

Compartment Review Presentation

Atlanta Forest Management Unit

Compartment 54005 Entry Year 2018 Acreage: 1,934

County Montmorency

Management Area: Avery Hills

Revision Date: 2016-06-09

Stand Examiner: Darrick Coy

Legal Description:

T29N R02E Sec 2, 11, & 14

Identified Planning Goals:

To provide for the protection, integrated management and responsible use of a healthy, productive, and undiminished forest resource base for the social, recreational, environmental, and economic benefit of the State of Michigan. Harvests prescribed will help balance the age classes of aspen and oak cover types.

Soil and topography:

Soils are primarily graycalm sands (30%), millersburg-klacking-graycalm complex (30%), horsehead-graycalm sands (19%) and other (21%). The topography of the compartment is rolling to the north and rolling to steep south of Avery Lake Rd. The compartment is predominately oak, aspen, and jack pine. Forest habitat types are primarily dominated by PArVHa, PArVVb, and unclassified lowland.

Ownership Patterns, Development, and Land Use in and Around the Compartment:

This compartment is located in an area of contiguous state land. There is a large amount of land use from antrim gas development.

Unique Natural Features:

Rare and Endanger Species Present-Hill's Thistle

Potential Rare and Endangered Species Present- Alleghany or Slow Plum, Secretive Locust, and Spike-Lip Crater

Archeological, Historical, and Cultural Features:

Some sites exist. Contact the state historical preservation office for more information or reporting of new sites.

Special Management Designations or Considerations:

Future harvests should minimize conversion of oak to primarily other deciduous forest cover types as much as possible. Temporary conversions to pine within some oak stands through artificial means should be considered to build advanced oak regeneration over time. Adjacent compartments 12 and 4 contain many pine stands that are fully stocked with advanced oak regeneration. Understory oak burns should also be considered to build advanced oak regeneration. Candidate stands for burnings should have vigor, large crowns, and minimal epicormic branching.

Watershed and Fisheries Considerations:

No aquatic concerns.

Wildlife Habitat Considerations:

This compartment is an excellent opportunity to manage for wildlife. It is part of a multiple compartment, large scale block of public land providing contiguous wildlife pathways that are necessary for many of our large game animals such as black bear. Habitat components of heavy aspen and oak provide food and cover for multiple species at a variety of age classes. We are working to maintain oak and other mast producing trees as well as keep a good age rotation of aspen in this compartment as well as adjacent compartments. Species which benefit from our management include white-tailed deer, black bear, ruffed grouse, woodcock, and many other game and non-game species.

Mineral Resource and Development Concerns and/or Restrictions

Surface sediments consist of coarse-textured till, glacial outwash sand and gravel, and postglacial alluvium. The glacial drift thickness varies between 400 and 600 feet. Beneath the glacial drift is the Mississippian Coldwater Shale. There is no known economic use for the Coldwater Shale. No active sand/gravel pits are located in the area, but potential is good on the uplands. Active gas production from the Antrim Shale is occurring within the compartment and all of the state minerals are currently under lease and held by production in unitized areas.

Vehicle Access:

This compartment is easily accessed from Avery Lake Road. The entire compartment has two tracks and improved pipeline corridors for traversing the area.

Survey Needs:

None known at this time.

Recreational Facilities and Opportunities:

There are many opportunities for hunting, bird and wildlife viewing in the area. The compartment is close to two State Forest Campgrounds on Avery Lake and has a designated snowmobile (#882) and equestrian trails going through it.

Fire Protection:

Fire response to the compartment will be covered by the Atlanta DNR office as well as the Tri-Township Fire Department. Most of the compartment is easily accessible by county roads and 2-track roads.

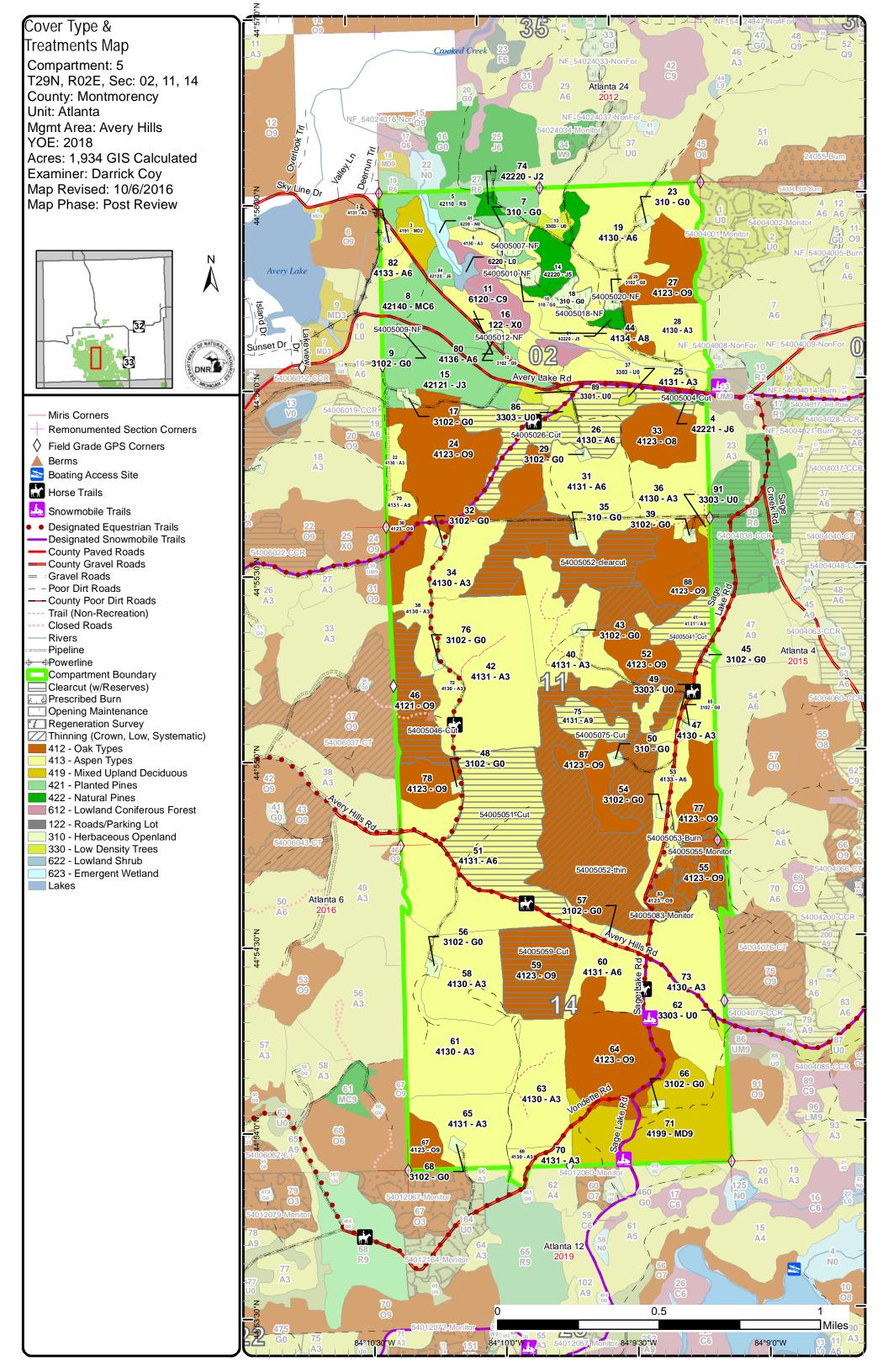
Additional Compartment Information:

