

Compartment Review Presentation

Gwinn Forest Management Unit

Compartment 32282 Entry Year 2024 Acreage: 1,208

County Marquette

Management Area: Sand River Lake Plain

Stand Examiner: Jason Caron

Legal Description:

T47N R23W, Sec. 11-14

Identified Planning Goals:

Planning will focus on wildlife habitat management, timber management, and fisheries management. Public access, forest roads, forest regeneration, forest health, forest fire management, forest recreation, stream crossings, water quality and any resource damage are critical assessments considered during the forest mapping and inventory process. Overall management strives to provide for a diverse, healthy and productive forest through planning and implementation of sustainable, proper forest treatments.

Soil and topography:

Predominantly wet loams in the south grading to coarser sands to north. Sand dune ridges of moderate to steep slopes occur in north. The land is very level from center to south of compartment.

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

State land borders the compartment on the south edge. A large, private, commercial gravel pit lies adjacent to the southwest side of the compartment. Small private parcels are against the northwest, north, and northeast edges of the compartment. Another private, large, commercial gravel pit extends between Sand Lake and the compartment boundary to the northeast. Forest Land Group property is adjacent to the southeast edge of the compartment. The Alger county line lies against the east edge of the compartment. Most dwellings are year-round residences.

Unique Natural Features:

Osprey and old eagle nest record to the west in section 11.

Sand River harbors potential for wood turtle. This compartment contains the James Jeske Sand River Flooding (artificial) and marsh. Potential for marsh birds: american bittern, osprey, yellow rail and black tern.

Archeological, Historical, and Cultural Features:

There is a HAL database record for an archeological site within the compartment.

Special Management Designations or Considerations:

Watershed and Fisheries Considerations:

The Sand River is located down the center section of this compartment and receives a run of steelhead in the spring and serves as a nursery for the juvenile steelhead. The James Jeske Flooding is no longer at full pool following a redesign of the dam structure. The area where the flooding was located is a brushy lowland area. Fisheries Division would support the efforts to get an established buffer in the area where the James Jeske Flooding once was located. Fisheries Division has no concerns at this time.

Wildlife Habitat Considerations:

Compartment 282 is found within the Sand River Lake Plain Management Area, on a Till-floored Lake Plain in northeastern Marquette County. The dominant Natural Communities are mesic northern forest and poor conifer swamps. Major forest cover types include Northern Hardwoods, Aspen, and Hemlock. Wildlife species considerations in the Sand River Lake Plain Man include managing to provide coniferous thermal cover for deer wintering complexes. The emphasis should be on hemlock in this management area as it represents approximately 20% of the WUP hemlock resource. Along with maintaining wildlife movement corridors along vernal and permanent riparian watercourses is also very important. Wildlife management issues in the management area are: habitat fragmentation; course woody debris; retain or develop large living and dead standing trees (for cavities); mesic conifer; mature forest; within-stand diversity; and deer wintering complexes.

The following have been identified as featured species for the Sand River Lake Plain Management Area: American marten, blackburnian warbler, red-shouldered hawk, and white-tailed deer.

Mineral Resource and Development Concerns and/or Restrictions

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No known potential exists for commercial oil & gas production in this part of the state. The nearest active sand/gravel pit is roughly three miles east. Glacial drift is thin or absent and bedrock is at or near the surface across much of the compartment. There may be potential for sand within the compartment, but wetlands would limit where surface mining could occur. There is no known potential for metallic minerals beneath the compartment. No known ground-based exploration has occurred, and there has been no recent State mineral leasing activity in the area. The State does not own all the mineral rights within the compartment. Because the mineral estate is the dominant estate, the surface owner must provide the owner of the mineral rights reasonable access to the surface for mineral exploration and development.

Vehicle Access:

Mangum road, Sand River Road and the snowmobile trail provide the main access routes to the compartment. DNR forest roads are fairly limited, and access to the west side of the compartment is restricted by private property and saturated, unstable soils. The Jeske Flooding parking area is serviced by a public easement across private land to the west of Sand River Road.

Survey Needs:

Survey is needed within section 14 for timber management purposes.

Recreational Facilities and Opportunities:

A designated snowmobile trail passes through the compartment to the north. The North Country Trail meanders through the north and east portions of the compartment. A parking lot and boat ramp for the Jeske Flooding are located in Section 12. Hunting, fishing, snowmobile riding, birdwatching, berry picking and hiking are important uses of this area.

Fire Protection:

Fire access for equipment is good in most areas of this compartment. Given the low and wet ground fire is not of high concern within most of the compartment. The one area that could pose a threat would be the northern portion of this compartment. The red pine cover type and sandy soils could be a concern should the weather become dry. Access into this part of the compartment is good for fire equipment.

Additional Compartment Information:

The following reports from the Inventory are attached:

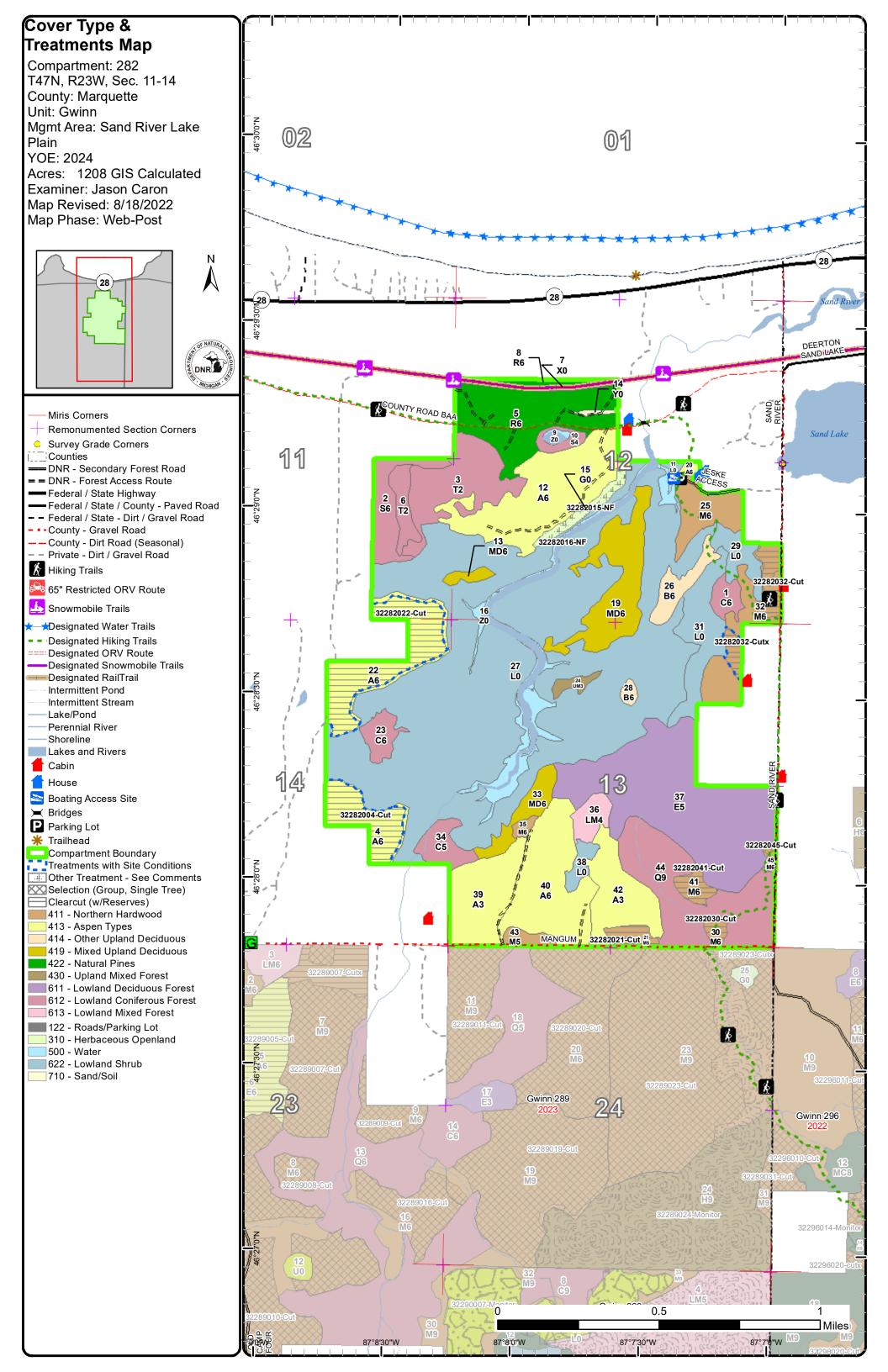
Total Acres by Cover Type and Age Class
Cover Type by Harvest Method
Proposed Treatments – No Limiting Factors
Proposed Treatments – With Limiting Factors
Stand Details (Forested and Nonforested)
Dedicated and Proposed Special Conservation Areas
Site Condition Details

