

Compartment Review Presentation

Sault Ste. Marie Forest Management Unit

Compartment 45185 Entry Year 2023 Acreage: 1,402

County Mackinac

Management Area: Milakokia Lake

Stand Examiner: Andrew Krugh

Legal Description:

T44N, R12W Sec 31 N1/2NW, W1/2NE, SENE, N1/2SE, SWSE, SW, Sec 32 except SESE, T43N, R12W Sec 5 W1/2NW NENW. Sec 6 E1/2NW. NE

Identified Planning Goals:

This compartment is located approximately 5 miles southwest of Curtis. Aspen/spruce/fir mix (both upland and lowland) is the primary component of the compartment, with several hardwood stands scattered throughout. Good age class diversity exists within the aspen component. Aspen cutting has taken place every decade since the mid-1960's. Continued cutting of the mature to over-mature stands is recommended to assure adequate regeneration, and continued age class diversity. The hardwood stands are in need of management to promote health and growth.

Soil and topography:

Level lowlands to rolling uplands. Uplands consist primarily of Greylock-Adams complex, Adams sandy loam and Graveraet fine sandy loam. Minor associates include Paquin sand, Springlake loamy coarse sand, Guardlake fine sandy loam, Solona loam, and Kalkaska sand. Lowlands are primarily Markey and Carbondale mucks, but includes some Angelica muck.

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

Majority of this compartment is enclosed. There is one 40 acre parcel within the compartment that is surrounded by state. Majority of the land surrounding the is private that does some sort of forestry.

Unique Natural Features:

Meade Creek runs through the compartment, with small seeps and tributaries entering it. Apple trees scattered mainly along the old grades. Possible eagle and osprey nests located to the east of the compartment. A Heron Rookery is located to the south of the compartment.

Archeological, Historical, and Cultural Features:

History of old logging railroads evident, with Bryan Grade the predominant grade in the area. Old logging camp remnants present.

Special Management Designations or Considerations:

Harvesting operations within some stands may have to take place in the winter. Access to some of these stands is via the snowmobile trail. The trail will be properly signed and a snow base left. BMP guidelines will be adhered to along Meade Creek.

Watershed and Fisheries Considerations:

This compartment contains Mead Creek. Mead Creek is a non-designated cold stream less than 50' width. 100' plus 5' per 1% increase in slope; buffers are recommended to protect riparian areas of the Mead Creek in accordance with Best Management Practices.

Wildlife Habitat Considerations:

This compartment is part of the Milakokia Lake Management Area where featured wildlife species include American woodcock, blackburnian warbler, red-shouldered hawk, and white-tailed deer. It contains a mix of aspen, northern hardwoods, and lowland conifers as well as marsh and other wetland types. Mead Creek angles through the compartment from northwest to southeast. Wildlife objectives include maintaining early successional habitat beneficial to woodcock and grouse, enhancing diversity in northern hardwoods including between stands to benefit hawks and bear, maintaining lowland conifer cover for wildlife including bear, and protecting riparian and lowland areas.

Mineral Resource and Development Concerns and/or Restrictions

No known potential exists for commercial oil & gas production in this part of the state, and there is no known metallic mineral potential in this area. Multiple active sand/gravel pits occur in the general vicinity. Carmeuse's Port Inland dolomite

quarry is five miles to the south. Burnt Bluff Group dolomite underlies glacial drift here but appears to be too deep to have economic value. There may be potential for sand & gravel within the compartment, but wetlands and a shallow water table limit potential for surface mining. The best potential would be in the southwest of the compartment. The State does not own all the mineral rights within the compartment and may or may not own the rights to the non-metallic minerals depending on deed language. Because the mineral estate is the dominant estate, reasonable access to the surface must be provided to private owners if they choose to explore or develop their mineral rights.

Vehicle Access:

The only legal access to this compartment is from the north off of Old Bryan Grade Rd.

Survey Needs:

Recreational Facilities and Opportunities:

Snowmobile trail 43 runs through the compartment linking Curtis to Germfask. There are numerous hunting fishing and foraging opportunities within the compartment.

Fire Protection:

Access is limited to three possible entry points into this compartment. Two of these access points are through private and have gates on them. The main access to this compartment is through the north off of Old Bryan Grade Rd. but this will only gain access to the north side of the creek. Although fire protentional is low in this area pine plantations on private to the west and south could cause issues with fire growth.

