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The mission of the PACIFIC NORTHWEST FOREST AND RANGE EXPERIMENT STATION is to provide the knowledge, technology, and alternatives for present and future protection, management, and use of forest, range, and related environments.

Within this overall mission, the Station conducts and stimulates research to facilitate and to accelerate progress toward the following goals:

1. Providing safe and efficient technology for inventory, protection, and use of resources.
2. Development and evaluation of alternative methods and levels of resource management.
3. Achievement of optimum sustained resource productivity consistent with maintaining a high quality forest environment.

The area of research encompasses Oregon, Washington, Alaska, and, in some cases, California, Hawaii, the Western States, and the Nation. Results of the research will be made available promptly. Project headquarters are at:

College, Alaska	Portland, Oregon
Juneau, Alaska	Roseburg, Oregon
Bend, Oregon	Olympia, Washington
Corvallis, Oregon	Seattle, Washington
La Grande, Oregon	Wenatchee, Washington

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## IN GENERAL

**1969** was the year "ecology" and "environment" became household words in America as more and more people voiced deep-seated dissatisfaction with the sight, sound, and smell of their surroundings.

But ecology and environment, which deal with the relationships between living organisms and their surroundings, are not new to forest, range, and watershed researchers. They have been bywords of these scientists for decades — in use before the Forest Service launched its research program in the Pacific Northwest at Wind River, Washington, in 1912.

Almost all the Station's research can be traced to a concern with ecology and the environment. In addition, many of the results can and do aid in finding ways to reduce pollution and to help in maintaining or improving the quality of air, water, soil, solitude, natural beauty, and other factors of our environment.

For example, research pointed out that clear-cutting in southeast Alaska need not damage the quality of salmon streams when logging is carefully done; that use of diammonium phosphate, a popular fire retardant, can result in the production of alarmingly high levels of carbon monoxide and hydrocarbons which could affect fire control personnel; and that, when properly used, brush control chemicals such as 2,4-D, amitrol, 2,4,5-T, and picloram need not reduce the quality of the forest environment.

Studies of outdoor recreation, scenic resources, and visitor center facilities likewise produced some new facts and useful clues. One of such was the apparent interest found in the social aspects of camping versus the more traditional idea that campers seek mainly isolation and the beauty of nature. New methods of identifying, inventorying, and computerizing scenic problems and opportunities were developed; and we found that adults often avoid visitor information center exhibits which have tests that might show them to be wrong.

Some studies probed protectors, products, and chemical constituents of forest trees. Northwest forests are found to produce an astonishing array of subterranean-fruited fungi, including truffles, which form mycorrhizae and thus protect tree rootlets from diseases. New methods for estimating veneer losses in manufacturing were developed; these will be helpful in both plywood production and timber appraisals. Scientists found that different genotypes of Douglas-fir seedlings are not equally preferred for browse by deer, and follow-up tests indicate that variation in chemical composition may be the reason. This knowledge may lead to the use of components of essential oils as safe, chemical protectants of trees against deer browsing.

Other researchers investigated such diverse subjects as shrub growth, biological insect control, and advance road construction. For example, heavy grazing of bitterbrush stimulated the plant's shoot growth but apparently shortened its life-span. As a result, moderate grazing produced double the forage per acre compared with heavy grazing. Electron microscope studies, part of intensive research to assure complete safety of an insect-killing virus, led to the discovery of a second virus useful in control of the Douglas-fir tussock moth. The study of road construction rates showed that further acceleration of advance roading on the Umpqua National Forest is not justifiable from an economic standpoint under present cost-return rates.

The Station's findings, mainly research results incorporated into firm recommendations ready for use, were issued in 184 publications. A weekly 5-minute radio program was instituted to better inform people about research and applications that can be made to solve ecological and environmental problems. It is broadcast throughout Oregon, Washington, and Alaska on 45 stations from KICY in Nome, Alaska, to Ashland, Oregon's KWIN.

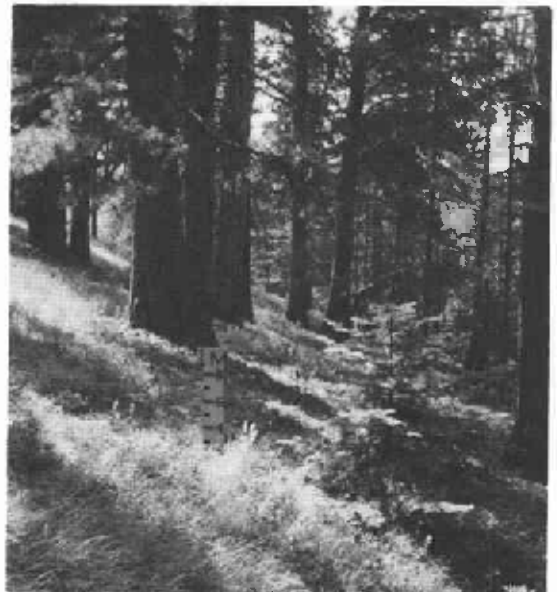
One new research work unit — Aerial Application of Biological Agents and Other Materials for

## Research Natural Areas



**Wolf Creek Research Natural Area**

Ponderosa pine/bitterbrush/wheatgrass at 3,500 feet in Okanogan National Forest.



**Patata Bunchgrass Research Natural Area**

Ponderosa pine/spiraea/pinegrass at lower elevations in Umatilla National Forest.

At present there are 41 Research Natural Areas in Oregon and Washington covering 27,254 acres; and, as of 1968, there were 12 in Alaska covering 220,308 acres. The Areas are managed by four Federal agencies: Forest Service, Bureau of Land Management, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife, and National Park Service.