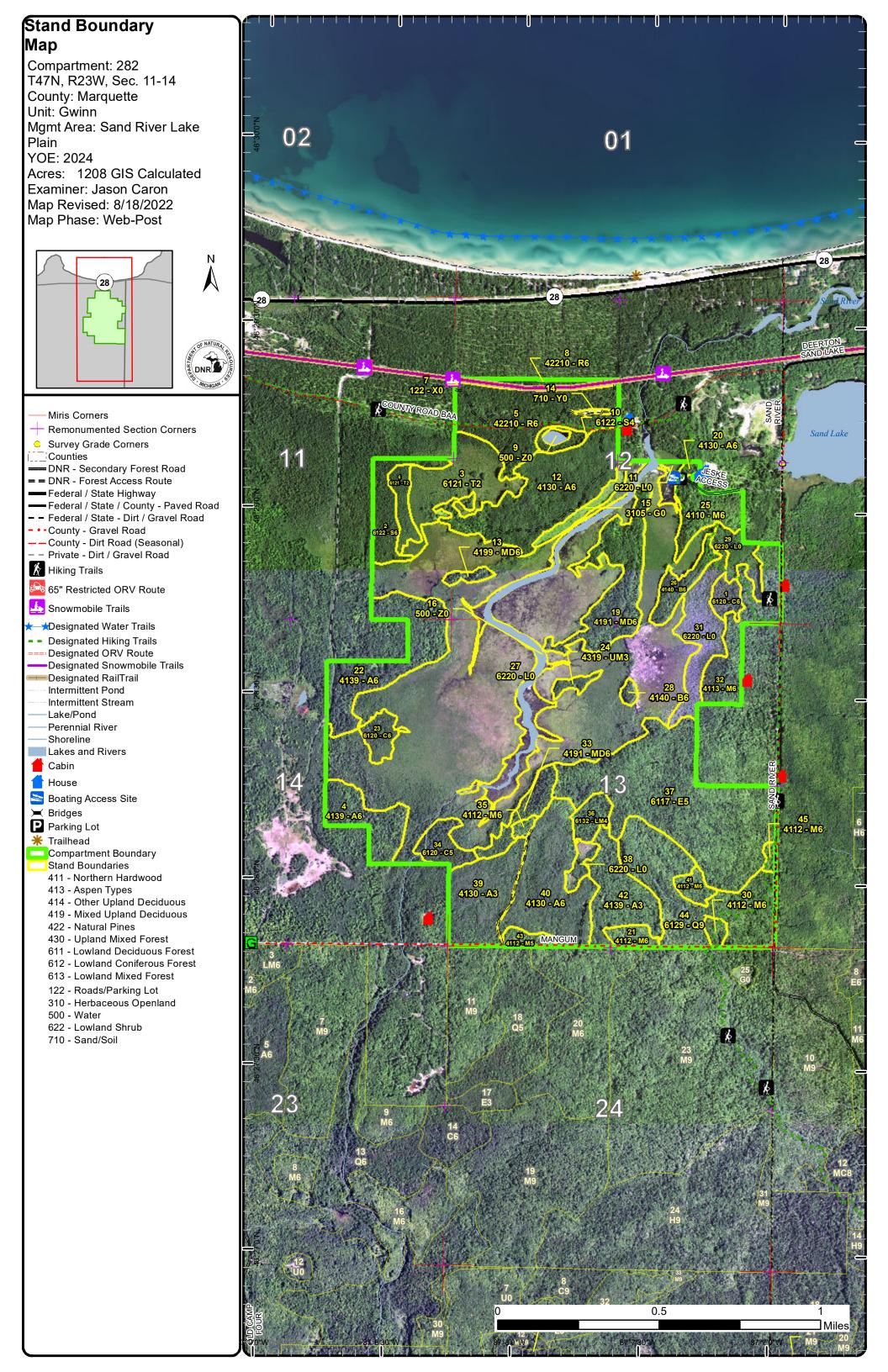
The following information is displayed, where pertinent, on the attached compartment maps:

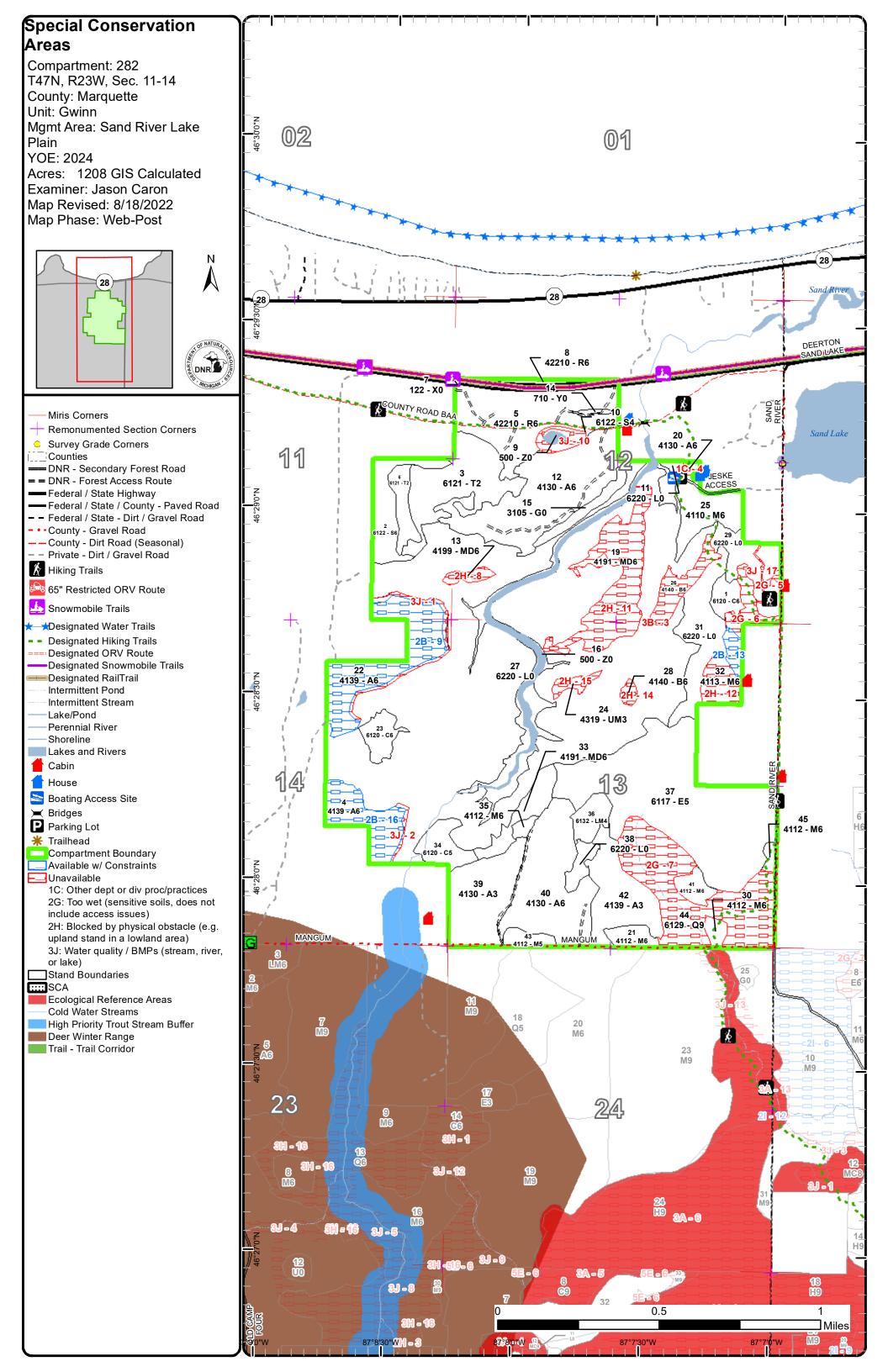
Base feature information, stand boundaries, cover types, and numbers Proposed treatments