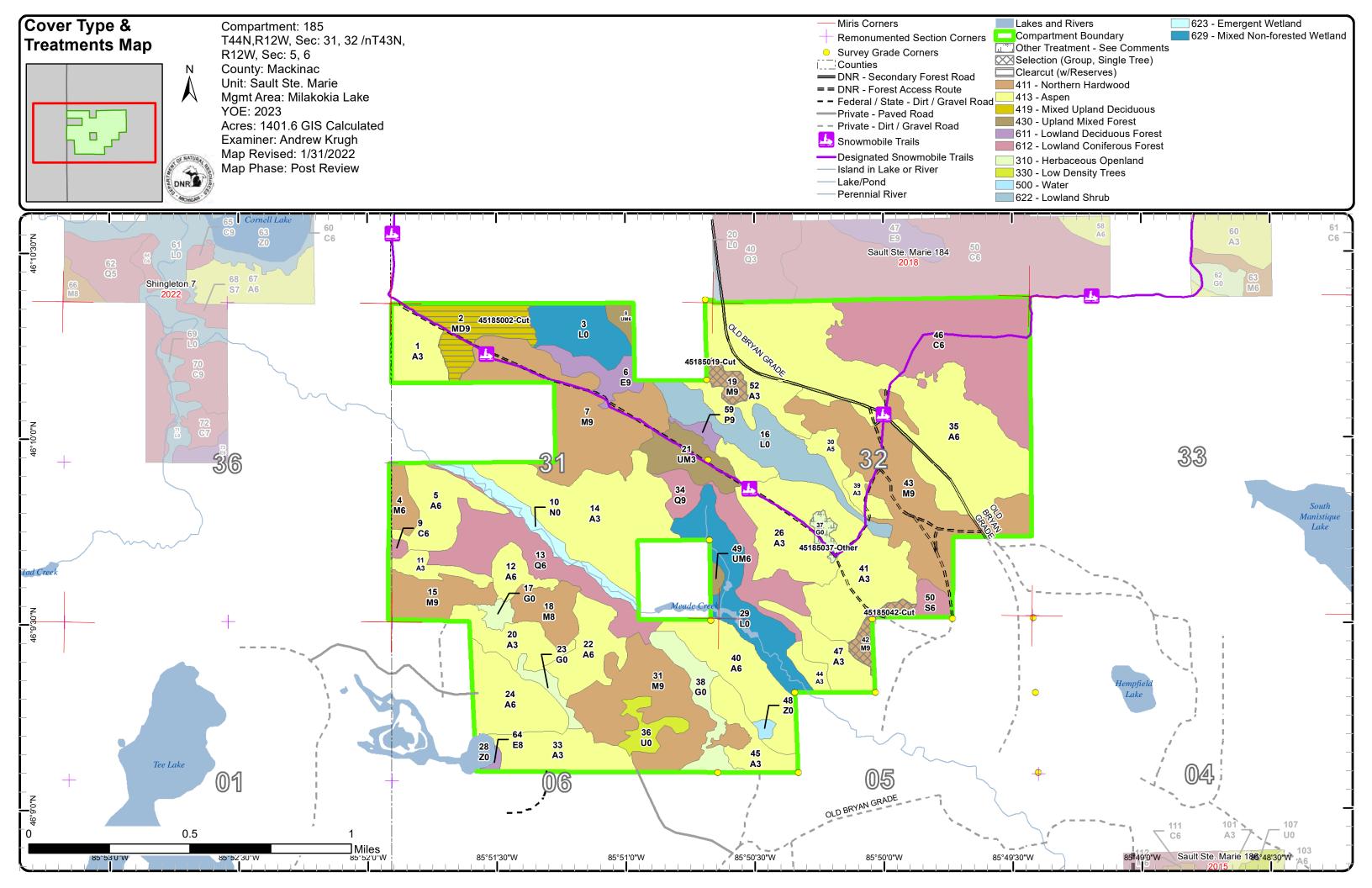
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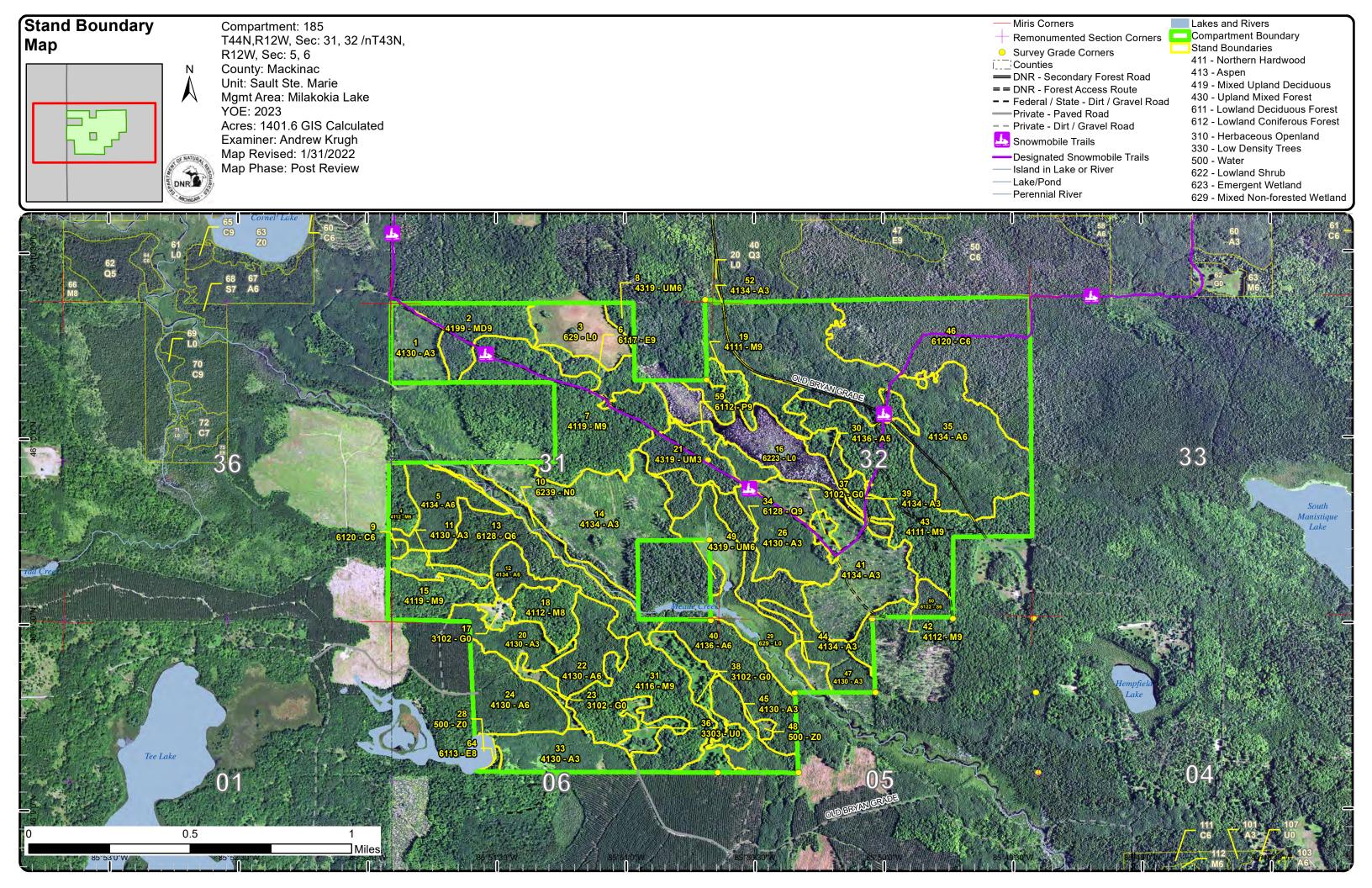
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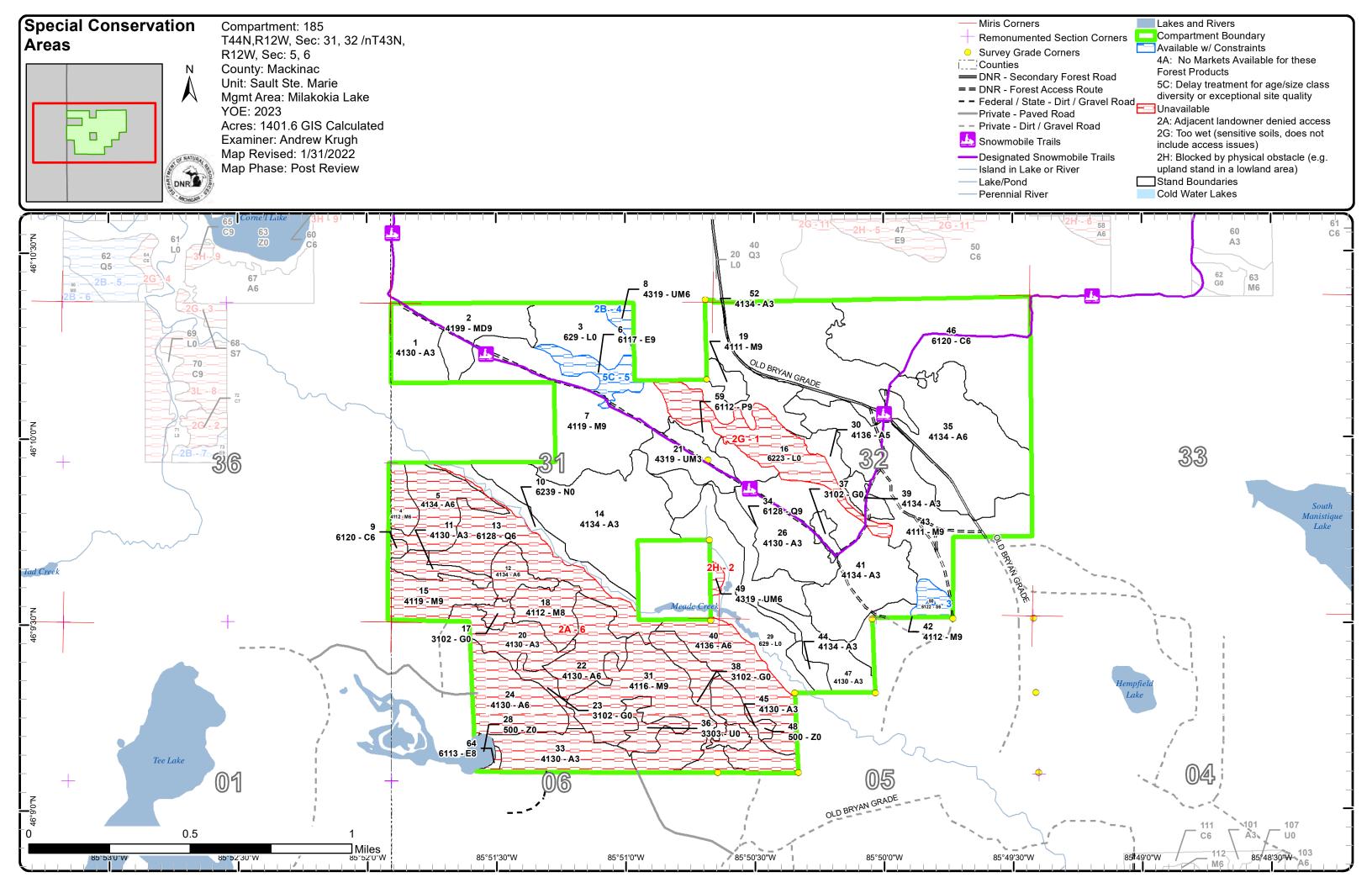
Total Acres by Cover Type and Age Class
Cover Type by Harvest Method
Proposed Treatments – No Limiting Factors
Proposed Treatments – With Limiting Factors
Stand Details (Forested and Nonforested)
Dedicated and Proposed Special Conservation Areas
Site Condition Details

