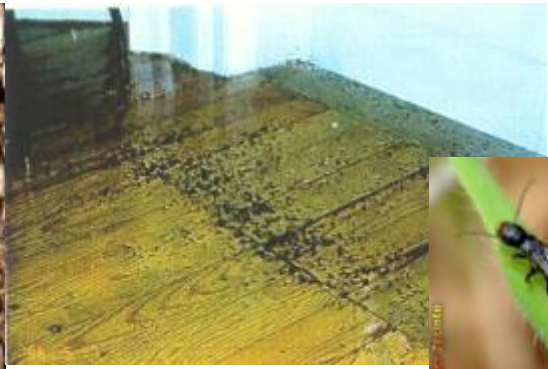


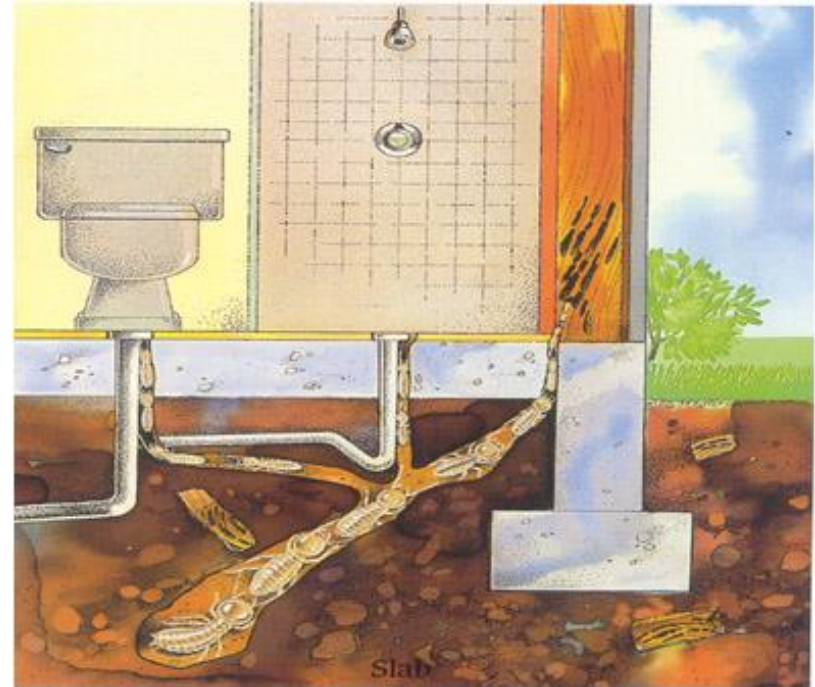
# THE CHALLENGE OF BUILDING WITH BIOBASED MATERIALS IN TERMITE AREAS

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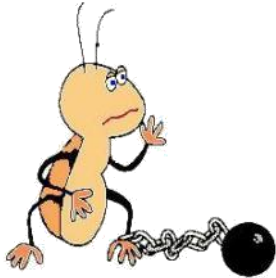




# How can termites be controlled?

Through **prevention**

Wood durability (natural or enhanced)