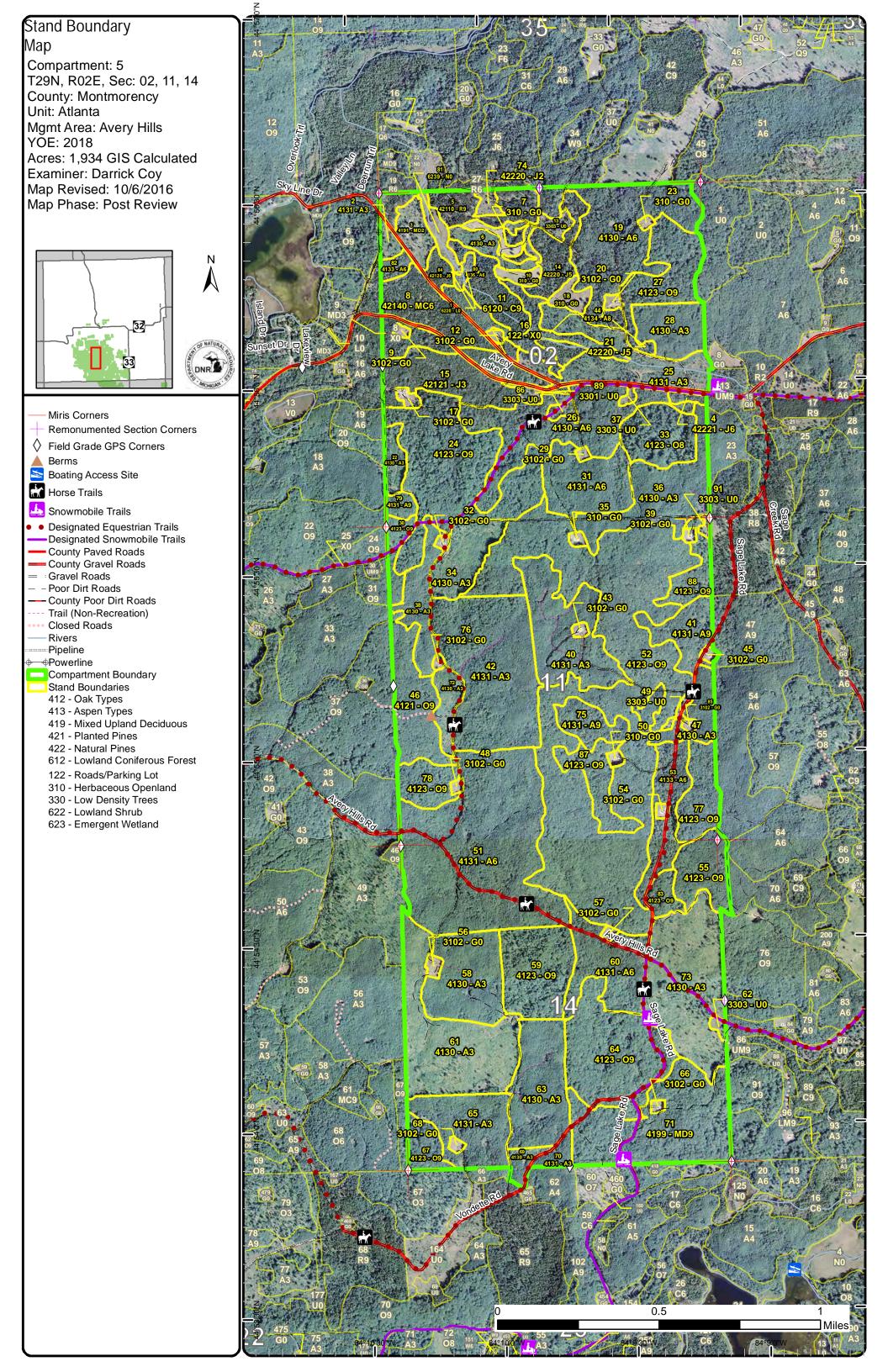
The following reports from the Inventory are attached:

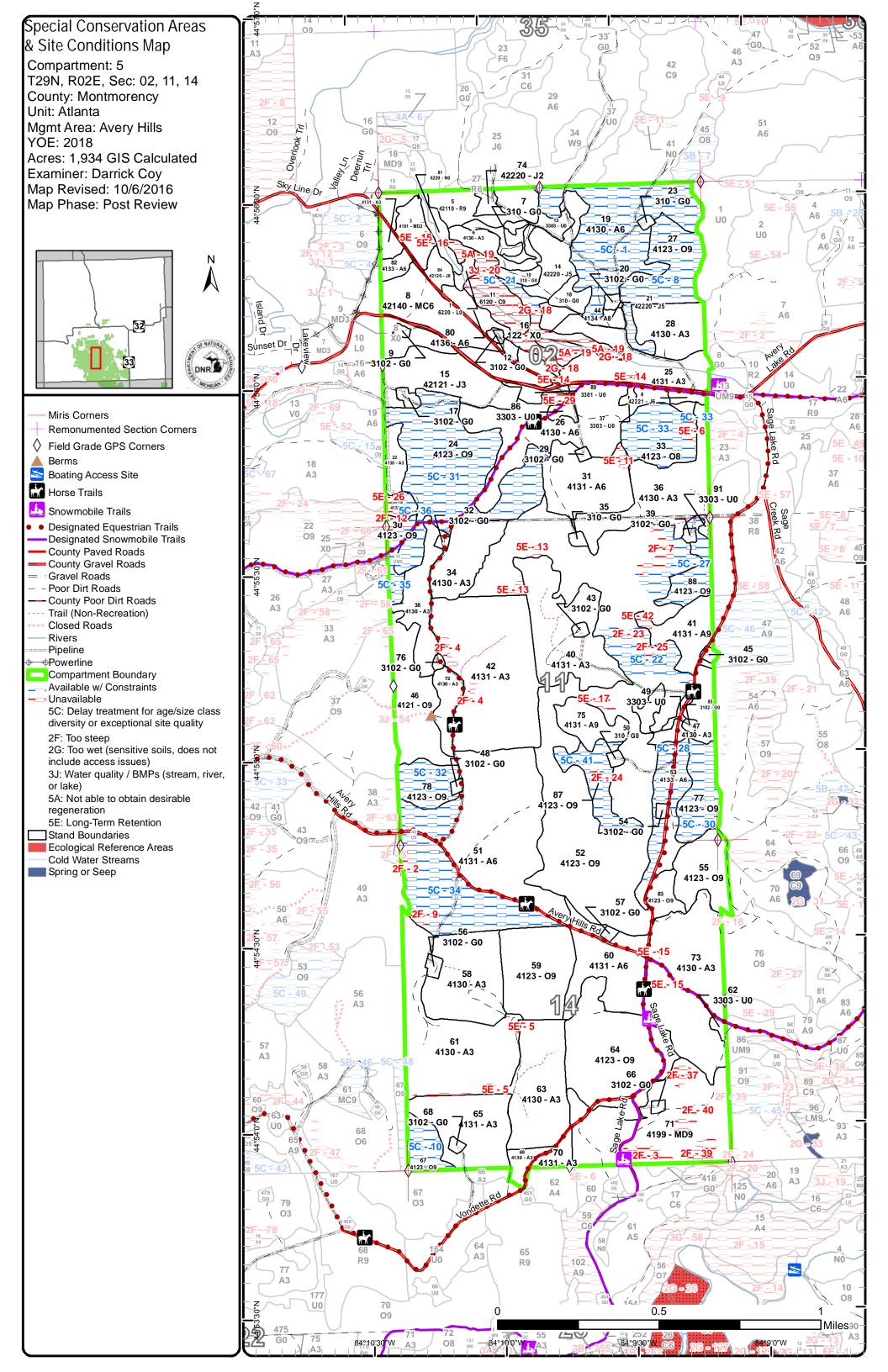
Total Acres by Cover Type and Age Class
Cover Type by Harvest Method
Proposed Treatments – No Limiting Factors
Proposed Treatments – With Limiting Factors
Stand Details (Forested and Nonforested)
Dedicated and Proposed Special Conservation Areas
Site Condition Details

The following information is displayed, where pertinent, on the attached compartment maps:

Base feature information, stand boundaries, cover types, and numbers Proposed treatments
Site condition boundaries
Details on the road access system







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Age Class

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Cedar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	22
Herbaceous Openland	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	37
Jack Pine	0	3	0	0	47	3	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73
Low-Density Trees	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Lowland Shrub	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Marsh	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Mixed Upland Deciduous	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	72	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	82
Oak	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	32	589	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	620
Planted Mixed Pines	0	0	0	0	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36
Red Pine	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26
Urban	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
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Report 2 – Treatment Summary

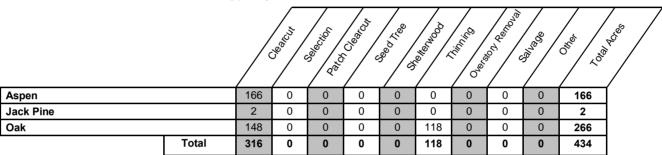
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Acres of Harvest

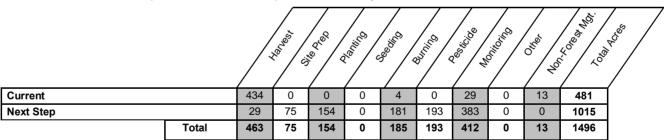
Compartment 5
Total Compartment Acres: 1,934

Commercial Harvest - 434 Harvests with Site Condition - 0 Next Step Harvest - 29 Habitat Cut - 29

Cover Type by Harvest Method



Proposed and Next Step Treatments by Method



Atlanta Mgt. Unit Report 3 -- Treatments Compartment: 5 s Year of Entry: 2018 а **Treatment** Acres Stand Size Stand BA **Treatment Treatment Cover Type** Age **Approval** n Method Objective Status Name CoverType Density Range Structure d Age Type 54005004-Cut 2.3 42221 - Natural Poletimber 53 51-80 Harvest Clearcut 4191 - Mixed Even-Aged Draft Field Jack Pine, Mixed Well Upland Boundary Deciduous Deciduous with Conifer Habitat Cut: No **Site Condition:** Prescription -clearcut Specs: -no retention to maximize regeneration of stand -protect snowmobile/equestrian trail in timber sale specifications Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory) Treatments: <u>Acceptable</u> -any combination of jp, oak, rm, aspen, and other pine of medium to high stocking Regen: Other Comment: **Proposed Start Date:** 10/01/2017 54005007-NF 3.7 310 - Herbaceous Nonstocked Unspec NonForestMgt Herbaceous/Crop/ 310 -Draft Field Grass Planting Openland ified Herbaceous Boundary Openland **Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:** Prescription Opening will be maintained on a rotational basis to produce wildlife forage through burning, mowing, planting, or other agriculture practices. Specs: Next Step Treatments: Acceptable . Regen: Other Comment: **Proposed Start Date:** 10/01/2017 54005009-NF 1.0 3102 - Grass Nonstocked NonForestMgt Herbaceous/Crop/ 310 -Draft Field Unspec ified **Grass Planting** Herbaceous Boundary Openland **Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:** Prescription Opening will be maintained on a rotational basis to produce wildlife forage through burning, mowing, planting, or other agriculture practices. Specs: Next Step **Treatments:** Acceptable Regen: Other Comment: 10/01/2017 **Proposed Start Date:** 54005010-NF 310 - Herbaceous 310 -3.7 Nonstocked Unspec NonForestMgt Herbaceous/Crop/ Draft Field Openland ified Grass Planting Herbaceous Boundary Openland **Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:** Prescription Opening will be maintained on a rotational basis to produce wildlife forage through burning, mowing, planting, or other agriculture practices. Specs: Next Step **Treatments:** <u>Acceptable</u> Regen: Other