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	106	2	0	0	0	0	0	108
Herbaceous Openland	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35
Low-Density Trees	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Lowland Aspen/Balsam Poplar	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Lowland Conifers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33	0	0	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	79
Lowland Deciduous	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
Lowland Shrub	112	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	112
Lowland Spruce/Fir	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Marsh	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17
Mixed Upland Deciduous	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29
Northern Hardwood	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	117	15	165	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	297
Upland Mixed Forest	0	22	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29
Water	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Total	181	203	138	77	256	0	4	152	45	191	47	106	2	0	0	0	0	0	1398



Report 2 – Treatment Summary

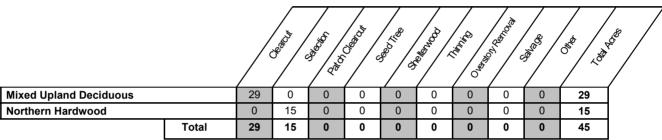
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Acres of Harvest

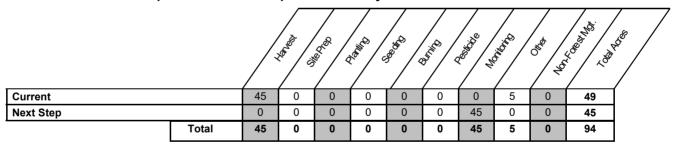
Compartment 185
Total Compartment Acres: 1,402

Commercial Harvest - 45
Harvests with Site Condition - 0
Next Step Harvest - 0
Habitat Cut - 0

Cover Type by Harvest Method



Proposed and Next Step Treatments by Method



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Report 3 -- Treatments

Compartment: 185 Year of Entry: 2023 OF NATURAL DISCOURSE OF NATURA

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Treatment A

Acres Stand CoverType

Size Density Stand Age F

BA Range

Treatment Type Treatment Method

Cover Type Objective

Age Structure Habitat Cut

Approved Treatments:

2 45185002-Cut 29.2 4199 - Other Mixed Sawtimber 78 81-110 Harvest Clearcut with 4319 - Mixed Even-Aged No Upland Deciduous Well Retention Upland Forest

Prescription Cut all trees inches or more at dbh leaving any hemlock and cedar if found. Also leave 3-10% retention in pocket(s). Leave 2-5 scattered

Specs: mature healthy ash, sugar maple, yellow birch, and healthy beech where present.

Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory)

Treatments:

Acceptable maple, aspen, spruce, fir, beech, ash.

Regen:

Other Follow snowmobile specs if cut in winter.

Comment:

Site Condition

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2022

19 45185019-Cut 6.9 4111 - S.Maple, Sawtimber 77 81-110 Harvest Single Tree 411 - Northern Uneven-No Hard Mast Well Selection Hardwood Aged

Association

Prescription Leave 70-90 BA. Leave some larger wolfy trees if present. Maintain species diversity in the stand. Leave yellow birch.

Specs:

Next Step Monitoring, Natural Regen (Re-Inventory)

Treatments:

Acceptable Moderate to fully socked maple, beech, ash, cherry, fir, pine.

Regen:

<u>Other</u>

Comment:

Site Condition

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2022

 37
 45185037 4.8
 3102 - Grass
 Nonstocked
 Other
 Other
 310 No

 Other
 Herbaceous

Openland

<u>Prescription</u> Maintain opening via cutting trees and brush as needed, mowing, and/or burning. Plant wildlife trees and/or shrubs.

Specs:

Next Step

Treatments:

<u>Acceptable</u>

Regen:

Other Comment:

Site Condition

Proposed Start Date: 10/1 /2022

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t a n d	Treatment Name	Acres	Stand CoverType	Size Density	Stand Age	BA Range	Treatment Type	Treatment Method	Cover Type Objective	Age Structure	Habitat Cut
42	45185042-Cut	8.5	4112 - Maple, Beech, Cherry Association	Sawtimbe Well	er 70	81-110	Harvest	Single Tree Selection	411 - Northern Hardwood	Uneven- Aged	No
Pres Spec			to 70-90 BA. Main trees if present.	tain specie	s divers	ity in the s	stand, including	leaving many yello	w birch and most	or all conifers	s. Leave
	Step Monitor	ring, Natur	al Regen (Re-Inve	ntory)							
Acce Reg		Beech, Ch	nerry, Fir, Pine								
Othe Com	er Follow nment:	snowmobil	le specs if cut in th	ie winter.							
Site	<u>Condition</u>										
Prop	osed Start Date	<u>:</u> 10/1 /20	22								

Total Treatment Acreage Proposed: 49.4

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Availa	ability for	Managemer	nt							
Total	Acres	Acres Avail	Acres	D	omina	nt Site	e Con	dition	s	
Acres	Available	With Condition	Not Available		2B	4A	5C	2A	2G	2H
651	428	0	223	Aspen				223		
108	106	0	2	Cedar				2		
35	5	0	31	Herbaceous Openland				31		
11	0	0	11	Low-Density Trees				11		
3	3	0	0	Lowland Aspen/Balsam Poplar						
80	33	0	47	Lowland Conifers				47		
16	0	14	1	Lowland Deciduous			14	1		
112	70	0	41	Lowland Shrub					41	
7	0	7	0	Lowland Spruce/Fir		7				
17	17	0	0	Marsh						
29	29	0	0	Mixed Upland Deciduous						
290	181	0	109	Northern Hardwood				109		
29	22	5	2	Upland Mixed Forest	5					2
6	0	0	6	Water				6		
1,393	894	26	473	Total Forested Acres	5	7	14	429	41	2
	64%	2%	34%	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.