Site condition boundaries

Details on the road access system







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Age Class

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| Aspen | 0 | 0 | 30 | 34 | 112 | 0 | 0 | 65 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 241 |
| Cedar | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 26 |
| Herbaceous Openland | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| Lowland Conifers | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 60 | 0 | 60 |
| Lowland Deciduous | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 113 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 113 |
| Lowland Mixed Forest | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| Lowland Shrub | 441 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 441 |
| Lowland Spruce/Fir | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 21 |
| Mixed Upland Deciduous | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 39 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 54 |
| Northern Hardwood | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 40 | 2 | 32 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 74 |
| Paper Birch | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 |
| Red Pine | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 52 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 57 |
| Sand, Soil | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Tamarack | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 46 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 46 |
| Upland Mixed Forest | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Urban | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Water | 39 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 39 |
| Total | 492 | 0 | 30 | 37 | 197 | 0 | 29 | 283 | 19 | 47 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 60 | 0 | 1208 |



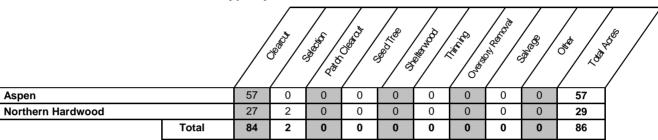
Report 2 – Treatment Summary

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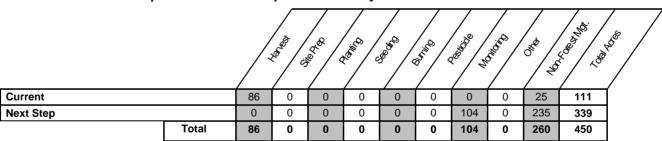
Compartment 282 Year of Entry: 2024 **Total Compartment Acres: 1,208 Acres of Harvest**

> Commercial Harvest - 25 Harvests with Site Condition - 61 Next Step Harvest - 0 Habitat Cut - 0

Cover Type by Harvest Method



Proposed and Next Step Treatments by Method



Gwinn Mgt. Unit Report 3 -- Treatments Compartment: 282 s Year of Entry: 2024 t а **Treatment** Size RΔ Treatment **Cover Type** Acres Stand Stand **Treatment** Age Habitat n Name Method Objective CoverType Density Age Range Type Structure Cut d **Proposed Treatments:** 32282004-Cut 20.7 4139 - Aspen, Poletimber 67 81-110 Harvest Clearcut with 4136 - Aspen, Even-Aged No Mixed Deciduous Well Retention Mixed Conifer Prescription Clearcut with reserves. Do not harvest yellow birch and pine. Red line out areas of the parent stand for retention purposes. Specs: Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory) **Treatments:** Acceptable Aspen, maple, spruce, fir, pine, and birch. Regen: Other Comment: Site Condition Unknown Access Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2023 32282021-Cut 4191 - Mixed 5.8 4112 - Maple, Poletimber 82 81-110 Harvest Clearcut with Even-Aged No

Beech, Cherry Well Retention Upland
Association Deciduous with
Conifer

<u>Prescription</u> Clearcut with reserves. Do not harvest hemlock, yellow birch, and pine. This will serve as the retention for the stand. <u>Specs:</u>

Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory)

Treatments:

Acceptable maple, aspen, fir, spruce, pine, hemlock, birch, and cherry.

Regen: Other

Comment:

Site Condition

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2023

22 32282022-Cut 36.4 4139 - Aspen, Poletimber 67 81-110 Harvest Clearcut with 4136 - Aspen, Even-Aged No Mixed Deciduous Well Retention Mixed Conifer

<u>Prescription</u> Clearcut with reserves. Do not cut yellow birch and pine. Red line out areas of the parent stand to meet retention guidelines. <u>Specs:</u>

Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory)

Treatments:

<u>Acceptable</u> Aspen, spruce, fir, pine, birch, and maple.

Regen:
Other
Comment:

<u>Site Condition</u> Unknown Access <u>Proposed Start Date:</u> 10/1 /2023

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|--|---|---|--|--------------|-------------|-------------------|----------------------------|--|------------------|---------------|
| a n Treatment d Name | Acres | Stand CoverType | Size Density | Stand Age | BA Range | Treatment Type | Treatment Method | Cover Type Objective | Age Structure | Habita Cut |
| 30 32282030-Cu | t 3.3 | 4112 - Maple, Beech, Cherry Association | Poletimbe Well | r 60 | 81-110 | Harvest | Clearcut with Retention | 4319 - Mixed Upland Forest | Even-Aged | No |
| Prescription Cleard Specs: | out with rese | erves. Do not harv | est hemlock, | yellow | birch and | pine. | | | | |
| Next Step Monito | oring, Natur | al Regen (Re-Inve | ntory) | | | | | | | |
| Acceptable maple Regen: | , hemlock, | cedar, pine, birch | | | | | | | | |
| Other Comment: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Site Condition | | | | | | | | | | |
| Proposed Start Date | <u>e:</u> 10/1 /20 |)23 | | | | | | | | |
| 32 32282032-Cu | t 8.3 | | Poletimbe | r 67 | 111- | Harvest | Clearcut with Retention | 4191 - Mixed Upland | Even-Aged | No |
| VIIVIVI VI | | Conifer | Well | | 140 | | Retention | Deciduous with Conifer | | |
| Prescription Cleard | | | est hemlock | | llow birch. | | consist of red lining | Deciduous with Conifer out buffers aroun | d wet areas. C | Consider |
| Prescription Cleard Specs: putting | g an operati | erves. Do not harve | est hemlock ne sale to ha | | llow birch. | | consist of red lining | Deciduous with Conifer out buffers aroun | d wet areas. C | Consider |
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Other Comment:

Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory) Treatments:

<u>Site Condition</u> Unknown Access <u>Proposed Start Date:</u> 10/1 /2023

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \underline{Acceptable} & maple, fir, spruce, pine, birch, hemlock, cedar. \\ \underline{Regen:} & \end{tabular}$

Gwinn Mgt. Unit Report 3 -- Treatments Compartment: 282 s Year of Entry: 2024 t а Treatment Size Stand RΔ **Treatment** Treatment **Cover Type** Acres Stand Age Habitat n Name CoverType Density Method Objective Structure Age Range Type Cut d 32282041-Cut Poletimber 81-110 4319 - Mixed 41 5.6 4112 - Maple, 60 Harvest Clearcut with Even-Aged Nο Beech, Cherry Retention **Upland Forest** Well Association Prescription Clearcut with reserves. Do not harvest hemlock, yellow birch and pine. Specs: Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory) Treatments: Acceptable Aspen, maple, pine, cedar, hemlock, and birch. Regen: Other Comment: Site Condition Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2023 32282045-Cut 4112 - Maple, Poletimber 82 81-110 Harvest Single Tree 411 - Northern Uneven-No 2.1 Well Beech, Cherry Selection Hardwood Aged Association Prescription Selectively mark the stand to 70-80 square feet. Favor under-represented species when marking. Specs: Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory) Next Step **Treatments:**

Approved Treatments:

Regen:
Other
Comment:
Site Condition

15 32282015-NF 6.8 3105 - Mixed Nonstocked Unspec NonForestMgt Other - Specify 3205 - Mixed No Upland Herbaceous ified Upland Shrub

Prescription Trim, shelter, fertilize, and/or maintain planted trees/shrubs. Herbicide, plant/replant, fertilize, and/or mow to maintain planted cover crops as Specs: Nonitor health and survival of planted trees/shrubs. Assess success and suitability for longevity and sustainability.

Next Step ; NonForestMgt, Other - Specify; NonForestMgt, Other - Specify; NonForestMgt, Other - Specify

Treatments:

Acceptable Regen:

Other Percent to Treat = 100%

Acceptable maple, hemlock, birch.