10/01/2017

Comment:

Proposed Start Date:

Atlanta Mgt. Unit Report 3 -- Treatments Compartment: 5 s Year of Entry: 2018 а **Treatment** Acres Stand Size Stand BA **Treatment Treatment Cover Type Approval** n Age Method Objective Status Name Density Age Structure d CoverType Range Type 54005012-NF 12 1.2 3102 - Grass Nonstocked NonForestMgt Herbaceous/Crop/ 310 -Draft Field Unspec ified **Grass Planting** Herbaceous Boundary Openland **Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:** Prescription Opening will be maintained on a rotational basis to produce wildlife forage through burning, mowing, planting, or other agriculture practices. Specs: Next Step **Treatments:** Acceptable . Regen: Other Comment: **Proposed Start Date:** 10/01/2017 5.5 310 - Herbaceous 54005018-NF Nonstocked NonForestMgt Herbaceous/Crop/ 310 -Draft Field Unspec Openland ified **Grass Planting** Herbaceous Boundary Openland **Habitat Cut: No** Site Condition: <u>Prescription</u> Opening will be maintained on a rotational basis to produce wildlife forage through burning, mowing, planting, or other agriculture practices. Specs: Next Step Treatments: <u>Acceptable</u> Regen: Other Comment: **Proposed Start Date:** 10/01/2017 54005020-NF 15 3102 - Grass NonForestMgt Herbaceous/Crop/ 310 -Draft Field Nonstocked Unspec ified **Grass Planting** Herbaceous Boundary Openland **Habitat Cut: No** Site Condition: Prescription Opening will be maintained on a rotational basis to produce wildlife forage through burning, mowing, planting, or other agriculture practices. Specs: Next Step Treatments: <u>Acceptable</u> Regen: Other if access is possible Comment: Proposed Start Date: 10/01/2017 54005026-Cut 56.0 4130 - Aspen Poletimber 53 51-80 Harvest Clearcut with 4130 - Aspen Even-Aged Draft Field Well Retention Boundary **Habitat Cut: No Site Condition: Prescription** Specs: -leave scattered mast oak and pine of low timber value where present and not to exceed residual BA of 10 (will need to mark to leave) -leave 3-10% in area retention along snowmobile/equestrian trail (already excluded- see site conditions) -protect snowmobile/equestrian trail in timber sale specifications

Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory)

Treatments:

Acceptable -oak, aspen, rm, and pine of medium to high stocking

Regen: Other Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/01/2017

Atlanta Mgt. Unit Report 3 -- Treatments Compartment: 5 s Year of Entry: 2018 а **Treatment** Acres Stand Size Stand BA **Treatment Treatment Cover Type Approval** n Age CoverType Method Objective Name Structure **Status** d Density Age Range Type 54005041-Cut 41 17.3 4131 - Aspen, Oak Sawtimber 91 81-110 Harvest Clearcut with 4139 - Aspen, Even-Aged Draft Field Mixed Deciduous Well Retention Boundary **Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:** Prescription -clearcut Specs: -area retention already excluded (see site conditions) -additional side slope area retention may be used if slopes over 40% are found during sale prep -no tree-length skidding with crowns attached -protect equestrian trail in timber sale specifications -use gas pad for landing Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory) **Treatments:** Acceptable -aspen, rm, oak, and pine of medium to high stocking Regen: Other Comment: **Proposed Start Date:** 10/01/2017 4140 - Other Draft Field 32.0 4121 - Oak, Aspen Sawtimber 111-Clearcut with 54005046-Cut Harvest Even-Aged 140 Retention Upland Boundary Deciduous **Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:** Prescription -clearcut -leave 3-10% in area retention for steeper terrain Specs: -additional side slope area retention may be used if slopes over 40% are found during sale prep -no tree-length skidding with crowns attached -protect steep slopes- as needed, require putting slash/tops and/or hay in valleys and along side slopes used for forwarding at a spacing specified by the timber sale administrator upon existing each payment unit -protect equestrian trail in timber sale specifications -use gas pad for landing Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory) **Treatments:**

Acceptable -any combination of aspen, rm, oak, and pine of medium to high stocking Regen:

Other Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/01/2017

78.7 4131 - Aspen, Oak Poletimber 81-110 Clearcut with 4130 - Aspen 54005051-Cut Harvest Even-Aged Draft Field Retention Boundary

Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:

<u>Prescription</u>

-leave rp and wp, if present Specs: -leave 3-10% in area retention

-protect equestrian trail in timber sale specifications

Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory) Next Step

Treatments:

<u>Acceptable</u> -aspen, rm, oak, and pine of medium to high stocking

Other Comment:

Regen:

Proposed Start Date: 10/01/2017

Acceptable

Other Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/01/2017

54005055 4123 - Red Oak Sawtimber Natural Regen 4123 - Red Oak Draft Field 55 111-Monitoring Even-Aged Boundary Monitor Well 140 (Intermediate)

Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:

Prescription -survey regeneration per work instructions before initiating 2nd understory burn using fixed radius plots

Specs:

Harvest, Clearcut; Burn, Understory; Monitoring, Natural Regen (Intermediate); Burn, Understory Next Step

Treatments:

-this survey is to compare seedlings regenerated per acre after the first burn <u>Acceptable</u>

Regen: -particularly quantifying any non-oak deciduous competition

Other Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/01/2016

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a n d	Treatment Name	Acres	Stand CoverType	Size Density	Stand Age	BA Range	Treatment Type	Treatment Method	Cover Type Objective	Age Structure	Approval Status
59	54005059-Cut	37.6	4123 - Red Oak	Sawtimber Well	98	51-80	Harvest	Clearcut with Retention	4211 - Planted Red Pine	Even-Aged	Draft Field Boundary

Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:

Prescription -clearcut

-leave 5-10% in area retention scattered along treatment perimeter/edge Specs:

-initiate conversion to artificial RP post-harvest with long-term objective for an oak cover type