Pictured on this page and page 6 are some recent photos of a few Research Natural Areas under Forest Service management.



**Rainbow Creek Research Natural Area**

White pine/white fir at slope bottom in Umatilla National Forest.

Forest Insect Control — was started at Corvallis. Its mission is to develop new technology for safe and efficient application of insecticides. The unit will serve as a tie-in between (1) the insecticide screening research unit at Berkeley, California, (2) the Equipment Development Center at Missoula, Montana, and (3) two projects at Corvallis — Behavior and Impact of Forest Chemicals and Diseases of Western Forest Insects.

A few noteworthy changes in staff occurred at the Station during 1969.

**Dr. Ching Yan Li**, microbiologist, came to the Corvallis Forestry Sciences Laboratory as a member of the Western Root Diseases and Soil Microbiology research unit. Dr. Li, a native of Taiwan, received his Ph.D. from Oregon State University in 1969. His special interests are soil microbiology and biochemistry of phenolics and other fungitoxic plant products. He is studying microbial or plant-produced fungitoxins in forest soils and tree roots and their relationships to tree root diseases.

**Dr. Peyton W. (Pete) Owston** replaced **Dr. Kenneth Krueger** (deceased) in Seeding, Planting, and Nursery Practice research at Corvallis. Dr. Owston transferred from the Berkeley Station. He is seeking ways to minimize water stress in tree seedlings during lifting from the nursery, transport to the forest, and early growth under drought conditions.

**Dr. Ronald E. Stewart**, Forest Ecologist, from Oregon State University, joined the Station's research unit at Roseburg, Oregon. Stewart's assignment strengthens the search for safe, effective, and economical methods for reclaiming brushfields, releasing suppressed conifers from overstory brush and weed trees, and preventing unwanted brush establishment on new cuttings.

**Dr. Kenneth W. Seidel** joined the staff at the Silviculture Laboratory, Bend, Oregon, developing improved practices for increasing timber yields in eastern Oregon and Washington. Seidel conducted similar research for 11 years with the North Central Forest Experiment Station in the Missouri Ozarks.

**Dr. Arthur R. Tiedemann** joined the Water Yield and Erosion research unit at Wenatchee, a multidisciplinary team attacking problems of soil stability and rehabilitation of deteriorated watersheds east of the Cascades. A 1969 graduate in range ecology, Tiedemann came to us from the University of Arizona.

The staff of the Forest Engineering Systems unit at Seattle now includes **Penn A. Peters**, aerospace engineer. He is studying the aerodynamics of tethered balloons for logging and the feasibility of new logging techniques. Peters trained at the University of Minnesota and the University of Washington.

**William G. Morris**, forest fuels scientist and author of over 50 scientific publications on forest fire danger, detection, and control, retired from the Station in November after 39 years of service. He was a member of the Fuel Appraisal Systems research project at Seattle.

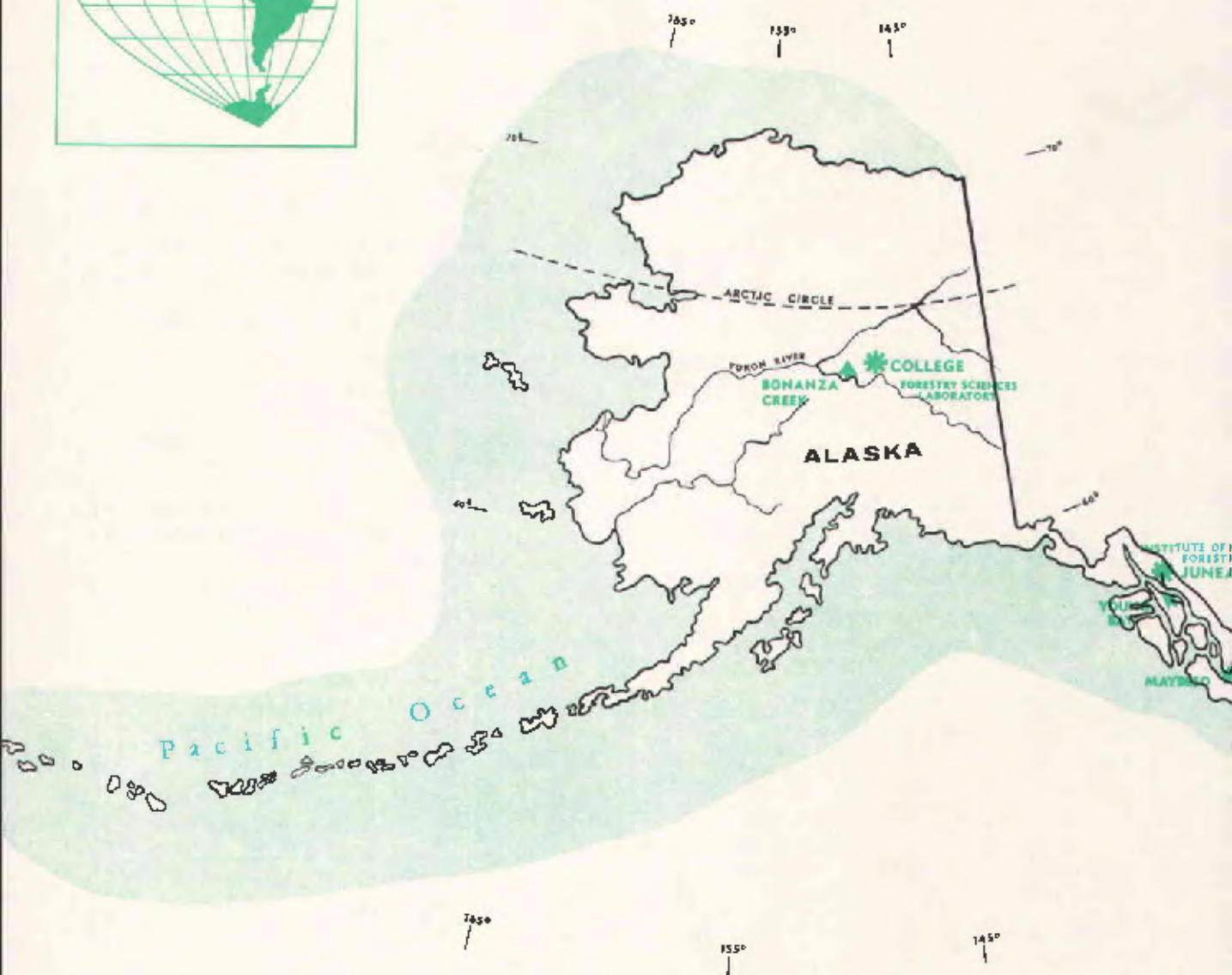
Near the year's end, **Mrs. Edith P. Tomkins**, Assistant Editor, retired after an extensive and productive career in Forest Service research and administration.