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2023

Comment:

Site Condition

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2024

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Total Treatment Acreage Proposed:

Proposed Start Date: 9 /1 /2022

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| Availa | ability for | Managemer | nt | | | | | | | | |
|--------|-------------|----------------|---------------|------------------------|------|-----|---------|-------|--------|----|----|
| Total | Acres | Acres Avail | Acres | | Domi | naı | nt Site | e Con | dition | s | |
| Acres | Available | With Condition | Not Available | | 2 | В | 1C | 2G | 2H | 3B | 3J |
| 241 | 176 | 57 | 8 | Aspen | 5 | 7 | 2 | | | | 6 |
| 25 | 25 | 0 | 0 | Cedar | | | | | | | |
| 7 | 7 | 0 | 0 | Herbaceous Openland | | | | | | | |
| 60 | 0 | 0 | 60 | Lowland Conifers | | | | 60 | | | |
| 113 | 113 | 0 | 0 | Lowland Deciduous | | | | | | | |
| 8 | 8 | 0 | 0 | Lowland Mixed Forest | | | | | | | |
| 441 | 441 | 0 | 0 | Lowland Shrub | | | 0 | | | 0 | 0 |
| 22 | 17 | 0 | 4 | Lowland Spruce/Fir | | | | | | | 4 |
| 54 | 12 | 0 | 42 | Mixed Upland Deciduous | | | | | 42 | | |
| 74 | 51 | 4 | 19 | Northern Hardwood | 4 | 4 | 0 | 9 | 10 | | 1 |
| 13 | 0 | 0 | 13 | Paper Birch | | | | | 2 | 11 | |
| 57 | 57 | 0 | 0 | Red Pine | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Sand, Soil | | | | | | | |
| 46 | 46 | 0 | 0 | Tamarack | | | | | | | |
| 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | Upland Mixed Forest | | | | | 3 | | |
| 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | Urban | | | | | | | |
| 39 | 39 | 0 | 0 | Water | | | | | | | |
| 1,208 | 997 | 61 | 150 | Total Forested Acres | 6 | 1 | 2 | 69 | 57 | 11 | 11 |
| | 83% | 5% | 12% | 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 Cond Availability | Dominant Site Condition | Acres | Other Site Condition | Other Site Condition | Other Site Condition | Other Site Condition | |
|---|------------------------------------|--|-------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--|
| 1 | Unavailable | Unavailable 3J: Water quality / BMPs (stream, river, or lake) | | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | |
| | Comments: | | | | | | | |
| 2 | Unavailable | 3J: Water quality / BMPs (stream, river, or lake) | 1 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | |
| | Comments: | | | | | | | |
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| 3 | Unavailable | 3B: Threatened, endangered, and special concern species | 11 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
|---|--|--|------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------|
| | Comments: | | | | | | |
| 1 | Unavailable | 1C: Other dept or div proc/practices | 2 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| | Comments: Wildlife Division wa | nts to maintain the mature aspo | en in this | s stand for cavity nesting bi | rds associated with the Sa | nd River. | |
| 5 | Unavailable | 2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues) | 1 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| | Comments: | | | | | | |
| 6 | Unavailable | 2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues) | 8 | 1D: Interest Group / Neighbor | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| | Comments: A couple streams fl | ow through this area. Also, the | NCT is | within this site condition. | | | |
| 7 | Unavailable | 2G: Too wet (sensitive soils, does not include access issues) | 60 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| | | swales throughout. High knobs ortality. This has occurred in C- | | | d 200+ years in age. Previo | ous harvests in this type of | ground have led to |
| 3 | Unavailable | 2H: Blocked by physical obstacle (e.g. upland stand in a lowland area) | 3 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| | Comments: | | | | | | |

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| 9 | Available | 2B: Unknown if access through adjacent landowner(s) is possible | 36 | 2I: Survey needed | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
|----|---------------------------------|--|----------|-----------------------------|------------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | Comments: | | | | | | |
| 10 | Unavailable | 3J: Water quality / BMPs (stream, river, or lake) | 4 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| C | Comments: | | | | | | |
| 11 | Unavailable | 2H: Blocked by physical obstacle (e.g. upland stand in a lowland area) | 39 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| C | Comments: | | | | | | |
| 12 | Unavailable | 2H: Blocked by physical obstacle (e.g. upland stand in a lowland area) | 10 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| | Comments: Sizeable stream in | the north half of this site conditi | on. Appı | roaches not conducive for a | portable bridge. | | |
| 13 | Available | 2B: Unknown if access through adjacent landowner(s) is possible | 4 | 2I: Survey needed | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| C | Comments: | | | | | | |
| 14 | Unavailable | 2H: Blocked by physical obstacle (e.g. upland stand in a lowland area) | 2 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| C | Comments: | | | | | | |
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| 15 | Unavailable | 2H: Blocked by physical obstacle (e.g. upland stand in a lowland area) | 3 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
|----|-------------|--|----|-------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| C | omments: | | | | | | |
| 16 | Available | 2B: Unknown if access through adjacent landowner(s) is possible | 21 | 2I: Survey needed | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| C | omments: | | | | | | |
| 17 | Unavailable | 3J: Water quality / BMPs (stream, river, or lake) | 1 | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified | Unspecified |
| C | omments: | | | | | | |

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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.

| SCA Name | SCA Category | Detail Type | Recommendation | Acres |
|----------|--------------|-------------|----------------|-------|
| | | | | |
| 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 Area | туре | Description | ERA = Ecological Reference Area HCVA = High Conservation Value Area SCA = Special Conservation Area |
|----------------------|----------------------|---|---|
| SCA | Cold Water Stream | A coldwater stream has temperature and dissolved oxygen cond stocked trout populations and those of other coldwater fish speci year to year. Coldwater streams in Michigan typically provide the contributions of groundwater to their stream flows. Such streams designated as trout resources by Fisheries Order 210. | es (e.g., slimy sculpin) to persist from se conditions due to substantial |
| SCA | Habitat Area | An area that provide some specific need for the life cycle of wildl and Waterfowl Production Areas, deer wintering complexes in loopenings and savannas. Habitat areas are distinct from critical hendangered or threatened species (such as Kirtland's warbler or general in nature, are not primarily associated with threatened or covered by species recovery plans that are developed in cooperations. | wland conifer communities, grassland abitat designated for recovery of piping plover areas) in that they are more endangered species, and are not |
| SCA | Riparian Area | A transitional area between aquatic and terrestrial ecosystems in influences the aquatic ecosystem and vice-versa. Because of the streams and open water wetlands, riparian areas harbor a high communities are ecologically and socially significant in their effects as aesthetics, habitat, bank stability, timber production, and their | e unique conditions adjacent to lakes, liversity of plants and wildlife. Riparian cts on water quality and quantity, as well |

