

Substrate		Lignin (%)	Mean (%)	Reference
Wheat straw	<i>Triticum aestivum</i> c.v. Cadenza - internodes	19.3	19.62	Bertrand et al., 2009
	<i>Triticum vulgare</i> c.v. Horoshiri	19.0		Pan and Sano, 2005
	<i>Triticum aestivum</i> sp.	21.0		Lequart et al., 2000
	<i>Triticum aestivum</i> L. cv. Scipion	21.8		Durot et al., 2003
	Variety Riband	17.0		Xu et al., 2006
Spruce	Fresh chips	28.6	27.53	Zhu et al., 2009
	spruce	26.81		Schilling et al., 2009
	Picea abies	27.6		Assor et al., 2009
	Picea abies	27.11		Rousset et al., 2009

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Supplementary Figure 4. Assessment of lignin content in wheat-straw and spruce: a summary of published data.