Soils, does not include access issues) Comments: 2 Unavailable 2H: Blocked by physical 2 2l: Survey needed 2B: Unknown if access Unspecified Unspecified through adjacent landowner(s) is possible		ominant Site nd Availability	Dominant Site Condition	Acres	Other Site Condition	Other Site Condition	Other Site Condition	Other Site Condition
2 Unavailable 2H: Blocked by physical 2 2I: Survey needed 2B: Unknown if access Unspecified Unspecified through adjacent stand in a lowland area) landowner(s) is possible	1	Unavailable	soils, does not include	41	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
obstacle (e.g. upland through adjacent stand in a lowland area) landowner(s) is possible	Con	nments:						
	2	Unavailable	obstacle (e.g. upland	2	2I: Survey needed	through adjacent	Unspecified	Unspecified
Comments:	Con	nments:						

Report 4 – Site Conditions

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3	Available	4A: No Markets Available for these Forest Products	7	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
	Comments: Slow growing sprud	ce stand that is not ready to be	cut yet.				
4	Available	2B: Unknown if access through adjacent landowner(s) is possible	5	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
	Comments:						
5	Available	5C: Delay treatment for age/size class diversity or exceptional site quality	14	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
	Comments:						
6	Unavailable	2A: Adjacent landowner denied access	438	5F: Evaluated for Forest Health Considerations	Unspecified	Unspecified	Unspecified
	Comments:						

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Compartment: #Type!
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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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Year of 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

Report 7 - Stands



tand	d Level 4 Co	over Type		Size De		Acres	Stand Age		Managed S	110	General Comments
1	4130 -	- Aspen		Saplin	g Well	22.5	9	Immature	N/A		Stand was cut in 2013.
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	l Age						
	Red Maple	20	Sapling	1							
	Bigtooth Aspen	30	Sapling	1							
	Quaking Aspen	35	Sapling	1	9						
	Balsam Fir	15	Sapling	1							
2	4199 - Other Mixed	d Upland D	eciduous	Sawtimb	er Wel	29.2	78	81-110	N/A		Ash and Beech are dead or dying.
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	l Age		nopy Speci	es Density	Avg. Height	Size	
	Beech	2	Log/Pole	13		Ma	ple (spp.)	Medium	5 - 10 feet	Sapling	
	Red Maple	41	Log	11	78		Beech	Medium	5 - 10 feet	Sapling	
	Balsam Fir	10	Pole	7							
	Yellow Birch	2	Log/Pole	13							
	Black Ash	5	Log/Pole	11							
	Sugar Maple	5	Log/Pole	10	78						
	Quaking Aspen	35	Pole/Log	9							
	629 - Mixed non			Nonst		27.5	66	Unspecified	No		Small diameter Maple and Reach with mix of Releam and Aspen. Cu
	4112 - Maple, Beecl	h, Cherry A	Association I	Poletimb	oer Wel	9.7	66	81-110	N/A	Size	Small diameter Maple and Beech with mix of Balsam and Aspen. Cut '96. Check in 10 years. Ash is dead in stand.
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Report 7 - Stands



Stan	d Level 4 Co	over Type		Size De	ensity	Acres	Stand Age B	A Range	Managed S	ite	General Comments
7	4119 - Mixed No	orthern Hard	dwoods	Sawtimb	er Well	78.6	82	51-80	N/A		Stand was contract marked. Cut in 2017. Debatable Maple #45-102-13-
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	l Age	Sub-Ca	nopy Species	Density	Avg. Height	Size	01.
	Red Maple	25	Log/Pole	10		Ma	ole (spp.)	Medium	Variable	Sapling	
	Balsam Fir	10	Pole	8		Ва	lsam Fir	Medium	Variable	Sapling	
	Yellow Birch	5	Log/Pole	11							
	White Spruce	10	Log/Pole	11							
	Sugar Maple	35	Log/Pole	10	82						
	Quaking Aspen	5	Pole	8							
	Paper Birch	10	Pole	8							
8	4319 - Mixed	l Upland Fo	rest [Poletimb	er Well	4.7	82	81-110	N/A		Small stand between large wetland and private. Poor quality mixed
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	l Age	Sub-Ca	nopy Species	Density	Avg. Height	Size	hardwood in smaller balsam and aspen.
	Paper Birch	5	Pole	7		С	onifers	Medium	Variable	Sapling	
	Balsam Fir	25	Pole	7		Ma	ole (spp.)	Medium	Variable	Sapling	
	Red Maple	31	Pole	9	82			,			-
	White Spruce	29	Pole	6							
	Quaking Aspen	10	Pole	6							
9		wland Ceda	ar F	Poletimb		2.2	111	111-140	N/A		Stand of small diameter pole size cedar mixed with a balsam and spruce Non-merchantable. Very wet.
	Canopy Species		Size Class		l Age						Non-moroilanasio. Vory Wot.
N	orthern White Cedar	70	Pole/Sapling	_	111						
	Balsam Fir	15	Pole	6							
	White Spruce	5	Pole	6							
	Paper Birch	10	Pole	6							
10	6239 - Mixed E	mergent W	etland	Nonst	ocked	16.6			No		Creek corridor
11	4130	- Aspen		Sapling	g Well	9.4	15	201+	N/A		Cut in '07.
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	l Age						
	Red Maple	10	Sapling	1							
	Paper Birch	10	Sapling	1							
	Balsam Fir	5	Sapling	1							
	Quaking Aspen	75	Sapling	1	15						
12	4134 - Aspe	en, Spruce/	Fir F	Poletimb	er Well	11.5	26	201+	N/A		Cut in '96 Sitting Bear Sale 37-94-02. Good regen mix.
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	l Age						
	Quaking Aspen	65	Pole/Sapling		26						
	Data and Ein	20	Sapling	4							
	Balsam Fir	20	Sapility	4							