t 7 – Stands Compartment: 282 Year of Entry: 2024

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| tand | Level 4 C | over Type | | Size D | ensity | Acres | Stand Age B | A Range | Managed | Site | General Comments |
|------|--------------------|--------------|------------|---------|----------|----------|--------------|------------|--------------|------------|---|
| 1 | 6120 - Lo | wland Ceda | ır | Poletim | oer Well | 6.3 | 81 | 51-80 | N/A | | Sparse crowns on many cedar. Cedar healthier to north. Poor form to |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DB | H Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | cedar boles. |
| | Black Spruce | 15 | Pole | 8 | | Northern | White Cedar | Low | < 5 feet | Sapling | |
| Noi | rthern White Cedar | 85 | Pole/Log | 9 | 81 | Bla | ack Ash | Low | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | |
| | | | | | | Та | g Alder | High | 5 - 10 feet | Tall Shrub | |
| 2 | 6122 - B | lack Spruce | | Poletim | oer Well | 17.3 | 75 U | nspecified | N/A | | |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DB | H Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | |
| | Black Spruce | 75 | Pole | 8 | 75 | Та | g Alder | Medium | 5 - 10 feet | Tall Shrub | |
| | Tamarack | 25 | Pole/Log | 12 | | | | | | | |
| 3 | 6121 - | Tamarack | | Sapling | Medium | 37.3 | 35 U | nspecified | N/A | | Site is too poorly drained to be productive. |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DB | H Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | |
| | Tamarack | 100 | Sapling | 3 | 35 | Lea | atherleaf | High | < 5 feet | Tall Shrub | |
| | | | | | | Blac | k Spruce | Low | < 5 feet | Sapling | |
| 1 | 4139 - Aspen, | Mixed Deci | duous | Poletim | oer Well | 21.9 | 67 | 81-110 | N/A | | Aspen is over mature. Aspen range from 3 to 4 sticks tall. White pine sugar maple and black cherry poles present. White birch, white spruc |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DB | H Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | white pine, sugar maple, black cherry and beech saplings found. |
| | Red Maple | 35 | Pole/Log | 8 | | Sug | ar Maple | Low | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | |
| | Paper Birch | 10 | Pole/Log | 9 | | Hazeln | ut (Beaked) | Medium | 5 - 10 feet | Tall Shrub | |
| | Quaking Aspen | 40 | Pole/Log | 9 | 67 | Re | d Maple | Medium | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | |
| | White Spruce | 5 | Pole/Log | 9 | | Ва | lsam Fir | Low | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | |
| | Balsam Fir | 10 | Pole | 8 | | | | | | | |
| 5 | 42210 - Na | tural Red Pi | ne | Poletim | oer Well | 51.8 | 60 | 81-110 | N/A | | Stand was thinned in the fall of 2017. Sale #107-14 NCT Red Pine. S |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DB | H Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | was sold to Holli Forest Products. Upon entering the stand for a first t it was determined the sale was not marked for operability. Foresters f |
| | Red Pine | 96 | Log/Pole | 11 | 60 | Bigto | oth Aspen | Medium | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | the unit marked additional timber to allow operability. |
| | White Pine | 2 | Log/Pole | 10 | | Wh | nite Pine | Medium | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | Basal area ranges from 50 to 100 square feet depending on where yo |
| | Red Oak | 2 | Pole | 10 | | Re | d Maple | Low | >20 feet | Sapling | are within the stand. Residual trees have responded well to thinning a look healthy. Individual Old Growth red pine stems exist within the sta |
| | | | | • | | | | ' | | | which have old fire scars on the base of them. Some areas of the understory is starting to regenerate to big tooth aspen. |
| ô | 6121 - | Tamarack | | Sapling | Medium | 8.6 | 35 U | nspecified | N/A | | Site is too poorly drained to be productive. |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DB | H Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | |
| | Tamarack | 100 | Sapling | 3 | 35 | Blac | k Spruce | Low | < 5 feet | Sapling | |
| | | ' | | ' | | Lea | atherleaf | High | < 5 feet | Tall Shrub | |
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| Stanc | d Level 4 C | over Type | | Size De | nsity | Acres St | and Age B | A Range | Managed \$ | Site | General Comments | |
|-------|---------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------|---------|--------------|-------------|------------|--------------|------------|---|--|
| 8 | 42210 - Na | tural Red Pi | ne P | oletimb | er Well | 4.8 | 52 | 141-170 | N/A | | Stand of natural red pine with a few scattered poor quality red oak and | |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBH | Age | Sub-Cano | y Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | big tooth aspen within the stand. Stand is growing on a dune & swale complex. Soil is very sandy and well drained. Red pine are very slow | |
| | Bigtooth Aspen | 2 | Pole | 8 | | White | Pine | Medium | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | growing due to the soil type. | |
| | Red Pine | 96 | Pole/Sapling | 8 | 52 | Red | Pine | Low | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | , | |
| | Red Oak | 2 | Pole | 8 | | | | | ı | | • | |
| 9 | 500 | - Water | | Nonsto | cked | 1.9 | Ur | nspecified | No | | Bog pond. | |
| 10 | 6122 - B | lack Spruce | Po | oletimb | er Poor | 4.2 | 55 | 1-50 | N/A | | Stand encircles small pond. Due to the high water table and no outle | |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBH | Age | Sub-Cano | y Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | this pond the timber within this stand is starting to die. Most of the pine nearest to the pond has lost most of it's needles and will soon be dead | |
| | White Pine | 30 | Log/Pole | 10 | 55 | Labrad | | Medium | < 5 feet | Tall Shrub | | |
| | Red Pine | 20 | Pole | 8 | 55 | Black S | Spruce | Low | < 5 feet | Sapling | noticed a few stems of black spruce contain mistletoe. A heavy understory of Labrador Tea exists along with pitcher plants along the shoreline of the pond. | |
| | Black Spruce | 50 | Pole | 8 | 55 | Leath | - | High | < 5 feet | Tall Shrub | | |
| | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | | | | | Balsa | m Fir | Low | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | | |
| | | | | | | White | Pine | Low | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | | |
| 11 | 6220 - <i>F</i> | Alder/willow | | Nonsto | cked | 1.3 | Uı | nspecified | No | | Bog birch and meadowsweet found in patches. Patches of marsh gras Nice cedar regeneration (10 feet tall) along west edge. | |
| 12 | 4130 | - Aspen | P | oletimb | er Well | 61.2 | 34 | 1-50 | N/A | | Healthy stand of aspen that has grown into the pole class size. Asp | |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBH | Age | Sub-Cano | y Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | a mix of big tooth and quaking. Paper birch that exists is mostly along two track that runs through the stand but individual trees also exist with | |
| | Paper Birch | 3 | Pole | 7 | | Black (| Cherry | Medium | >20 feet | Sapling | the stand. A diverse mix of species exists within the understory. | |
| | Quaking Aspen | 30 | Pole | 7 | 34 | Hazelnut | (Beaked) | Medium | 5 - 10 feet | Tall Shrub | | |
| | Bigtooth Aspen | 67 | Pole | 8 | 34 | Red N | Maple | Medium | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | | |
| | | ' | | | | Sugar | Maple | Low | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | | |
| | | | | | | Serviceberry | (Juneberry) | Low | >20 feet | Sapling | | |
| | | | | | | Balsa | m Fir | Medium | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | | |
| 13 | 4199 - Other Mixe | ed Upland D | eciduous P | oletimb | er Well | 3.2 | 95 | 81-110 | N/A | | "Island" surrounded by non-forested lowlands. Scattered red and white | |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBH | Age | Sub-Cano | y Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | pine in overstory. | |
| | Paper Birch | 50 | Pole/Log | 9 | 95 | Balsa | m Fir | Low | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | | |
| | Balsam Fir | 10 | Pole/Sapling | 6 | | Hazelnut | (Beaked) | Low | 5 - 10 feet | Tall Shrub | | |
| | Red Maple | 40 | Pole/Sapling | 8 | | | | · | | | • | |
| 14 | 710 - \$ | Sand, Soil | | Nonsto | cked | 1.1 | Ur | nspecified | No | | Sand borrow pit. Widely scattered red pine and white pine sawtimber. ATV usage is high. | |
| 15 | 3105 - Mixed U | pland Herba | aceous | Nonsto | ocked | 6.8 | Uı | nspecified | Managed O | pening | Scattered ninebark bushes. High quality forage - birdsfoot trefoil and timothy. Some black cherry saplings. Thimbleberry. Planted black walnut and American chestnut seedlings (2019) to test viability of the species for future wildlife plantings. | |