Construction practices

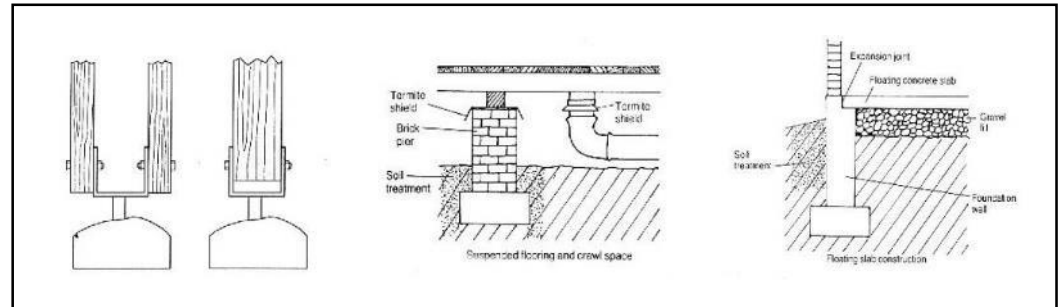
Reduced access to structure

Proper ventilation of sub-floor areas

Prevention of leakages in either the plumbing or drainage system

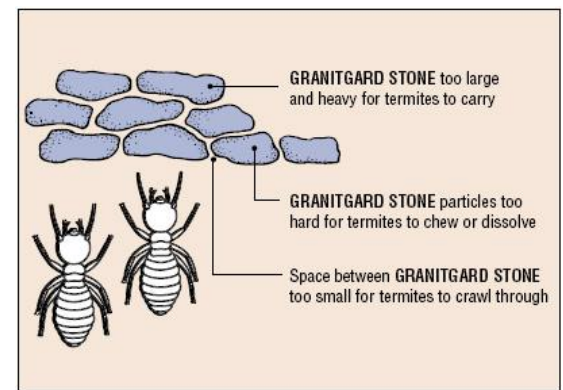
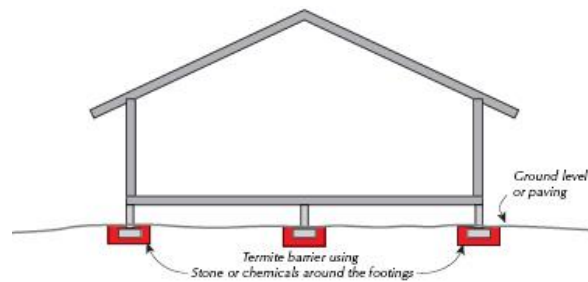
Clean building regime (not leaving behind the remains of wood debris)

Avoidance of direct contact of wood and soil





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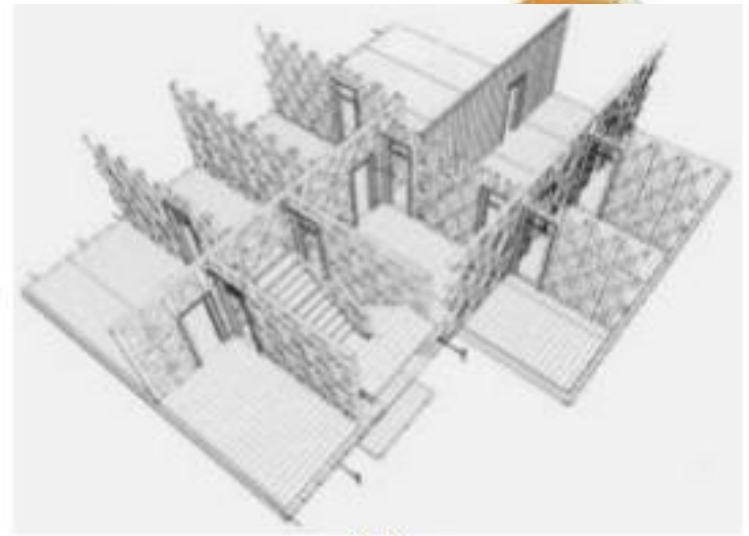
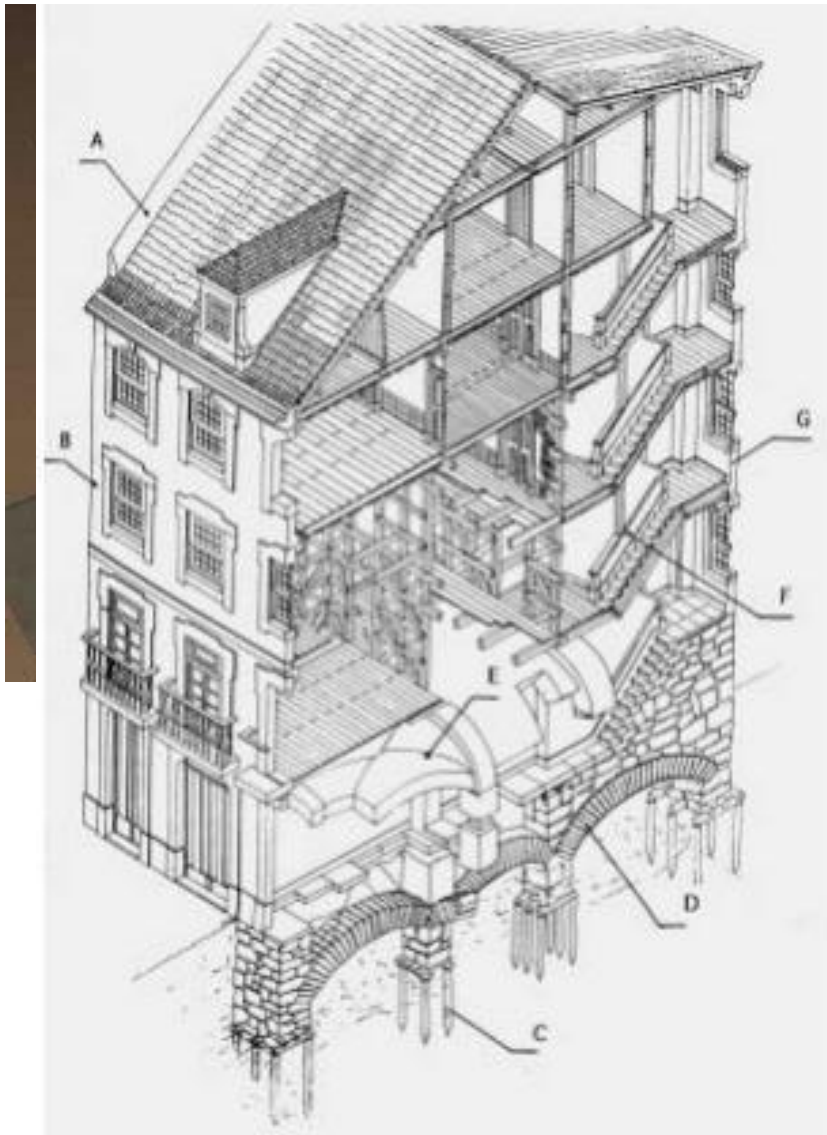