Because of the doubling of the manuscript input in the past 3 years, **Mrs. Jan Etheridge** was added to the editorial staff. Before coming to the Station, she was a supervisory editor for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare in Washington, D.C.

The following pages outline the staff and organization of the Station and show the location of the main U.S. Forest Service research installations in Oregon, Washington, and Alaska.

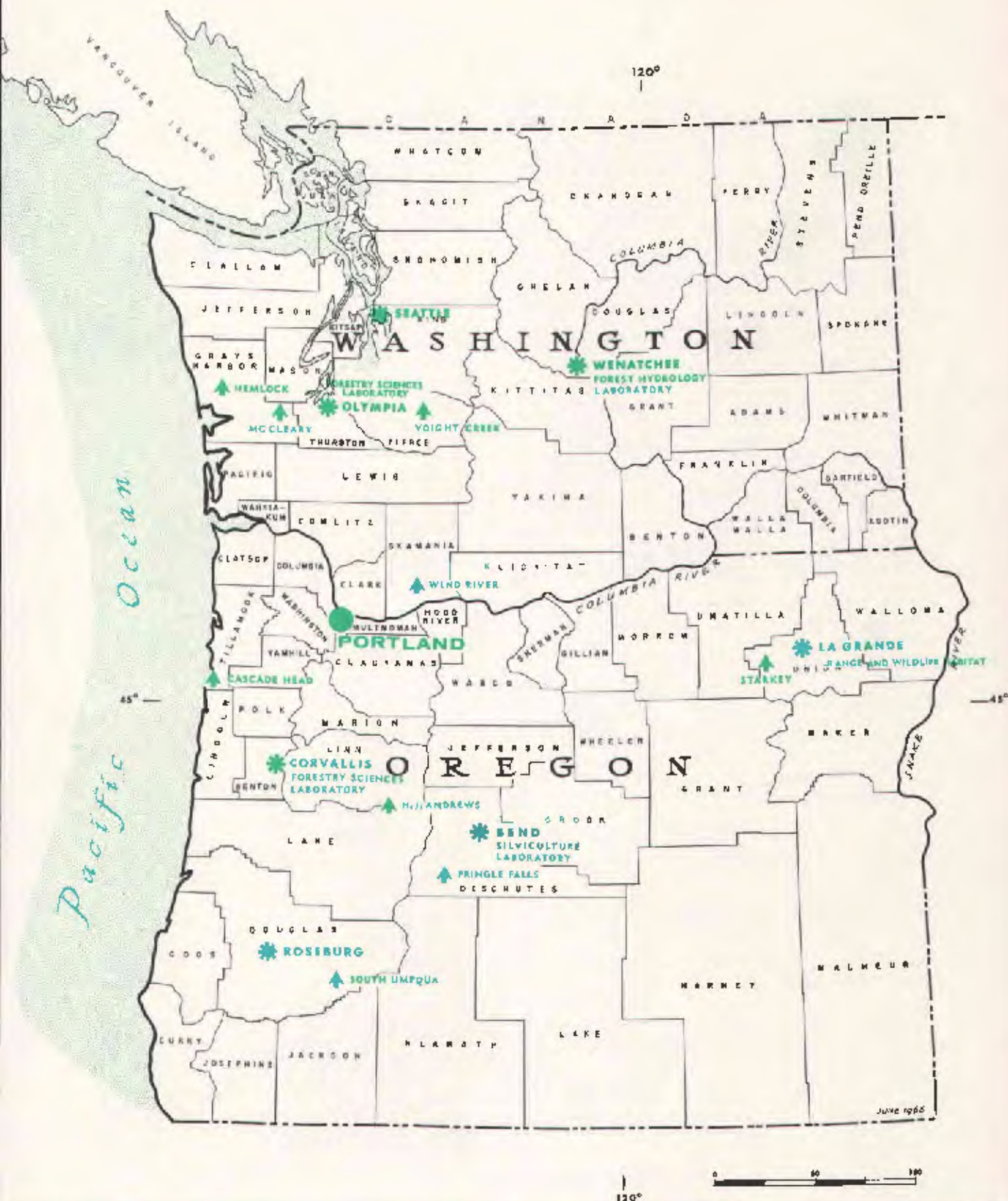
As in previous years, our work was conducted in cooperation with many others — universities, private research foundations, industries, government resource agencies, and with individual consultants covering a wide range of disciplines. Some of the resulting research progress of 1969 is highlighted. More detail on these and other research developments may be found in the publications issued during the year and listed in the final section of this report. We welcome inquiries about any of these as well as suggestions on any part of the Station's activities.