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| | Level 4 C | over Type | S | ize De | nsity | Acres | Stand Age B | A Range | Managed S | Site | General Comments |
|----|---|---|--|------------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|---|--|---|---|
| 16 | 500 | - Water | | Nonsto | ocked | 37.3 | U | nspecified | Managed Op | pening | Sand River. Formerly under FTP for wild rice planting 32-889 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 2016 - 300 lbs of wild rice planted. 2017 - 300 lbs of wild rice planted. 2018 - 800 lbs of wild rice planted. 2019 - 1000 lbs of wild rice planted. |
| 19 | 4191 - Mixed Upla Co | and Deciduo onifer | ous with Po | oletimb | er Well | 38.8 | 39 | 51-80 | N/A | | Stand was cut in 1982 and burned in 1983. Stand consists of an "Island" surrounded by non-forested lowlands. Very densely stocked. Stand is jus |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBH | l Age | Sub-Car | nopy Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | starting to grow into the pole size class. North and east edge of stand |
| | Paper Birch | 20 | Pole/Sapling | 5 | 39 | Bal | lsam Fir | Medium | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | contains more a mix of balsam, spruce, and white pine. The central part of stand contains mostly aspen. White pine, red pine and black cherry |
| | Quaking Aspen | 35 | Pole/Sapling | 6 | 39 | Re | d Maple | Medium | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | saplings present. |
| | Balsam Fir | 30 | Pole/Sapling | 7 | 39 | | | | | | |
| | White Spruce | 10 | Sapling/Pole | 5 | 39 | | | | | | |
| 20 | 4130 | - Aspen | Po | oletimb | er Well | 1.7 | 65 | 51-80 | N/A | | Boat launch and parking area for Sand River Flooding. James Jeske |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBH | l Age | Sub-Car | nopy Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | memorial boulder at trailhead. Aspen snags. White pine poles found. |
| | Quaking Aspen | 60 | Pole/Log | 10 | 65 | Bal | lsam Fir | Low | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | |
| | Bigtooth Aspen | 34 | Pole/Log | 10 | | Sug | ar Maple | High | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | |
| | White Spruce | 4 | Log/Pole | 12 | | | | | | | - |
| | Balsam Fir | 2 | Pole | 8 | | | | | | | |
| _ | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 21 | 4112 - Maple, Beed | ch, Cherry A | ssociation Po | oletimb | er Well | 5.8 | 82 | 81-110 | N/A | | Stand of mostly poorer quality red maple with some scattered mature |
| 21 | 4112 - Maple, Beed Canopy Species | ch, Cherry A | | | er Well | | 82 nopy Species | 81-110 Density | N/A Avg. Height | Size | Stand of mostly poorer quality red maple with some scattered mature hemlock and yellow birch. |
| 21 | · · | | | | | Sub-Car | | | | Size Sapling | |
| 21 | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBH | | Sub-Car Sug | nopy Species | Density | Avg. Height | | |
| 21 | Canopy Species Yellow Birch | % Cover | Size Class Pole/Log | DB H | | Sub-Car Sug Red | nopy Species ar Maple | Density Medium | Avg. Height 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | |
| 21 | Canopy Species Yellow Birch Hemlock | % Cover 2 8 | Size Class Pole/Log XLog | 8 18 | I Age | Sub-Car Sug Rec Bal | nopy Species ar Maple d Maple | Density Medium High | Avg. Height 10 - 20 feet 10 - 20 feet | Sapling Sapling | |
| 21 | Canopy Species Yellow Birch Hemlock | % Cover 2 8 90 | Size Class Pole/Log XLog Pole | 8 18 8 | I Age | Sub-Car Sug Rec Bal | nopy Species ar Maple d Maple Isam Fir | Density Medium High High | Avg. Height 10 - 20 feet 10 - 20 feet 5 - 10 feet | Sapling Sapling Sapling | hemlock and yellow birch. Stand of over-mature aspen. Overall the quality is good. White pine, |
| | Canopy Species Yellow Birch Hemlock Red Maple | % Cover 2 8 90 | Size Class Pole/Log XLog Pole duous Po | BH 8 18 8 | Age 82 | Sub-Car Sug Rec Bal He | nopy Species ar Maple d Maple Isam Fir emlock | Medium High High Medium | Avg. Height 10 - 20 feet 10 - 20 feet 5 - 10 feet 5 - 10 feet | Sapling Sapling Sapling | hemlock and yellow birch. |
| | Canopy Species Yellow Birch Hemlock Red Maple 4139 - Aspen, | % Cover 2 8 90 Mixed Decide | Size Class Pole/Log XLog Pole duous Po | BH 8 18 8 | 82 ser Well | Sub-Car Sug Red Bal He 41.4 Sub-Car | nopy Species ar Maple d Maple lsam Fir emlock | Density Medium High High Medium 81-110 | Avg. Height 10 - 20 feet 10 - 20 feet 5 - 10 feet 5 - 10 feet N/A | Sapling Sapling Sapling Sapling | Stand of over-mature aspen. Overall the quality is good. White pine, sugar maple and black cherry poles present. White birch, white spruce, white pine, sugar maple, black cherry and beech saplings found. |
| 22 | Canopy Species Yellow Birch Hemlock Red Maple 4139 - Aspen, Canopy Species | % Cover 2 8 90 Mixed Decid | Size Class Pole/Log XLog Pole duous Pole Size Class | DBH 8 18 8 | 82 ser Well | Sub-Car Sug Rec Bal He 41.4 Sub-Car Hazeln | nopy Species ar Maple d Maple lsam Fir emlock 67 nopy Species | Density Medium High High Medium 81-110 Density | Avg. Height 10 - 20 feet 10 - 20 feet 5 - 10 feet 5 - 10 feet N/A Avg. Height | Sapling Sapling Sapling Sapling Sapling | Stand of over-mature aspen. Overall the quality is good. White pine, sugar maple and black cherry poles present. White birch, white spruce, white pine, sugar maple, black cherry and beech saplings found. |
| 22 | Canopy Species Yellow Birch Hemlock Red Maple 4139 - Aspen, Canopy Species Red Maple | % Cover 2 8 90 90 Mixed Decide % Cover 35 | Size Class Pole/Log XLog Pole duous Pole Size Class Pole/Log | DBH 8 18 8 olletimb | 82 er Well | Sub-Car Sug Rec Bal He 41.4 Sub-Car Hazeln | nopy Species ar Maple d Maple lsam Fir emlock 67 nopy Species ut (Beaked) | Density Medium High High Medium 81-110 Density Medium | Avg. Height 10 - 20 feet 10 - 20 feet 5 - 10 feet 5 - 10 feet N/A Avg. Height 5 - 10 feet | Sapling Sapling Sapling Sapling Sapling Sapling | Stand of over-mature aspen. Overall the quality is good. White pine, sugar maple and black cherry poles present. White birch, white spruce, white pine, sugar maple, black cherry and beech saplings found. |
| 22 | Canopy Species Yellow Birch Hemlock Red Maple 4139 - Aspen, Canopy Species Red Maple Quaking Aspen | % Cover 2 8 90 Mixed Decide % Cover 35 40 | Size Class Pole/Log XLog Pole duous Pole Size Class Pole/Log Pole/Log | 8 18 8 8 | 82 er Well | Sub-Car Sug Rec Bal He 41.4 Sub-Car Hazeln Sug | nopy Species ar Maple d Maple lsam Fir emlock 67 nopy Species ut (Beaked) ar Maple | Density Medium High High Medium 81-110 Density Medium Low | Avg. Height 10 - 20 feet 10 - 20 feet 5 - 10 feet 5 - 10 feet N/A Avg. Height 5 - 10 feet 5 - 10 feet | Sapling Sapling Sapling Sapling Sapling Sapling Size Tall Shrut Sapling | Stand of over-mature aspen. Overall the quality is good. White pine, sugar maple and black cherry poles present. White birch, white spruce, white pine, sugar maple, black cherry and beech saplings found. |
| 22 | Canopy Species Yellow Birch Hemlock Red Maple 4139 - Aspen, Canopy Species Red Maple Quaking Aspen White Spruce | % Cover 2 8 90 Mixed Decir % Cover 35 40 5 | Size Class Pole/Log XLog Pole duous Pole Size Class Pole/Log Pole/Log Pole/Log | B | 82 er Well | Sub-Car Sug Rec Bal He 41.4 Sub-Car Hazeln Sug | nopy Species ar Maple d Maple lsam Fir emlock 67 nopy Species ut (Beaked) ar Maple d Maple | Density Medium High High Medium 81-110 Density Medium Low Medium | Avg. Height 10 - 20 feet 10 - 20 feet 5 - 10 feet 5 - 10 feet N/A Avg. Height 5 - 10 feet 5 - 10 feet 5 - 10 feet | Sapling Sapling Sapling Sapling Sapling Size Tall Shruk Sapling Sapling | Stand of over-mature aspen. Overall the quality is good. White pine, sugar maple and black cherry poles present. White birch, white spruce, white pine, sugar maple, black cherry and beech saplings found. |
| 22 | Canopy Species Yellow Birch Hemlock Red Maple 4139 - Aspen, Canopy Species Red Maple Quaking Aspen White Spruce Balsam Fir Paper Birch | % Cover 2 8 90 Mixed Decide % Cover 35 40 5 10 | Size Class Pole/Log Alous Pole Size Class Pole/Log Pole/Log Pole/Log Pole/Log Pole/Log Pole/Log | 8 18 8 8 9 9 8 9 9 | 82 er Well | Sub-Car Sug Rec Bal He 41.4 Sub-Car Hazeln Sug | nopy Species ar Maple d Maple dsam Fir emlock 67 nopy Species ut (Beaked) ar Maple d Maple dsam Fir | Density Medium High High Medium 81-110 Density Medium Low Medium | Avg. Height 10 - 20 feet 10 - 20 feet 5 - 10 feet 5 - 10 feet N/A Avg. Height 5 - 10 feet 5 - 10 feet 5 - 10 feet | Sapling Sapling Sapling Sapling Sapling Size Tall Shruk Sapling Sapling | Stand of over-mature aspen. Overall the quality is good. White pine, sugar maple and black cherry poles present. White birch, white spruce, white pine, sugar maple, black cherry and beech saplings found. Fringe of C3 extending out into lowland to east, White birch and white |
| 22 | Canopy Species Yellow Birch Hemlock Red Maple 4139 - Aspen, Canopy Species Red Maple Quaking Aspen White Spruce Balsam Fir Paper Birch | % Cover | Size Class Pole/Log Alous Pole Size Class Pole/Log Pole/Log Pole/Log Pole/Log Pole/Log Pole/Log | 8 18 8 | 82 ser Well Age 67 | Sub-Car Sug Rec Bal He 41.4 Sub-Car Hazeln Sug Rec Bal | nopy Species ar Maple d Maple dsam Fir emlock 67 nopy Species ut (Beaked) ar Maple d Maple dsam Fir | Density Medium High High Medium 81-110 Density Medium Low Medium Low | Avg. Height 10 - 20 feet 10 - 20 feet 5 - 10 feet 5 - 10 feet N/A Avg. Height 5 - 10 feet | Sapling Sapling Sapling Sapling Sapling Size Tall Shruk Sapling Sapling | Stand of over-mature aspen. Overall the quality is good. White pine, sugar maple and black cherry poles present. White birch, white spruce, white pine, sugar maple, black cherry and beech saplings found. |
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| Stand | Level 4 Co | over Type | | Size De | nsity | Acres | Stand Age | BA Range | Managed S | ite | General Comments |
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| 24 | 4319 - Mixed | Upland Fo | rest | Sapling | Well | 3.4 | 25 | 81-110 | N/A | | "Island" within wetland. Very thick stocking. |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBH | Age | Sub-Car | nopy Specie | s Density | Avg. Height | Size | |
| | Paper Birch | 5 | Sapling | 2 | | Re | d Maple | Low | < 5 feet | Sapling | |
| | Balsam Fir | 45 | Sapling | 3 | 25 | | | | | | • |
| | White Spruce | 10 | Sapling | 3 | | | | | | | |
| | Red Maple | 40 | Sapling | 2 | | | | | | | |
| 25 | 4110 - Sugar M | laple Assoc | ciation F | Poletimb | er Well | 18.7 | 85 | 81-110 | N/A | | Stand was selectively harvested in December of 2017. Jeske Hardwoods TS# 121-15. |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBH | Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Specie | es Density | Avg. Height | Size | Stand basal area was reduced to 80 -90 sq. ft. Stand is in good condition |
| | Black Cherry | 2 | Pole/Sapling | 9 | | Sug | ar Maple | High | >20 feet | Sapling | The understory is regenerating very nicely to sugar maple. |
| | Red Maple | 5 | Pole/Log | 10 | | Re | d Maple | Low | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | |
| | Sugar Maple | 93 | Pole/Log | 10 | 85 | Bal | lsam Fir | Low | >20 feet | Sapling | |
| 26 | 4140 - Other U | pland Deci | duous F | Poletimb | er Well | 10.8 | 64 | 81-110 | N/A | | Overall, white birch are healthy. Nice form to white birch. Average |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBH | Age | Sub-Car | nopy Specie | s Density | Avg. Height | Size | diameter of white birch declines to north. Small patches of F2 in understory to north. Small wetland inclusion of tamarack poles. White |
| | Red Maple | 30 | Pole | 7 | | Re | d Maple | Low | >20 feet | Sapling | spruce and cedar poles present. White spruce, sugar maple and black |
| | Paper Birch | 65 | Pole | 9 | 64 | Bal | Isam Fir | Low | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | cherry saplings found. |
| | Balsam Fir | 5 | Pole | 8 | | | | | | | • |
| 27 | 6220 - A | lder/willow | | Nonsto | cked | 397.3 | | Unspecified | No | | Bog birch and meadowsweet found in patches. Patches of marsh grass. Nice cedar regeneration (10 feet tall) along west edge. |
| 28 | 4140 - Other U | pland Deci | duous F | Poletimb | er Well | 2.0 | 67 | 81-110 | N/A | | "Island' in lowland. Stand of decent quality paper birch. Stand will likely |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBH | Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Specie | es Density | Avg. Height | Size | start to decline in the next decade due to age. |
| | Paper Birch | 70 | Log/Pole | 10 | 67 | Bal | lsam Fir | Medium | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | |
| | White Spruce | 20 | Log/Pole | 10 | | | | | | | |
| | Red Maple | 10 | Pole | 8 | | | | | | | |
| 29 | 6220 - A | lder/willow | | Nonsto | ocked | 11.0 | | Unspecified | No | | Mostly a tag alder stand with scattered individual deciduous and coniferous trees. Water table has gone up considerably in past years which has swamped out some trees. Any ash that existed are now in decline due to the Emerald Ash Borer. |
| 30 | 4112 - Maple, Beec | h, Cherry A | ssociation F | Poletimb | er Well | 3.3 | 60 | 81-110 | N/A | | Stand of poorer quality red maple. A few hemlock and yellow birch |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBH | Age | Sub-Cai | nopy Specie | s Density | Avg. Height | Size | scattered within the stand. |
| | Yellow Birch | 5 | Log/Pole | 12 | - | Bal | Isam Fir | High | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | |
| | Hemlock | 5 | XLog/Log | 18 | | Н | emlock | Medium | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | |
| | Red Maple | 90 | Pole/Log | 8 | 60 | Re | d Maple | High | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | |
| 31 | 6220 - A | lder/willow | | Nonsto | cked | 26.4 | 0 | Unspecified | No | | Due to the high water table of the last few years this stand is flooded out and dead. Dead standing cedar currently exists. Stand consists of heavy tag alder. |