-per WLD recommendation- plant individual stems to pockets of advanced oak regeneration scattered within rp plantation once spraying has been

completed

-protect equestrian trail in timber sale specifications

SitePrep, Roller Chopping; Pesticide, Aerial; SitePrep, Trenching; Planting, Initial Plant; Monitoring, Artificial Regen(1yr) Next Step

Treatments:

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-Fully stocked artificial rp with minor deciduous associates <u>Acceptable</u>

Regen:

Long-term Objective:

-Oak, Pine

-Convert stand back to an oak stand once advanced regeneration is established using frequent thinnings to create additional oak seedlings and

maintain sapling vigor once removal cut is made

Other -species thinned in 2000 removing all aspen and rm

Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/01/2017

54005075-Cut 13.6 4131 - Aspen, Oak Sawtimber 81-110 Clearcut with 4131 - Aspen, Draft Field 92 Harvest Even-Aged Well Retention Oak Boundary

Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:

Prescription -clearcut

-3-5 mast oak in clumps every 3 acres where present Specs:

> -leave 3-10% in area retention for steeper terrain -no tree-length skidding with crowns attached

Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory)

Treatments:

Acceptable -aspen, rm, pine, and oak of medium to high stocking

Regen:

Other Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/01/2017

54005083-8.0 4123 - Red Oak Sawtimber 93 81-110 Monitoring Natural Regen 4122 - Oak, Pine Even-Aged Draft Field Monitor Well (Intermediate) Boundary

Habitat Cut: No Site Condition:

Prescription -survey regeneration per work instructions before initiating 2nd understory burn using fixed radius plots

Specs:

Next Step Harvest, Shelterwood with Retention; Burn, Understory; Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory); Burn, Understory

Treatments:

-this survey is to compare seedlings regenerated per acre after the first burn Acceptable

-particularly quantifying any non-oak deciduous competition Regen:

Other Comment:

Proposed Start Date: 10/01/2016

Total Treatment Acreage Proposed:

484.2

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Availa	Availability for Management											
Total	Acres	Acres Avail	Acres		Dominar	nt Site	e Con	ditions	S			
Acres	Available	With Condition	Not Available		5C	2F	2G	3J	5A	5E		
1003	828	145	31	Aspen	145	6	7	5	1	12		
22	0	0	22	Cedar			0	6	16			
37	37	0	0	Herbaceous Openland	0							
73	73	0	0	Jack Pine								
16	16	0	0	Low-Density Trees								
3	3	0	0	Lowland Shrub								
7	7	0	0	Marsh								
83	68	0	14	Mixed Upland Deciduous		13				1		
620	358	247	16	Oak	247	10				6		
36	36	0	0	Planted Mixed Pines								
26	26	0	0	Red Pine								
9	9	0	0	Urban								
1,934	1,459	392	83	Total Forested Acres	392	29	7	10	17	19		
	75%	20%	4%	Relative Percent						-		

^{*}Due to limitations in the current Site Conditions Analysis tool, all nonforested acres are considered available. Future development will enable analysis of nonforested types.

	Dominant Site Condition	Acres	Other Site Condition	Other Site Condition	Other Site Condition	Other Site Condition
Available	5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality	64	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
Comments:						
Unavailable	2F: Too steep	1	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
Comments:						
Unavailable	2F: Too steep	5	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
	that are operable,					
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4	Unavailable	2F: Too steep	2	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified		
	Comments:								
5	Unavailable	5E: Long-Term Retention	3	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified		
	Comments: -area retention for stand 61								
6	Unavailable	5E: Long-Term Retention	2	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified		
	Comments: -area retention for	stand 33							
7	Unavailable	2F: Too steep	5	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified		
	Comments:								
8	Available	5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality	32	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified		
	Comments:								
9	Unavailable	2F: Too steep	2	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified		
	Comments:								
10	Available	5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality	11	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified		
	Comments:								

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11	Unavailable	5E: Long-Term Retention	2	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
	Comments: area retention for	stand 31					
12	Unavailable	2F: Too steep	3	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
(Comments:						
13	Unavailable	5E: Long-Term Retention	3	2F: Too steep	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
	Comments: area retention for	stand 52 (in part)					
14	Unavailable	5E: Long-Term Retention	2	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
	Comments: area retention for	stand 25					
15	Unavailable	5E: Long-Term Retention	1	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
	Comments: area retention for	stand 73 (previously 60 & 64)					
16	Unavailable	5E: Long-Term Retention	1	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
	Comments: stand 3 area retent	iion					
17	Unavailable	5E: Long-Term Retention	2	2F: Too steep	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
.,	Comments:						

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18	Unavailable	2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues)	7	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
(Comments:						
19	Unavailable	5A: Not able to obtain desirable regeneration	17	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
(Comments:						
20	Unavailable	3J: Water quality / BMPs (stream, river, or lake)	10	5A: Not able to obtain desirable regeneration	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
	Comments: intermittent strear	n buffer					
21	Available	5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality	2	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
(Comments:						
22	Available	5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality	18	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
(Comments:						
23	Unavailable	2F: Too steep	1	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
(Comments:						

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24	Unavailable	2F: Too steep	1	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified			
(Comments:									
25	Unavailable	2F: Too steep	1	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified			
(Comments:									
26	Unavailable	5E: Long-Term Retention	1	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified			
	Comments: area retention for stand 22 to the adjacent north									
27	Available	5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality	23	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified			
(Comments:									
28	Available	5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality	19	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified			
(Comments:									
29	Unavailable	5E: Long-Term Retention	3	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified			
	Comments: area retention for	stand 26								
30	Available	5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality	20	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified			
(Comments:									

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31	Available	5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality	82	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
Co	omments:						
32	Available	5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality	15	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
Co	omments:						
33	Available	5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality	23	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
Co	omments:						
34	Available	5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality	56	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
Co	omments:						
35	Available	5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality	6	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
Co	omments:						
36	Available	5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality	3	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
Co	omments:						

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37	Unavailable	2F: Too steep	2	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified				
	Comments: Look for any areas that are operable,										
39	Unavailable	2F: Too steep	4	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified				
	Comments: Look for any areas that are operable,										
40	Unavailable	2F: Too steep	3	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified				
	Comments: Look for any areas that are operable,										
41	Available	5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality	17	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified				
C	Comments:										
42	Unavailable	5E: Long-Term Retention	1	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified				
	Comments: -area retention for stand 41										

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Report 5 - PROPOSED SPECIAL CONSERVATION AREA* (SCA) DETAILS

* This is a partial list of SCAs for this compartment. Not included are those areas identified under other Department initiatives (Natural Rivers, Deer Wintering Areas, etc.). Those will be identified in separate, future map and report products.