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- ✱ FIELD UNIT HEADQUARTERS
- ▲ EXPERIMENTAL FORESTS AND RANGES

**PACIFIC NORTHWEST FOREST AND RANGE EXPERIMENT STATION**







**Coquille River Falls Research Natural Area**  
Port-Orford-cedar with tanoak in Siskiyou National Forest.



**Lake 22 Research Natural Area**  
Western redcedar/western hemlock at 1,000 to 2,000 feet on Mount Baker National Forest.

Research Natural Areas have these objectives:

1. To assist in the preservation of examples of all significant natural ecosystems for comparison with those influenced by man.
2. To provide educational and research areas for scientists to study the ecology, successional trends, and other aspects of the natural environment.
3. To serve as gene pools and preserves for rare and endangered species of plants and animals.



**Neskowin Crest Research Natural Area**  
Sitka spruce/western hemlock near ocean on Siuslaw National Forest.

# STATION ADMINISTRATION STAFF

## PROJECTS AND SCIENTISTS--1969

PHILIP A. BRIEGLEB, Director

### TIMBER MANAGEMENT RESEARCH

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#### 1201 Seeding, Planting, and Nursery Practice

Stein, William I., Project Leader (P)  
Edgren, James W., Plant Ecologist (P)  
Owston, Peyton W., Plant Physiologist (C)

#### 1203 Culture of Coniferous Forests, Interior PNW

Dahms, Walter G., Project Leader (B)  
Barrett, James W., Silviculturist (B)  
Cochran, Patrick H., Soil Scientist (B)  
Seidel, Kenneth W., Research Forester (B)

#### 1204 Culture of Mixed-Conifer Forests, West-Side Cascades

Ruth, Robert H., Project Leader (C)  
Franklin, Jerry F., Principal Plant Ecologist (C)  
Herman, Francis R., Mensurationist (C)  
Minore, Don, Plant Ecologist (C)

#### 1206 Brushfield Reclamation, Prevention and Ecology

Gratkowski, Henry J., Project Leader (R)  
Stewart, Ronald E., Research Forester (R)

#### 1207 Intensive Culture of Douglas-fir

Miller, Richard E., Project Leader (O)  
Reukema, Donald L., Silviculturist (O)  
Williamson, Richard L., Mensurationist (O)

#### 1208 Animal Damage Control

Crouch, Glenn L., Project Leader (O)  
Radwan, M. A., Prin. Plant Physiologist (O)  
Dimock, Edward J., II, Silviculturist (O)

#### 1301 Timber Measurement, PNW

Bruce, David, Project Leader (P)  
Curtis, Robert O., Principal Mensurationist (P)

#### 1401 Breeding Northwest Trees

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### 1602 Soil Stability and Streamflow

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 Fredriksen, Richard L., Soil Scientist (C)

### 1603 Behavior and Impact of Forest Chemicals

Tarrant, Robert F., Project Leader (C)  
 Bollen, Walter B., Prin. Soil Microbiologist (C)  
 Moore, Duane G., Soil Scientist (C)  
 Norris, Logan A., Chemist (C)

### 1701 Range Environmental Management

Garrison, George A., Project Leader (L)  
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### 1801 Big-Game Habitat

Smith, Justin G., Project Leader (L)  
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### 1901 Wildland Recreation

Hendee, John C., Project Leader (S)

### 1902 Cooperative Forest Recreation, University of Washington

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## FOREST PROTECTION RESEARCH

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### 2103 Fuel Appraisal

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### 2105 Cooperative Forest Fire Science, University of Washington

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### 2201 Forest Insects of the Pacific Northwest

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### 2203 Diseases of Western Forest Insects

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### 2204 Nutrition and Behavior of Forest Insects – PNW

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### 2302 Western Root Diseases and Soil Microbiology

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 Zak, Bratislav, Principal Plant Pathologist (C)  
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## 3701 Forest Engineering Systems

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## 4102 Forest Survey Techniques – PNW

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## 4201 Economic Evaluation of Forestry Opportunities

Schallau, Con H., Project Leader (P)

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## 1210 Culture of Coastal Forests – Alaska

Harris, Arland S., Project Leader (J)

Farr, Wilbur A., Assoc. Research Forester (J)

## 1211 Ecology of Subarctic Trees and Forests

Viereck, Leslie A., Project Leader (CA)

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## 1604 Erosion and Sediment Reduction –

### Alaska Coastal Forests

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## 2106 Fire Control Methods – Alaska

Barney, Richard J., Project Leader (CA)

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## 2206 Forest Insects – Coastal Alaska

Schmiege, Donald C., Project Leader (J)

Hard, John S., Entomologist (J)

Torgersen, Torolf R., Entomologist (J)

## 2207 Forest Insects – Interior Alaska

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## 4103 Forest Survey – Alaska

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# SOME HIGHLIGHTS OF 1969 DEVELOPMENTS

## BIOLOGICAL CONTROLS

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### Parasites Against European Pine Shoot Moth

The European pine shoot moth, sometimes found on ornamental pines in western Oregon and Washington, is a potential pest of western pine forests. Our shoot moth research has been aimed at control during the adult stage, by sex attractants, but reduction of the population during earlier life stages is needed to get maximum effect from the sex attractant method.