Stand	Level 4 C	over Type		Size De	nsity	Acres	Stand Age E	BA Range	Managed S	Site	General Comments
13	6128 - Lowland Dec	Coniferous iduous	, Mixed	Poletimb	er Well	46.5	94	81-110	N/A		Stand is mix of lowland cedar, birch, tag alder, and some red maple. very wet and not very productivepoor quality trees.
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	l Age	Sub-Ca	nopy Species	Density	Avg. Height	Size	
	Balsam Fir	15	Pole/Sapling	g 5		(Conifers	Low	Variable	Sapling	
	White Spruce	10	Pole	7							•
	Red Maple	15	Pole	8							
No	rthern White Cedar	45	Pole	8	94						
	Paper Birch	10	Pole	6							
	Yellow Birch	5	Pole/Log	8							
14	4134 - Asp	en, Spruce	/Fir	Sapling	g Well	79.9	7	Immature	N/A		Stand was cut in 2015. Areas of lowland with heavy tag alder are
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	l Age						scattered throughout the stand.
	Red Maple	20	Sapling	1							
	Balsam Fir	20	Sapling	2							
	Bigtooth Aspen	15	Sapling	1							
	Quaking Aspen	35	Sapling	1	7						
	Black Spruce	10	Sapling	2							
15	4119 - Mixed No		dwoods Size Class	Sawtimb	er Well	23.4	64 nopy Species	81-110 Density	N/A Avg. Height	Size	Small diameter maple mix, with beech and balsam throughout. Thinned in '96 (Sitting Bear 37-94-02), a lot of beech dead. Check in 10 years.
	Red Maple	60	Log/Pole	10	64		ple (spp.)	Medium	Variable	Sapling	is near 110. Could thin stand but final harvest might be best for overall species composition. If hard maple is what is wanted then thin.
	Balsam Fir	15	Pole	6			alsam Fir	Medium	Variable	Sapling	species composition. If flare maple is what is wanted their tillin.
	Sugar Maple	15	Pole/Log	9			Beech	Medium	Variable	Sapling	
	Quaking Aspen	10	Pole/Log	9				1110 010111	7 0110010	- Sp9	J
16	6223 - Inundat	ed Shrub S	wamp	Nonsto	ocked	41.4		Immature	No		High water table killed almost all trees.
17	3102	- Grass		Nonsto	ocked	4.5			No		
18	4112 - Maple, Beec						66	51-80	N/A		Mix of maple, beech, some yellow birch . A lot of dead beech keeps the basal areas low. Check in 10 years.
	Canopy Species		Size Class		l Age		nopy Species		Avg. Height	Size	Thinned in 96 Sitting Bear Sale 37-94-02
	Red Maple	55	Log/Pole	10	66		ple (spp.)	Medium	Variable	Sapling	If and final hammad should be also also be and be a second as
	Beech	10	Log/Pole	10		(Conifers	Low	Variable	Sapling	If cut final harvest stand is already low ba and has good regen coming i
	Sugar Maple	25	Log/Pole	10							
	Balsam Fir	5	Pole	6							
		5		8							



Stand	Level 4 Co	over Type		Size De	nsity	Acres	Stand Age	BA Range	Managed S	ite	General Comments
19	4111 - S.Maple, Ha	ard Mast As	ssociation S	Sawtimb	er Well	6.9	77	81-110	N/A		Thinned two entries ago. Could thin this entry.
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	l Age	Sub-Ca	nopy Specie	s Density	Avg. Height	Size	
	Red Maple	15	Log/Pole	11		Ма	ple (spp.)	High	Variable	Sapling	
	Sugar Maple	65	Log/Pole	11	77		Beech	Medium	Variable	Sapling	
	Basswood	10	Log/Pole	11							
	Beech	10	Log/Pole	12							
20	4130	- Aspen		Saplin	y Well	21.2	15	201+	N/A		cut in '07.
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	l Age						
	Black Cherry	10	Sapling	3							
	Balsam Fir	5	Sapling	3							
	Quaking Aspen	85	Sapling	3	15						
21	4319 - Mixed	Upland Fo	orest	Saplin	g Well	22.2	6	Immature	N/A		Stand was cut in 1966 and 2017.
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	l Age	Sub-Ca	nopy Specie	s Density	Avg. Height	Size	
	Paper Birch	15	Sapling	1		С	Conifers	High	< 5 feet	Sapling	
	White Spruce	15	Sapling	1							•
	Balsam Fir	30	Sapling	1							
	Quaking Aspen	40	Sapling	1	6						
22	4130	- Aspen	F	Poletimb	er Well	26.0	30	171-200	N/A		Cut in '92 South Mead Creek Sale 3-91-02.
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	l Age						
	Balsam Fir	5	Pole/Sapling								
	Quaking Aspen	95	Pole/Sapling		30						
23	3102	- Grass		Nonsto	ocked	5.9		Immature	No		
24	4130	- Aspen	F	Poletimb	er Well	35.5	26	201+	N/A		Cut in '96 Sitting Bear Sale 37-94-02. Some red maple in spots.
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	l Age						
	Bigtooth Aspen	10	Pole/Sapling	5							
	Ironwood	5	Pole/Sapling	5							
	Red Maple	10	Sapling	1							
	Quaking Aspen	75	Pole/Sapling	5	26						
26	4130	- Aspen		Saplin	g Well	39.2	17	Immature	N/A		Good looking regen.
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	l Age						
	Red Maple	30	Sapling	2							
	Balsam Fir	10	Sapling	3							
	Balballi i li	10		-							