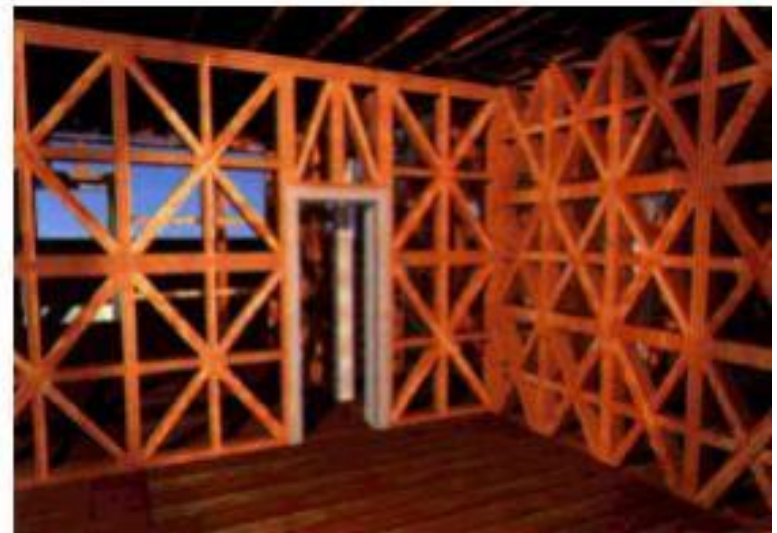








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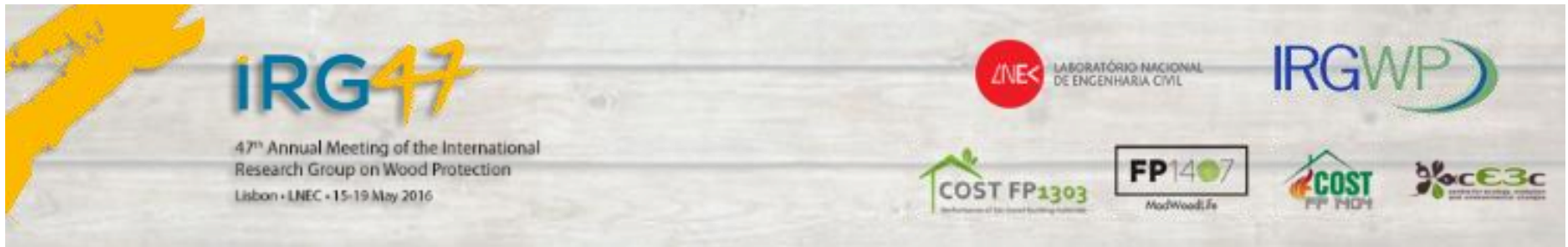












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