In the spring, we tested an inundative release of a native pupal parasite, *Itoplectis quadricingulatus* (Prov.), as a means of preliminary reduction of the shoot moth population. Over a 6-week period, a total of 5,365 female parasite adults, previously

exposed to males, was liberated in an ornamental planting at McNary Dam. Results indicated that at least 25 percent of the shoot moth pupae were killed by parasite progeny and an estimated 5 percent by adult parasites feeding on the pupae. Because of abnormally high diurnal temperatures in the test area, very few parasite progeny survived to join the attack by released adults on shoot moth pupae. Under normal temperatures, increased mortality of shoot moth pupae can be expected, and the parasites should exert more effective control of the moths. Further tests are needed to tell.



Cages used to transport parasites (*Itoplectis quadricingulatus*) from laboratory to field for release against European pine shoot moth.



Released female parasite (*Itoplectis quadricingulatus*) searching pine terminals for pupae of European pine shoot moth.

## Viruses Against Douglas-fir Tussock Moth

Methods have been developed for utilizing an insect-killing virus to control the Douglas-fir tussock moth, a serious pest of Douglas-fir and true firs in western forests. Research involving electron microscope studies of the virus showed that actually two viruses were involved. The two

viruses appear to be infectious only for the Douglas-fir tussock moth and closely related tussock moth species. While extensive testing has demonstrated the safety of the two viruses to man and wildlife (including beneficial insects), it is essential that spray formulations for field use contain only the insect pathogens specified.

The discovery of the mixed virus infection in the tussock moth is the result of intensive research to demonstrate the complete safety of a virus "insecticide" and to comply with Food and Drug Administration requirements for adequate demonstration of such safety.

## CHEMICALS

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### Nitrogen Fertilizer Affects *Poria weirii*

Although fertilizing northwestern forests with nitrogen is currently being debated, one consideration has so far received scant attention: effects on root diseases. The widely occurring *Poria weirii*, cause of the laminated root rot of western conifers, merits special attention as a "disease of the site." That is, it can hold over in subterranean pockets of infectious material from one rotation to the next. When infection centers are cut and regenerated with such susceptible species as Douglas-fir, the disease can be expected to cause increasing damage over expanding areas. Heavily infected sites are not likely to produce merchantable stands of such species unless carryover infection can be radically reduced.

Fertilization of soil with nitrogen has proven to reduce survival of *Poria weirii* in buried wood cubes under laboratory conditions. Infected cubes were surrounded with soil in plastic containers in three treatments: (1) unfertilized soil, (2) soil mixed with  $\text{NaNO}_3$  at a rate of 600 lb. N/acre ft., and (3) soil mixed with  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$  at the same N rate. After the treatments were incubated at  $15^\circ\text{C}$  for 6 months, the cubes were extracted and assayed for living *Poria weirii*. The fungus survived

in about half the containers of untreated soil, but in only one of the 60 with fertilized soil.

The added nitrogen is not believed to affect *P. weirii* directly. Rather, it greatly increases activity of soil microorganisms that compete with, produce antibiotics against, or parasitize the pathogen. Studies are now being established to test effects of nitrogen fertilization on survival of *Poria weirii* under field conditions.

### Foliage Sprays Fail on Salal

Amitrole-T, low volatile esters of 2,4,5-T, and mixtures of picloram with phenoxy herbicides did not kill salal when applied as foliage sprays during late July. These herbicides were tested on a dense, 2-foot-tall stand in the Coast Ranges of southwestern Oregon. The greatest effect on any plot consisted of a limited defoliation and slight top kill after 15 months — an unacceptable degree of control for site preparation or release of small coniferous trees.

Herbicide tests such as these are part of the Station's continuing search for safe, effective methods of vegetation management for intensive forest production.

## Cooperative Forest Fertilization Research

The Experiment Station has joined with public and private organizations to support the "Regional Forest Nutrition Research Project" administered by the College of Natural Resources, University of Washington. The Project's goal is to develop guides for planning large-scale fertilizer applications to forest lands. With contributions from cooperators, the University will establish and report results from a balanced series of fertilizer trials (108) in western Oregon and Washington in 15- to 60-year-old forests of Douglas-fir (720 plots) and hemlock (288 plots).