Stand	Level 4 Co	over Type		Size Density	Acres	Stand Age E	BA Range	Managed S	ite	General Comments
28	500 -	Water		Nonstocked	3.7		Immature	No		
29	629 - Mixed nor	-forested v	vetland	Nonstocked	42.7	ι	Jnspecified	No		
30	4136 - Aspen	, Mixed Co	nifer F	Poletimber Med	lium 8.5	38	111-140	N/A		
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH Age	Sub-Ca	anopy Species	Density	Avg. Height	Size	
	Quaking Aspen	20	Pole	8		uous Saplings	Low		Sapling	
	Paper Birch	5	Pole	8	(Conifers	Low		Sapling	
	Red Maple	25	Pole	8						
	White Pine	5	Pole	6						
	Balsam Fir	10	Pole	6						
	Bigtooth Aspen	30	Pole	8 38						
	White Spruce	5	Pole	6						
31	4116 - Mixed N.			Sawtimber W		69	81-110	N/A		Thinned in '07. If cutting stand final harvest because of lower ba and personal species composition. Ba is on lower side of range (about 85 ba)
	Canopy Species	% Cover				anopy Species		Avg. Height	Size	-
	Red Maple	35	Log/Pole			aple (spp.)	Medium	Variable	Sapling	
	Sugar Maple	30	Log/Pole							
	Quaking Aspen	20	Pole	8						
	Balsam Fir	15	Pole	5						
33	4130	- Aspen		Sapling We	1 29.9	15	201+	N/A		Cut in '07
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH Age	•					
	Balsam Fir	5	Sapling	3						
	Quaking Aspen	95	Sapling	3 15						
34	6128 - Lowland (Dec	duous		Sawtimber W	_	68	81-110	N/A		
	Canopy Species		Size Class)					
	Black Spruce	15	Log/Pole							
	Quaking Aspen	15	Log	12						
	Balsam Fir	10	Pole/Log							
No	rthern White Cedar	45	Log/Pole							
	Red Maple	15	Log/Pole	10						



Stand	d Level 4 Co	ver Type	S	ize De	ensity	Acres	Stand Age E	BA Range	Managed S	ite	General Comments
35	4134 - Aspe	n, Spruce/	Fir Po		er Well	149.6	36	141-170	N/A		Mostly small diameter aspen with mix of birch, fir and cedar in wettest places. Mixed low and high ground. Cut in 1986. Fair amount of birch.
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	l Age	Sub-Ca	nopy Species	Density	Avg. Height	Size	In places along road merchantable. Hold 10 years and check for cut the
	Balsam Fir	15	Pole/Sapling	7		Re	d Maple	Low	< 5 feet	Sapling	·
	Paper Birch	10	Pole/Sapling	6		Ва	lsam Fir	Medium	< 5 feet	Sapling	
No	orthern White Cedar	10	Pole/Sapling	5							
	Red Maple	10	Pole/Sapling	6							
	White Spruce	10	Pole/Sapling	6							
	Quaking Aspen	45	Pole/Sapling	6	36						
36	3303 - Mixed Lo	w Density	Trees	Nonst	ocked	10.5	U	Inspecified	No		Stand is filling in with aspen an fir. Possible old fire plow line in north
						Sub-Ca	nopy Species	Density	Avg. Height	Size	finger.
						Decidu	ous Saplings	Low		Sapling	
						С	onifers	Low		Sapling	
37	3102 -	Grass		Nonst	ocked	4.8			No		
38	3102 -	Grass		Nonst	ocked	20.1	U	Inspecified	No		Stand is filling in with cherry, aspen, maple, and fir.
39	4134 - Aspei	n, Spruce/	Fir :	Saplin	g Well	7.1	6	Immature	N/A		Stand was cut in 1966 and 2017.
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	l Age	Sub-Ca	nopy Species	Density	Avg. Height	Size	
	Balsam Fir	30	Sapling	1	3		onifers	Medium	5 - 10 feet	Sapling	
	Paper Birch	10	Sapling	1						1 0	
	Red Maple	5	Sapling	1							
	Quaking Aspen	55	Sapling	1	6						
40	4136 - Aspen,	Mixed Co	nifer Po	oletimb	er Well	41.8	30	81-110	N/A		Cut in '92 South Mead Creek Sale 0-91-02. Wet in some spots. Bam in
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBI	l Age						clumps all over. Heavy mix of balsam and spruce, birch. Could cut
	Balsam Poplar	15	Pole	8	. Age						stand but size will vary because of low areas. Also it will have to be extremely dry summer or cold winter. North end of sand where stand 38
	Paper Birch	10	Pole/Sapling	7							touches is way to wet.
	Tamarack	5	Pole/Sapling	7							·
	Balsam Fir	15	Pole/Sapling	7							
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	Quaking Aspen	55	Pole	8	30						
41	<u> </u>					65.3	7	Immature	N/A		Stand was cut in 2015.
41	4134 - Aspei	n, Spruce/	Fir	Saplin	g Well				N/A Av a. Height	Size	Stand was cut in 2015.
41	4134 - Asper	n, Spruce/	Fir Size Class	Saplin	g Well	Sub-Ca	7 nopy Species Isam Fir	Density	Avg. Height	Size Sapling	Stand was cut in 2015.
41	4134 - Asper Canopy Species Quaking Aspen	n, Spruce/ % Cover	Fir Size Class Sapling	Sapline DBH	g Well	Sub-Ca	nopy Species			Size Sapling	Stand was cut in 2015.
41	4134 - Asper Canopy Species Quaking Aspen Balsam Fir	n, Spruce/ % Cover 45 10	Fir Size Class Sapling Sapling	Sapling DBH 1	g Well	Sub-Ca	nopy Species	Density	Avg. Height		Stand was cut in 2015.
41	4134 - Asper Canopy Species Quaking Aspen	n, Spruce/ % Cover 45	Fir Size Class Sapling	Sapline DBH	g Well	Sub-Ca	nopy Species	Density	Avg. Height		Stand was cut in 2015.