Comments	

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Report 6 - EXISTING SPECIAL CONSERVATION AREA DETAILS



* This is a list of SCA's for this compartment along with a 1/4 mile buffer surrounding the compartment. Refer to the Special Conservation Area Map for locations of the below listed Conservation Areas.

Conservation Type Description
Area

ERA = Ecological Reference Area

HCVA = High Conservation Value Area

SCA = Special Conservation Area

S t	Atlanta	a Mgt. Unit		Report 7	– Forested	Stands Compartment: 5 Year of Entry: 2018
a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:
2	4131 - Aspen, Oak	Sapling Well	3.8	5	1-50	-past treatment- clearcut -completion date- 8-20-09 (cut winter/spring '09) -sale number- 54-014-08-01 -leave trees- rp, wp, or white oak -volume (cds)- mhwd- 6, aspen- 58, jp- 15
3	4191 - Mixed Upland Deciduous with Conifer	Sapling Medium	10.5	5	1-50	-past treatment- clearcut -completion date- 1-5-10 (cut spring '09) -sale number- 54-037-08-01 -leave trees- all oak -volume (cds)- rp-487, jp- 91, aspen- 25
						-mixed stand -jp strip left to E bordering creek
4	42221 - Natural Jack Pine, Mixed Deciduous	Poletimber Well	2.3	53	51-80	-aspen showing fairly significant signs of rot already
5	42110 - Planted Red Pine	Sawtimber Well	26.0	60	111-140	-planting record- furrow planting completed 9-29-59 -past treatment- thinning -completion date- 1-5-10 (no tree-length skid, cut spring '09) -sale number- 54-037-08-01 -leave trees- 2/3 rows, and all oak -volume (cds)- rp-487, jp- 205, aspen- 32; rolling terrain
6	4130 - Aspen	Sapling Well	11.2	6	Immature	-past treatment- clearcut -completion date- 8-20-09 (cut winter/spring '09)-sale number- 54-014-08-01-leave trees- rp or oak-volume (cds)- bf- 7, aspen- 121
8	42140 - Planted Mixed Pine	Poletimber Well	35.5	34	51-80	-planting record- furrow planting of equal mix of rp and jp completed 10/23/80 -planting record- furrow replanting completed of straight rp completed 5/83 -irregular stocking and uneven branching
11	6120 - Lowland Cedar	Sawtimber Well	21.9	101	171-200	-intermittent stream bisects stand; fairly dense and healthy cedar; open sub-canopy where cedar dominates; fir is patchy in understory
14	42220 - Natural Jack Pine	Poletimber Medium	17.8	51	51-80	-variable stocking, open areas; mostly balsam fir south of E-W two-track
15	42121 - Planted Jack Pine, Mixed Deciduous	Sapling Well	42.2	34	1-50	-planting record- furrow planting of equal mix of rp and jp completed 10/23/80-planting record- furrow replanting completed of straight jp completed 5/83
19	4130 - Aspen	Poletimber Well	64.3	51	51-80	Some Low spots with white pine around them. Wildlife (D. Smith) wanted to hold 20 years to spread out cutting in NE comer of the compartment; legacy wp to NW; 3-4 stick aspen
21	42220 - Natural Jack Pine	Poletimber Medium	3.0	49	51-80	
22	4130 - Aspen	Sapling Well	7.8	6	Immature	-left marked oak and all wp

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24	4123 - Red Oak	Sawtimber Well	81.8	91	51-80	-stand was species thinned around 1988 and regeneration is small diameters; previously cut species are still mostly in subcanopy; primarily even-aged stand with subcanopy red maple sapling competition issues; oak have larger crowns due to past thinnings and are healthier in general -south end has more wp saps in understory -east leg of stand has primarily high red maple saps with no adv wp -past treatment- species thinning (cut all aspen, maple, birch, and jp) -completion date- 10-13-88 (8-31-88 to 10-3-88) -sale number- 54-047-88-01 -leave trees- all oak, wp, and rp -volume (cds)- mhwd- 201 cds, aspen- 230, rm- 6, pb- 17, & jp- 13 -nothing was cut SE side of trail within this stand	
25	4131 - Aspen, Oak	Sapling Well	41.7	6	1-50	-higher sapling oak to E 3rd of stand -past treatment- clearcut -completion date- 8-20-09 (winter/cut spring '09) -sale number- 54-014-08-01 -leave trees- rp, wp, or white oak -volume (cds)- aspen- 420, rm- 2, oak- 2, bf- 24, jp- 68	
26	4130 - Aspen	Poletimber Well	58.7	53	51-80	-aspen showing fairly significant signs of rot already	
27	4123 - Red Oak	Sawtimber Well	32.0	89	81-110	Majority of stand was species thinned in 1960's. Wildlife (D. Smith) wanted to hold 10 yrs to spread out cutting in NE corner of compartment;	
28	4130 - Aspen	Sapling Well	21.1	27	1-50	-Erosion Problem on two track up steep side hill-past treatment- clearcut completion date- 8-7-89 (10-7-88 to 8-7-89)-sale number- 54-045-88-01-leave trees- none-volume (cds)- oak- 180 cds, aspen- 332 bta, rm- 6, & pine- 2	
30	4123 - Red Oak	Sawtimber Well	8.6	93	111-140	Bad ORV damage on South face of slope	
31	4131 - Aspen, Oak	Poletimber Well	32.7	38	51-80	scattered mature oak and rp with some legacy trees-past treatment- clearcut -completion date- 11/16/78-sale number-54-060-78A-leave trees- none-volume (cds)- oak- 247 cds, aspen- 336, mhwd- 53	
33	4123 - Red Oak	Sawtimber Medium	24.5	92	1-50	-variable heights in subcanopy due to partial to full suppression within overstory -stand was species thinned in 2000 (7-22-99 - 4-7-00) -54-010-98-01 -300 cds aspen and 70 cds rm -40 sqft oak left with 1 sqft pine	
34	4130 - Aspen	Sapling Well	22.2	6	Immature	-past treatment- clearcut -completion date- 12-07-09 (cut late summer/fall/winter '09) -sale number- 54-024-08-01 -leave trees- rp, wp, white oak, or green painted trees -volume (cds)- ro- 163, aspen- 620, rm- 57	