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| Stand | Level 4 Co | over Type | \$ | Size De | nsity | Acres | Stand Age E | BA Range | Managed \$ | Site | General Comments |
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| 32 | 4113 - R.M | laple, Conif | er P | oletimb | er Well | 31.5 | 67 | 111-140 | N/A | | Stand is roughly 50% upland, 50% lowland. Patches of Canada yew. |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBH | Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | Groves of hemlock and cedar with mix of red maple, yellow birch and fir in-between. Hemlock crowns very healthy. Nice patches of cedar and |
| No | rthern White Cedar | 5 | Pole | 9 | | Northern | White Cedar | Medium | < 5 feet | Sapling | hemlock saplings. Cedar well-represented in all forest strata. Black |
| | Balsam Fir | 10 | Pole/Sapling | 6 | | Н | emlock | Medium | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | spruce poles present. |
| | Black Ash | 6 | Sapling/Pole | 4 | | Mour | ntain Maple | Medium | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | |
| | Hemlock | 5 | XLog/Log | 18 | | Ва | lsam Fir | Medium | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | |
| | Yellow Birch | 5 | Pole | 6 | | | | ' | | | • |
| | Red Maple | 69 | Pole | 8 | 67 | | | | | | |
| 33 | 4191 - Mixed Upla Co | and Decidu | ous with P | oletimb | er Well | 12.1 | 50 | 51-80 | N/A | | 1 to 3 stick fir. Cedar poles present. Yellow birch saplings found. |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBH | Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | |
| | Paper Birch | 30 | Pole | 7 | | Sug | gar Maple | Medium | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | |
| | Quaking Aspen | 5 | Pole/Sapling | 6 | | Ва | lsam Fir | Medium | >20 feet | Sapling | |
| | White Spruce | 5 | Log/Pole | 10 | | Re | d Maple | Low | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | |
| | Balsam Fir | 30 | Pole | 7 | 50 | | | ' | | | |
| | Red Maple | 15 | Pole | 8 | | | | | | | |
| | Sugar Maple | 15 | Pole | 8 | | | | | | | |
| 34 | 6120 - Lov | wland Ceda | ır Pol | etimbei | Mediur | n 10.8 | 102 | 201+ | N/A | | Healthy, full cedar crowns. Most cedar trunks have sweep. Pockets of |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBH | Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | nice cedar regeneration. White birch poles found. Pocket of black ash poletimber to northeast. |
| | Red Maple | 4 | Pole | 8 | | Northerr | White Cedar | Low | < 5 feet | Sapling | poolimber to normoust. |
| No | rthern White Cedar | 92 | Pole/Log | 9 | 102 | Ва | lsam Fir | Low | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | |
| | Balsam Fir | 4 | Pole/Sapling | 8 | | Та | ag Alder | Medium | 5 - 10 feet | Tall Shrub | |
| 35 | 4112 - Maple, Beec | h, Cherry A | ssociation P | oletimb | er Well | 2.1 | 70 | 81-110 | N/A | | Cedar, hemlock, black cherry and white birch are infrequent overstory |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBH | Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | associates. |
| | Red Maple | 50 | Pole/Log | 8 | | Ва | lsam Fir | Low | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | |
| | Sugar Maple | 50 | Pole/Log | 8 | 70 | Sug | gar Maple | Medium | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | |
| 36 | 6132 - Mixed Lowla | and Forest v | with Cedar P | oletimb | er Poor | 8.2 | 55 L | Jnspecified | N/A | | Very patchy timber, within E3. Yellow birch and white pine saplings |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBH | Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | found. 3 to 6 foot tall cedar regeneration present. |
| | Red Maple | 40 | Log/Pole | 14 | 55 | Mour | tain Maple | Medium | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | |
| | Yellow Birch | 5 | Pole | 8 | | Re | d Maple | Medium | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | |
| | | 4.0 | Pole | 8 | | Н | amla alc | Low | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | |
| | Black Spruce | 10 | FUIE | 0 |] [] [| | emlock | 2011 | 0 101000 | Capinig | |
| No | Black Spruce rthern White Cedar | 25 | Pole/Log | 9 | | | Isam Fir | Low | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | |