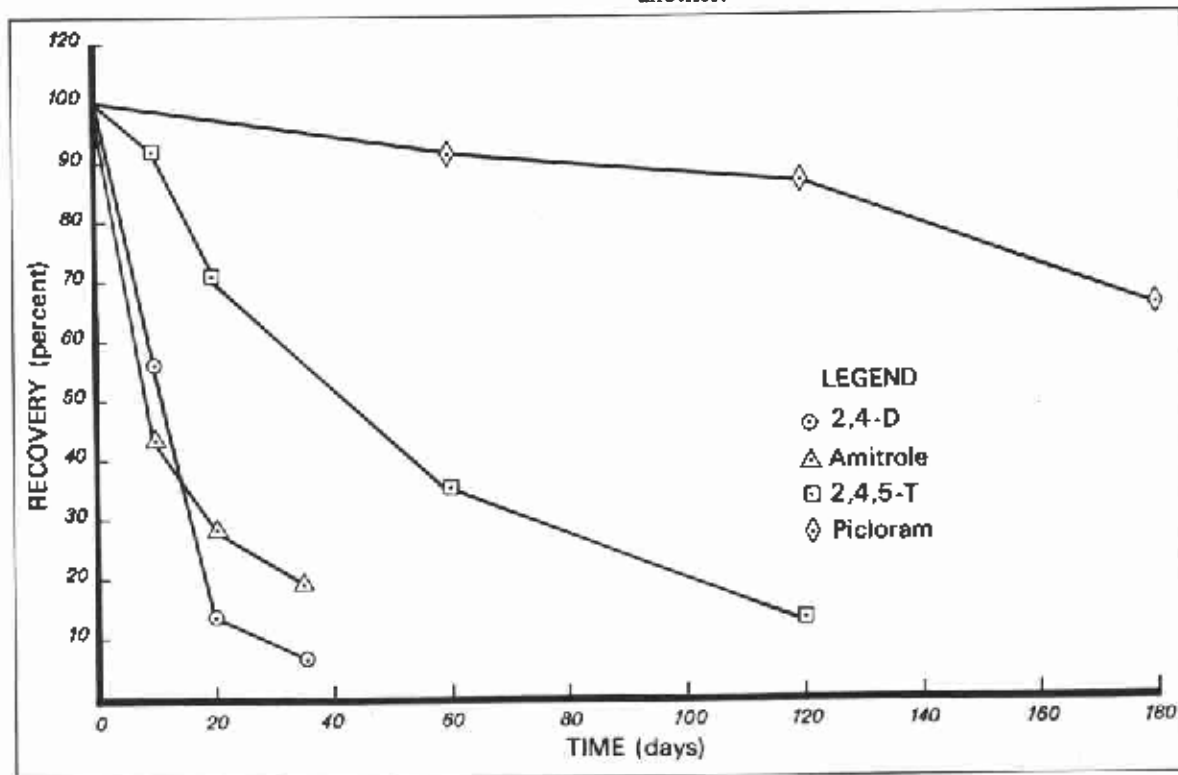
These trials are designed to predict growth response to a given application of nitrogen under specific stand and environmental conditions.

## Herbicides in the Forest Floor

Relatively rapid degradation of four herbicides in the forest floor suggests they have little significant impact on the quality of the forest environment when properly used.

We measured the rates of degradation of four common brush control chemicals – 2,4-D, 2,4,5-T, amitrole, and picloram – in forest floor material from a red alder stand. The study was conducted in the laboratory, and conditions for herbicide degradation were favorable.

All four herbicides were degraded but at markedly different rates. Amitrole and 2,4-D were most rapidly degraded. At 35 days after treatment, 6 percent of the 2,4-D and 20 percent of the amitrole remained. In contrast, 13 percent of the 2,4,5-T remained after 120 days, and 65 percent of picloram after 180 days. The individual rates of degradation of these herbicides remained the same when they were applied in combination with one another.





# ECONOMICS IN FOREST MANAGEMENT

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## Forestry Activities Affect Metropolitan Economies More Than Rural Areas

A disproportionate share of any increase in total regional employment resulting from stepped-up activity in timber industries would occur in Seattle, Tacoma, Portland, and Eugene. Because some forest products firms and much service activity supporting timber industries — lawyers, wholesalers, specialty shops — are in these cities, less than half of any new jobs coming from forestry programs would be generated in rural areas.

## Accelerated Roadbuilding in Old-Growth Forests a Marginal Investment

Whether or not prelogging and mortality salvage can economically add to the Nation's timber supply was studied on the Umpqua National Forest. Costs of accelerating roadbuilding from the present 30-year plan to a 5- to 20-year completion schedule were arrayed against the value of additional timber gained. At interest rates above 4 percent (which is below the current Federal borrowing rate), advance roading cannot be justified on solely economic grounds. Additional benefits from access for recreation, fire control, and other land management needs would be required to support an accelerated road program.



A logging access road into a merchantable stand on the Willamette National Forest. (Forest Service photo 483388)

## Forest-Based Employment To Decline in Pacific Northwest

Projections of forest industry employment were made for the lumber and wood products industry and the pulp and paper industry to the year 2020. These projections, based on trends in the relationship between employment and wood input during 1950-65, take into account such factors as changes in log size, worker productivity, and length of work week.

Total forest industry employment in the Pacific Northwest is expected to decline 28 percent during the 1965-2000 period to about 105,000. This decline would be the result of decreased employment in the lumber industry, where increasing worker productivity coupled with declining wood consumption is projected to reduce employment 39 percent to 73,000 in 2000. Pulp and paper employment is expected to increase 17 percent to about 32,000 employees.

Offsetting some of the decrease in employment will be the much greater investment in forest management. Employment in forest management is projected to increase by 16,000 by the year 2000. Although no figures are currently available, the increase in forest recreation employment is expected to be substantial.

# FIRE

(Publications on page 38)

## Alaska Wildfire Rate of Spread Rapid

Over 4 million acres of forest and range land burned in interior Alaska during 1969 to make one of the worst fire seasons on record. Smoke from the fires, some which were larger than 500,000 acres, reached as far south as Washington and Montana, and the widespread smoke pall over Alaska was so great that it was recorded by weather satellites. During the period, we made rate of spread measurements on several fires in cooperation with the Office of Civil Defense and the Bureau of Land Management. Rates of spread on the Swanson River fire exceeded 1 mile per hour. This study of free-burning, field-size fires provides a basis for testing predictive fire behavior models for use of fire fighters planning fire control strategies.

## Fire Retardant and Slash Fires

A large-scale field study was carried out to investigate the effects of diammonium phosphate, a popular fire retardant, on the behavior and air pollution potential of slash fires. Cooperators included the University of Washington, seven units of the U.S. Forest Service (including three projects from the Riverside Forest Fire Laboratory), the University of California, the State of Oregon, and the Monsanto Company of Cincinnati, Ohio. Preliminary results indicate the retardant did not significantly change fire behavior, did not increase fuel reduction, increased smoke output, and resulted in alarmingly high levels of carbon monoxide and hydrocarbons.