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36	4130 - Aspen	Sapling Well	41.0	26	51-80	-left some trees to leave along trail-past treatment- clearcut - completion date- 5-1-90 (7-8-88 to 5-1-90)-sale number- 54-036- 88-01-leave trees- none-volume (cds)- oak- 306 cds, aspen- 698, rm- 94		
38	4130 - Aspen	Sapling Well	20.3	27	Unspecified	-past treatment- clearcut -completion date- 8-7-89 (11-4-88 to 4-3-89) -sale number- 54-048-88-01 -leave trees- none -volume (cds)- oak- 377 cds, bta- 343, mhwd- 29, woak- 26, pbirch- 20		
40	4131 - Aspen, Oak	Sapling Well	48.3	25	Unspecified	-some steep slopes-past treatment- clearcut in -completion date- 12-04-91 (9-11-91 - 12-04-91)-sale number- 54-017-91-01-leave trees- all white oak-volume- 938 cds aspen, 639 cds red oak, 204 cds rm		
41	4131 - Aspen, Oak	Sawtimber Well	18.7	91	81-110	-new stand added that was previously a part of a large oak stand		
42	4131 - Aspen, Oak	Sapling Well	83.4	35	51-80	-past treatment- clearcut -completion date- 8-30-81 -sale number- 54-004-79A -leave trees- oak and wp -volume (cds)- oak- 602 cds, aspen- 858, rm- 156, & birch- 12; more scattered oak logs to NW; -appears that they cut and left oak trees, oak in L/P covertype percentages accounts for both oak that were left and cut due to no drastic size class change from sap/L		
44	4134 - Aspen, Spruce/Fir	Sawtimber Medium	15.2	83	51-80	-intermittent stream bisects stand; fairly dense and healthy cedar; open sub-canopy where cedar dominates; fir is patchy in understory -area was left for stream and cedar buffering -highly variable stand composition		
46	4121 - Oak, Aspen	Sawtimber Well	32.0	93	111-140	-PArVHa-VVb-low vigor, old, high density, epicormic branching small crowns-BA is on upper end, likely 130-140-no records or evidence within stand of past thinnings-stand is similar composition to stand to adjacent east before it was cut, will produce similar results-60-80ft tall trees		
47	4130 - Aspen	Sapling Well	18.1	27	Unspecified	New gas well was put in after DOQQ, site will need to be adjusted. Scattered mature Oak and Red Pinesome steep slopes-past treatment- clearcut in -completion date- 12-04-91 (9-11-91 - 12-04-91)-sale number- 54-017-91-01-leave trees-all white oak-volume- 938 cds aspen, 639 cds red oak, 204 cds rm		
51	4131 - Aspen, Oak	Poletimber Well	138.2	51	81-110			

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:		
52	4123 - Red Oak	Sawtimber Well	238.7	93	111-140	-some isolated areas of steep terrain exist within this stand but it is mostly harvestable -slopes are significantly longer within this stand to NE and create erosion concerns -oak are showing signs of decline with crown dieback and epicormic branching on poorer site quality areas -the S portion of this stand is higher quality oak (VVb with significant witch hazel in subcanopy) -areas to the NE and E are of lower quality VHa and the density is lower, closer to 110 BA with heights of 50-70 ft		
53	4133 - Aspen, Mixed Pine	Poletimber Well	25.0	56	Unspecified	-long narrow species rich stand with a fair amount of snags -one of the few areas in this compartment portion in the south half that has a fair amount of pine (primarily in north half of stand) -a few acres to the south contain older aspen -majority of aspen in this stand are healthy		
55	4123 - Red Oak	Sawtimber Well	21.4	96	111-140	No oak or pine regen present. Possible shelterwood/seed tree and hand plant white pine in understory. -stand was burned in Spring 2015 -most rm stems have resprouted and will need to be burned again.		
58	4130 - Aspen	Sapling Well	39.1	26	1-50	Some steep slopes -past treatment- clearcut -completion date- 9-21-90 (5-11-88 to 9-21-90) -sale number- 54-007-88-01 -leave trees- none -volume (cds)- oak- 919 cds, aspen- 1,727, rm- 119, pb- 10, & pine- 3		
59	4123 - Red Oak	Sawtimber Well	37.8	98	51-80	Stand was species thinned in 2000. Stand was cut during 1-18-2000 to 4-7-2000, pretty much winter (715 cds aspen & 100 cds rm). Old landing in SW corner.		
60	4131 - Aspen, Oak	Poletimber Well	34.7	55	Unspecified	-still not much rot-oak were not cut out from past harvest and are now primarily mast trees		
61	4130 - Aspen	Sapling Well	65.5	6	Immature	-past treatment- clearcut -completion date- 12-07-09 (cut late summer/fall/winter '09) -sale number- 54-024-08-01 -leave trees- rp, wp, white oak, or green painted trees -volume (cds)- ro- 862, aspen- 1,012, rm- 78		
63	4130 - Aspen	Sapling Well	41.2	27	1-50	-past treatment- clearcut -completion date- 9-21-90 (5-11-88 to 9-21-90)-sale number- 54-007-88-01-leave trees- none-volume (cds)- oak- 919 cds, aspen- 1,727, rm- 119, pb- 10, & pine- 3		
64	4123 - Red Oak	Sawtimber Well	60.5	93	81-110	-species thinned around 1963, small diameters on aspen and red maple -adv oak regeneration concerns		