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Stand	Level 4 Co		Size Density		Acres	Stand Age BA Range		Managed Site		General Comments	
42	4112 - Maple, Beech, Cherry Associat			Sawtimber Well		8.5 70		81-110	N/A		Some areas with yellow birch.
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	I Age	Sub-Ca	nopy Species	Density	Avg. Height	Size	
	Yellow Birch	5	Log	12		C	onifers	Low	Variable	Sapling	
	Beech	20	Log/Pole	11		Ма	ple (spp.)	Medium	Variable	Sapling	
	Sugar Maple	45	Log/Pole	11	70						
	White Spruce	5	Pole	8							
	Red Maple	25	Log/Pole	10							
43	4111 - S.Maple, Hard Mast Association				Sawtimber Well		86.7 82 8		N/A		Stand was thinned two entries ago. Nice hard maple throughout. Scattered baasswood and beech. If thinned this entry (2023) then odds
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	I Age	Sub-Ca	nopy Species	Density	Avg. Height	Size	are it will be 30 plus years before we enter again. Stand is on lower half
	Beech	10	Log	14			Beech	High	5 - 10 feet	Sapling	of ba range.
	Sugar Maple	60	Log	14	82	Ма	ple (spp.)	High	5 - 10 feet	Sapling	
	White Spruce	10	Log	14		Ва	asswood	Low	5 - 10 feet	Sapling	
	Red Maple	10	Log	12							
	Basswood	10	Log	12							
44	4134 - Aspe	en, Spruce/	Fir	Sapling	•	6.3	7	Immature	N/A		Stand was cut in 2015.
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	I Age						
	Quaking Aspen	50	Sapling	1	7						
	Balsam Fir	15	Sapling	1							
	Black Spruce	10	Sapling	1							
	Red Maple	25	Sapling	1							
45	4130 - Aspen			Sapling Well		18.9 15	15	201+	N/A		cut in '07. good regen.
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	I Age						
	Balsam Fir	5	Sapling	2							
	Quaking Aspen	95	Sapling	1	15						
46	6120 - Lov	wland Ceda	ır	Poletimb		106.0	105	171-200	N/A		Lowland cedar, 15-25 ft. tall, small diameter. Some balsam mixed in and tag alder where open. not much for merchantibility
	Canopy Species		Size Class		l Age						tag alder where open. Her mach for meronal ability
No	rthern White Cedar	90	Pole	7	105						
	Balsam Fir	10	Pole	8							
47	4130	- Aspen		Sapling	g Well	19.6	14	201+	N/A		
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	I Age						
	White Spruce	10	Sapling	1							
	Quaking Aspen	90	Sapling	1	14						
48	500 -	- Water		Nonsto	ocked	1.9			No		cattails and tag on edge

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Stand	Level 4 Co	Level 4 Cover Type			Size Density		Stand Age BA Range		Managed Site		General Comments
49	4319 - Mixed Upland Forest			Poletimber Well		2.3	68	111-140	N/A		
50	6122 - Bl	. P	oletimb	er Well	7.0	82	171-200	N/A		Very thick, but small diameter black spruce. A few scattered large tre	
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	Age	Sub-Ca	nopy Species	Density	Avg. Height	Size	away from edge, but overall too small for harvest at this time.
	Balsam Fir	10	Sapling	4		Blad	ck Spruce	Medium	< 5 feet	Sapling	
	Black Spruce	80	Pole	5	82						-
[Bigtooth Aspen	10	Pole/Sapling	5							
52	4134 - Aspe	en, Spruce/	Fir	Sapling	Well	29.8	25	201+	N/A		Was cut in 1997 Bryan Grade Bend Sale 05-95-01
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	Age	Sub-Ca	nopy Species	Density	Avg. Height	Size	
(Quaking Aspen	45	Sapling	4	25	Ва	ılsam Fir	Medium	< 5 feet	Sapling	
	Paper Birch	10	Sapling	4		Re	ed Maple	Low	< 5 feet	Sapling	
Nor	thern White Cedar	10	Pole/Sapling	5							-
	Red Maple	10	Sapling	4							
	White Spruce	10	Sapling	4							
	Balsam Fir	15	Sapling	4							
59	6112 - Lov	vland Aspe	n S	awtimb	er Well	3.5	54	111-140	N/A		
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	Age	Sub-Ca	nopy Species	Density	Avg. Height	Size	
(Quaking Aspen	40	Log/Pole	10	54	С	onifers	High	< 5 feet	Sapling	
	Paper Birch	15	Log/Pole	12							-
	Red Maple	30	Pole/Log	9							
	Black Spruce	15	Log/Pole	10							
64	6113 - Lowland Maple S		e Sa	awtimber Medium		n 1.4	71	81-110	N/A		Small stand of red maple and some aspen. Lower basal areas with
	Canopy Species	% Cover	Size Class	DBH	Age						aspen regen in holes. Narrow stand along compartment boundary, no corners. Stand is starting to die out because of flooding within the stand
	Black Spruce	5	Pole	7							Depending on the year it is either lowland or upland because of beaver
(Quaking Aspen	5	Pole	8							activity.
	Red Maple	90	Log	14	71						