Collecting rate-of-spread and supplementary data on the Swanson River fire for analysis of fire behavior in various parts of the country.

# FISH, WILDLIFE, AND TIMBER

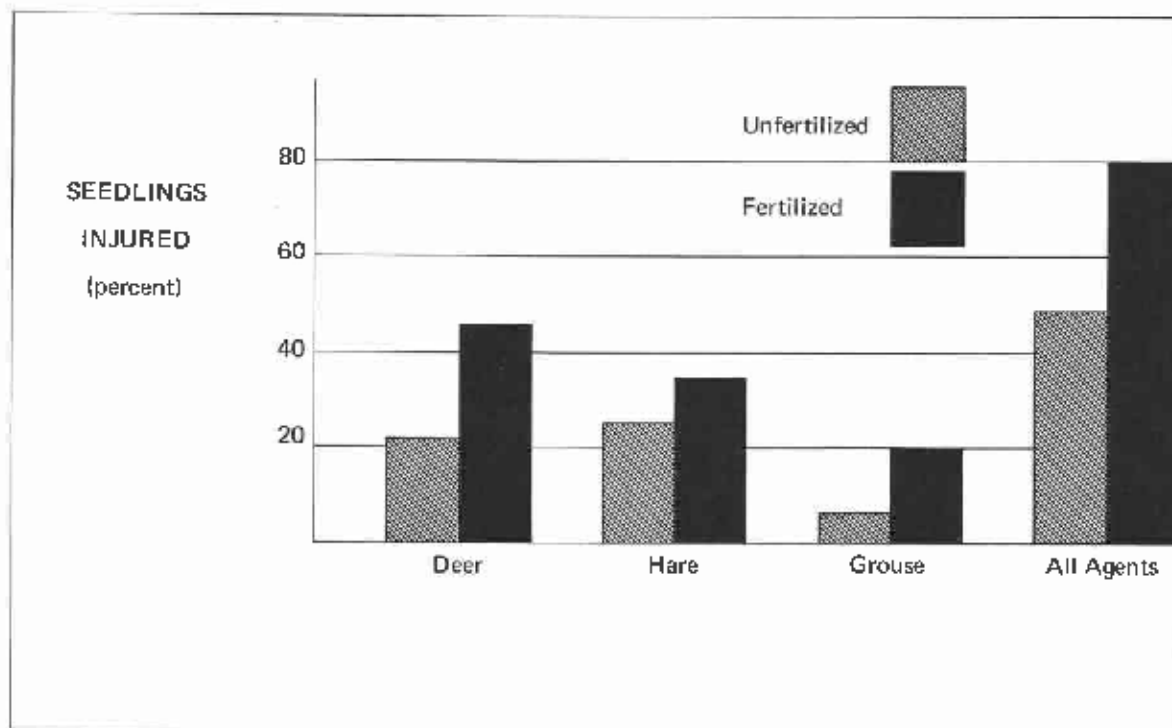
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## Essential Oils of Douglas-fir Affect Rumen Microbial Digestion of Deer

Our recent work with penned black-tailed deer has demonstrated conclusively, and for the first time, that different genotypes of Douglas-fir are not equally preferred by the animals. Using preferred and resistant Douglas-fir clones, chemical analyses and in vitro digestibility studies with deer rumen fluid now suggest that essential oils of these plants may be associated with preference through their effect on rumen microbial digestion. Verification of this finding with more clones of Douglas-fir and with other plant species could make it possible to screen seedlings for resistance to browsing without use of live deer and to use components of essential oils which inhibit digestion by deer as chemical protectants for preferred trees.

## Urea Increases Wildlife Injury

Nitrogen fertilizer, applied as urea prills (46 percent N), sharply increased wildlife injury to Douglas-fir seedlings on seven out of seven study plantations in western Washington. One year after treatment, incidence of injury averaged 67 percent higher on seedlings treated with 200 lbs. N/acre than on those left untreated. Browsing, chiefly by black-tailed deer, occurred on all seven plantations; clipping, chiefly by snowshoe hare, occurred on six; and budding by blue grouse took place on three. Moreover, the increase in seedling injury due to fertilizer was similar for all wildlife agents — considered separately or collectively.



## Timber and Salmon

Clearcutting in southeast Alaska need not damage salmon streams when logging is carefully done. The returns of pink and chum salmon during and after logging confirm this conclusion.