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| Stand | d Level 4 C | over Type | | Size D | ensity | Acres | Stand Age | BA Range | Managed S | Site | General Comments |
|-------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------|----------|----------|--------|--------------|-------------|--------------|---------|---|
| 37 | 6117 - Lowland Con | Deciduous, iferous | , Mixed Po | oletimbe | r Medium | 113.1 | 60 | 81-110 | N/A | | Very thick fir understory. Wet seeps exist throughout the stand. |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBI | H Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | s Density | Avg. Height | Size | |
| | Red Maple | 40 | Pole | 7 | 60 | H | łemlock | Medium | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | |
| No | rthern White Cedar | 15 | Log/Pole | 12 | | Ва | alsam Fir | High | >20 feet | Sapling | |
| | Hemlock | 15 | Log/Pole | 12 | | | | | | | - |
| | Yellow Birch | 20 | Pole | 6 | | | | | | | |
| | Balsam Poplar | 10 | Pole | 10 | | | | | | | |
| 38 | 6220 - A | Alder/willow | | Nonst | ocked | 5.1 | ι | Unspecified | No | | Narrow stream. Sparse 6 to 8 inch dbh black ash. |
| 39 | 4130 | - Aspen | | Saplin | g Well | 33.9 | 25 | Immature | N/A | | Aspen range from 24 to 30 feet tall. Good stocking levels. Infrequent |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBI | H Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | s Density | Avg. Height | Size | aspen and red maple poles. Tag alder and cedar saplings found to nort White birch and black cherry saplings present. Hemlock poles and |
| | Quaking Aspen | 94 | Sapling | 4 | 25 | Ва | alsam Fir | Medium | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | sawtimber located. |
| | Balsam Fir | 6 | Sapling | 4 | | | | | | 1 | |
| 40 | 4130 | - Aspen | F | Poletiml | oer Well | 51.2 | 35 | 51-80 | N/A | | Decent quality pole sized aspen stand. White spruce poles found. Blac |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBI | H Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | s Density | Avg. Height | Size | cherry saplings present. |
| | Balsam Fir | 4 | Pole/Sapling | | | | gar Maple | Medium | >20 feet | Sapling | |
| | Paper Birch | 4 | Pole/Sapling | | | | ed Maple | Low | >20 feet | Sapling | |
| | Sugar Maple | 2 | Pole/Sapling | | | Ва | alsam Fir | Low | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | |
| | Red Maple | 6 | Pole/Sapling | 1 8 | | F | łemlock | Low | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | |
| | Quaking Aspen | 84 | Pole | 7 | 35 | | | | | | |
| 41 | 4112 - Maple, Beed | ch, Cherry A | Association F | Poletim | oer Well | 5.6 | 60 | 81-110 | N/A | | Stand of poorer quality red maple. |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBI | H Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | s Density | Avg. Height | Size | |
| | Yellow Birch | 5 | Log/Pole | 12 | | Re | ed Maple | High | 10 - 20 feet | Sapling | |
| | Hemlock | 5 | XLog/Log | 18 | | Ba | alsam Fir | High | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | |
| | Red Maple | 90 | Pole | 8 | 60 | F | lemlock | Medium | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | |
| 42 | 4139 - Aspen, | Mixed Deci | duous | Saplin | g Well | 29.7 | 17 l | Unspecified | N/A | 1 | Aspen is around 24 feet tall. Overall stocking of regeneration adequate |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBI | H Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | White birch, hemlock and white spruce saplings present. Hemlock pole found. Mountain maple. Amazing advanced cedar regeneration on a sk |
| | Quaking Aspen | 50 | Sapling | 3 | 17 | Bla | ck Cherry | Low | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | trail in the central part of this stand. |
| | Red Maple | 35 | Sapling | 3 | | Re | ed Maple | Medium | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | |
| | Balsam Fir | 15 | Sapling | 3 | | Ва | alsam Fir | Low | < 5 feet | Sapling | |
| | | | | • | | Sug | gar Maple | Low | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | |
| 43 | 4112 - Maple, Beed | ch, Cherry A | Association Po | oletimbe | r Medium | 4.8 | 80 | 51-80 | N/A | | Yellow birch and trembling aspen poles present. Also found hemlock |
| | Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBI | H Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | s Density | Avg. Height | Size | sawtimber. |
| | Red Maple | 35 | Pole | 6 | | Sug | gar Maple | Medium | >20 feet | Sapling | |
| | Balsam Fir | 5 | Sapling/Pole | 9 4 | | Ва | alsam Fir | High | >20 feet | Sapling | |
| | Sugar Maple | 60 | Pole | 6 | 80 | | | | | | - |

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| Stand | Level 4 Co | over Type | | Size De | ensity | Acres | Stand Age B | A Range | Managed S | ite | General Comments |
|-------|---|------------------------------|--|----------------------|---------|-----------------------------|---|-------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|---|
| 44 | 6129 - Mixed Conife | erous Lowla | and Forest | Sawtimb | er Well | 60.2 | 200 | 81-110 | N/A | | Stand of mostly hemlock with patches of deciduous, mostly red maple |
| (| Canopy Species | % Cover | Size Class | DBH | I Age | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | Density | Avg. Height | Size | within the canopy gaps. Wet areas exist throughout the stand. Some lowland areas contain dead ash due to EAB. Seeps exist throughout. |
| | Hemlock | 80 | XLog/Log | 20 | 200 | Ва | lsam Fir | High | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | Noticed a couple old beech that are still alive despite having beech bark |
| | Yellow Birch | 5 | Log/Pole | 12 | | Н | emlock | Medium | 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | disease. |
| | Red Maple | 10 | Pole | 9 | | | | | | | Counted a cut hemlock log and counted over 240 rings. |
| Nort | thern White Cedar | 3 | Log | 12 | | | | | | | |
| NOIL | | | | | | | | | | | |
| NOIL | Beech | 2 | Log/XLog | 20 | | | | | | | |
| 45 4 | | h, Cherry A | | Poletimb | | | 82 | 81-110 Density | N/A Avg. Height | Size | Small stand of quality hardwood. |
| 45 4 | Beech 4112 - Maple, Beech | h, Cherry A | ssociation | Poletimb | er Well | Sub-Ca | | | | Size Sapling | Small stand of quality hardwood. |
| 45 4 | Beech 4112 - Maple, Beecl Canopy Species | h, Cherry A | ssociation Size Class | Poletimb | | Sub-Ca | nopy Species | Density | Avg. Height | | Small stand of quality hardwood. |
| 45 4 | Beech 4112 - Maple, Beecl Canopy Species Red Maple | h, Cherry A **Cover 30 | ssociation Size Class Pole/Log | Poletimb DBH 8 | | Sub-Ca H | nopy Species emlock | Density Medium | Avg. Height 5 - 10 feet | Sapling | Small stand of quality hardwood. |
| 45 4 | Beech 4112 - Maple, Beecl Canopy Species Red Maple Yellow Birch | h, Cherry A **Cover 30 2 | ssociation Size Class Pole/Log Pole/Log | Poletimb DBH 8 | | Sub-Call He Sug Re | nopy Species emlock gar Maple | Density Medium Medium | Avg. Height 5 - 10 feet 10 - 20 feet | Sapling Sapling | Small stand of quality hardwood. |
| 45 4 | Beech 4112 - Maple, Beecl Canopy Species Red Maple Yellow Birch Beech | h, Cherry A % Cover 30 2 2 | ssociation Size Class Pole/Log Pole/Log Log/XLog | Poletimb DBH | | Sub-Call He Sug Re | nopy Species emlock gar Maple ed Maple | Density Medium Medium High | Avg. Height 5 - 10 feet 10 - 20 feet 10 - 20 feet | Sapling Sapling Sapling | Small stand of quality hardwood. |