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	General Comments:		
65	4131 - Aspen, Oak	Sapling Well	34.5	36	1-50	-past treatment- clearcut -completion date- 10/24/79-sale number- 54-080-78-leave trees- none-volume (cds)- oak- 106 cds, aspen- 308, jp- 32		
67	4123 - Red Oak	Sawtimber Well	10.7	94	81-110			
69	4130 - Aspen	Sapling Well	5.4	16	Unspecified			
70	4131 - Aspen, Oak	Sapling Well	5.1	36	1-50			
71	4199 - Other Mixed Upland Deciduous	Sawtimber Well	72.2	77	81-110	-snowmobile trail through this stand ored two oak trees in center of stand and were both around 77, majority of compartment oak is low to mid 90s -the majority of this stand can be harvested, only found a few spots over 35% slope -ne edge, <5 acres of stand, had rm and aspen cut out to the adjacent comp to east, 5 yrs or younger oulk of aspen are younger, some aspen is older in the southern lige where steeper terrain exists- past harvest must have left oak that were not quite 5 inches to explain for the age difference		
72	4130 - Aspen	Sapling Well	10.6	6	Immature	-past treatment- clearcut -completion date- 12-07-09 (cut late summer/fall/winter '09) -sale number- 54-024-08-01 -leave trees- rp, wp, white oak, or green painted trees -volume (cds)- ro- 235, aspen- 54, rm- 40		
73	4130 - Aspen	Sapling Well	67.0	5	Immature	Aspen/Oak Clearcut in spring 2011. Expect good aspen/oak regen. 54-031-08-01 Savery Aspen Nomadspast treatment- clearcut -completion date- 2-28-11 (late fall- winter) -sale number- 54-031-08-01 -leave trees- all rp, wp, and trees marked with green paint -volume (cds)- oak- 616, aspen- 619, rm- 121		
74	42220 - Natural Jack Pine	Sapling Medium	3.3	5	Immature	-was cut in 2009 with adjacent RP thinning		
75	4131 - Aspen, Oak	Sawtimber Well	13.6	92	81-110	-scattered mast oak within this stand		
77	4123 - Red Oak	Sawtimber Well	19.9	94	81-110	-it appears that aspen and rm were cut out 55 years ago -stand is on better site than most other oak stands and has adequate crown form and spacing due to past thinning		
78	4123 - Red Oak	Sawtimber Well	14.8	93	81-110	-Stand was species thinned around 1965 with aspen to east -all aspen and red maple were cut -oak have larger crowns than oak to north and are healthier in general due to past thinning		
79	4131 - Aspen, Oak	Sawtimber Well	4.3	93	111-140	-ORV damage on South face of slope -dense mixed stand of aspen and oak		

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a n d	Level 4 Cover Type	Size Density	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range		General Comments:	MICHIGAN .
80	4136 - Aspen, Mixed Conifer	Poletimber Well	6.9	35	51-80			
82	4133 - Aspen, Mixed Pine	Poletimber Well	3.9	36	51-80			
83	4123 - Red Oak	Sawtimber Well	7.3	93	81-110	-oak crowns are	e larger and not overly stressed over	erstocking
84	42120 - Planted Jack Pine	Poletimber Well	4.8	34	51-80			
87	4123 - Red Oak	Sawtimber Well	17.9	93	81-110	-slightly less BA	and oak have larger crowns and r	more vigor
88	4123 - Red Oak	Sawtimber Well	12.5	93	81-110	-poorer quality red	oak -epicormic branching found or	n many oak

Well

trees

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20 - Alder/willow 0 - Herbaceous Openland	2.8	No	
O Harbassaus Openland		140	-standing dead trees within stand
o - Herbaceous Operliand	3.7	Yes	
02 - Grass	1.0	No	-possible location for 12/31/65 mineral permit
0 - Herbaceous Openland	3.7	Yes	
02 - Grass	1.2	No	
03 - Mixed Low Density Trees	4.0	No	-scattered jp and black cherry
2 - Road/Parking Lot	8.7	No	
02 - Grass	2.1	No	-possible location for 12/31/65 mineral permit
0 - Herbaceous Openland	5.5	Yes	
02 - Grass	1.5	No	-well pad
0 - Herbaceous Openland	1.0	No	-well pad
02 - Grass	1.0	No	
02 - Grass	1.0	No	
0 - Herbaceous Openland	1.3	No	
03 - Mixed Low Density Trees	1.2	No	pocket of old u-type along Avery Lake Rd.
02 - Grass	1.1	No	
02 - Grass	1.2	No	
02 - Grass	1.3	No	
	22 - Grass 20 - Herbaceous Openland 20 - Grass 20 - Road/Parking Lot 20 - Grass 20 - Herbaceous Openland 20 - Grass 20 - Herbaceous Openland 20 - Grass 20 - Herbaceous Openland 20 - Grass 20 - Grass 20 - Herbaceous Openland 20 - Grass 20 - Grass 20 - Grass 20 - Herbaceous Openland 20 - Grass 20 - Grass 20 - Grass	D2 - Grass 1.0 D2 - Herbaceous Openland 3.7 D2 - Grass 1.2 D3 - Mixed Low Density Trees 4.0 D2 - Road/Parking Lot 8.7 D2 - Grass 2.1 D3 - Herbaceous Openland 5.5 D4 - Herbaceous Openland 1.0 D5 - Grass 1.0 D6 - Herbaceous Openland 1.3 D7 - Herbaceous Openland 1.3 D8 - Herbaceous Openland 1.3 D9 - Herbaceous Openland 1.3 D9 - Grass 1.0 D9 - Herbaceous Openland 1.3 D9 - Herbaceous Openland 1.3 D9 - Grass 1.2	D2 - Grass 1.0 No D3 - Herbaceous Openland 3.7 Yes D2 - Grass 1.2 No D3 - Mixed Low Density Trees 4.0 No D2 - Road/Parking Lot 8.7 No D2 - Grass 2.1 No D3 - Herbaceous Openland 5.5 Yes D4 - Herbaceous Openland 1.0 No D5 - Grass 1.0 No D6 - Herbaceous Openland 1.3 No D7 - Herbaceous Openland 1.3 No D8 - Herbaceous Openland 1.3 No D9 - Herbaceous Openland 1.3

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Stand	Cover Type	Acres	Managed Site	General Comments:
48	3102 - Grass	1.0	No	
49	3303 - Mixed Low Density Trees	2.1	No	Scattered mature Oak and Red Pine
50	310 - Herbaceous Openland	1.3	No	
54	3102 - Grass	1.1	No	
56	3102 - Grass	1.9	No	
57	3102 - Grass	1.1	No	
62	3303 - Mixed Low Density Trees	1.6	No	
66	3102 - Grass	1.0	No	
68	3102 - Grass	1.1	No	
76	3102 - Grass	0.9	No	
81	6239 - Mixed Emergent Wetland	6.6	No	-cool season grasses, could be wet meadow to marshy -scattered clumps of alder
85	3102 - Grass	1.0	No	
86	3303 - Mixed Low Density Trees	2.5	No	
89	3301 - Low Density Deciduous Trees	3.2	No	pocket of old u-type along Avery Lake Rd.
91	3303 - Mixed Low Density Trees	1.2	No	