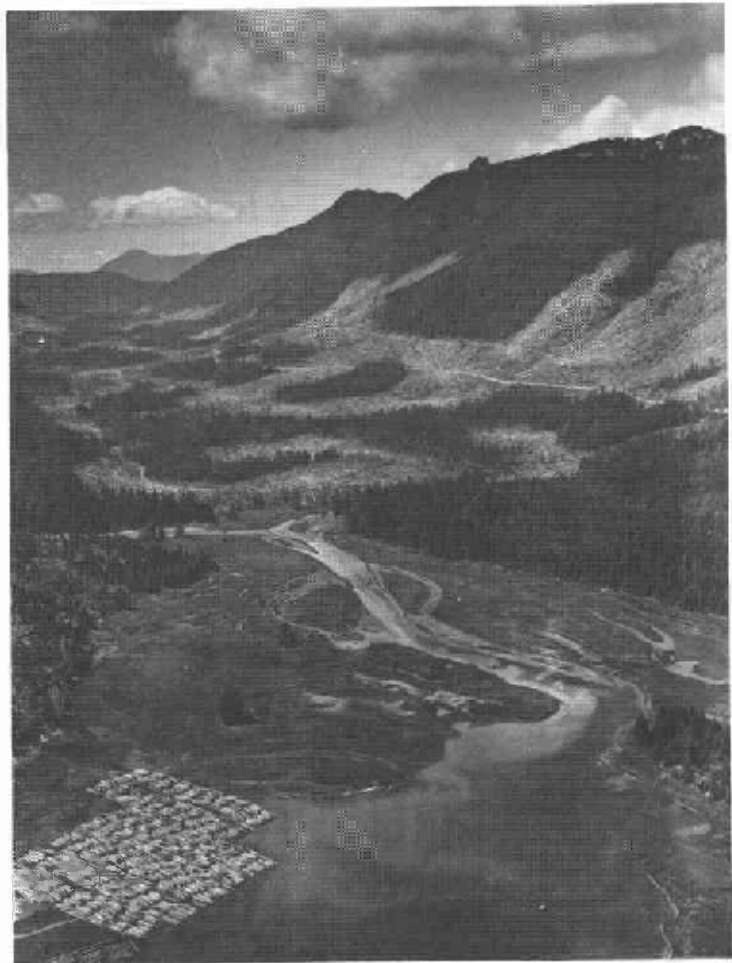
Much debris occurs in streams under natural conditions. Logging in one watershed slightly increased the amount of debris. Increase in another watershed was greater because high volume stands were harvested down to the streambanks. In neither case was significant harm to salmon environments detected.

In Alaskan clearcut watersheds, the suspended sediment concentrations increased during logging,

especially during road construction; but compared with stream sediment in an unlogged watershed, the increases were not significant. The concentrations only rarely and briefly exceeded 100 parts per million. Under natural conditions, suspended sediment concentrations are highly variable, generally paralleling streamflow variation.

Clearcutting increased stream temperature up to a maximum of 9°F. in the summer months, and the maximum average monthly increase was 4°F. Records for 14 years for one stream show that temperatures exceeded 68° for 6 consecutive hours. Temperatures greater than 65°F. lasted more than 8 hours only once during this period. Winter temperatures were little affected. These small changes probably reflect the generally cool and overcast weather of coastal Alaska.

An example of clearcutting in vicinity of a salmon stream. Harris River watershed, Prince of Wales Island, Alaska, 1961.





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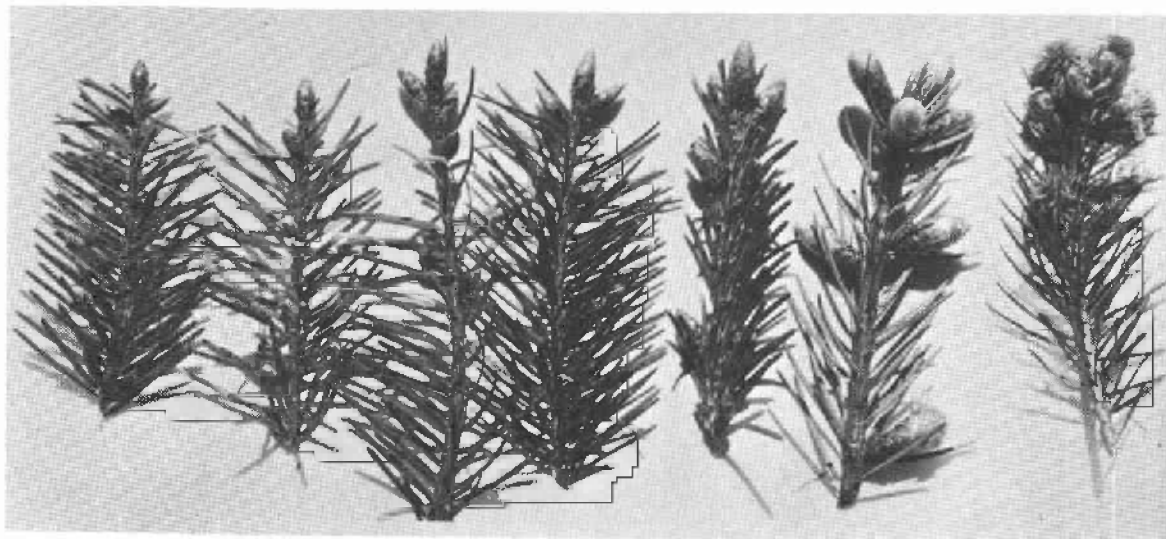
### An Advanced Seed Orchard

A small seed orchard is being established near Corvallis that is essentially a generation ahead of other orchards in the Douglas-fir region. Material for the orchard was selected from 120 open-pollinated families which have been field tested in the Douglas-fir Heredity Study, now 57 years old. Scions from the best trees of the best 20 families will be grafted into the orchard. Selections within these families are being made at plantations located at 2,600 and 4,600 feet on the same slope near Mount Hood. The seed orchard is being set up for future breeding among progeny of the 20 parents and to produce seed for medium to high elevations in the Cascades.

### Easier Spotting of Incompatible Grafts

Grafting incompatibility was, until recently, the primary problem of Douglas-fir seed orchards.

A new method in the recognition of incompatibles promises substantial reduction in the amount of work. Ordinarily, each graft is cut into thin sections for anatomical examination. This year, it was observed that the incompatible grafts generally burst bud later, possibly due to restriction through the constricted phloem. Parent-by-parent examination showed that about half of the incompatible grafts could be eliminated without error by inspection. Thus, it now appears possible to appreciably reduce the number of grafts that need to be laboriously sectioned by referring to carefully kept bud bursting records.



Seven stages of Douglas-fir vegetative bud development. On left is unexpanded bud; on right is burst bud.

# INSECTS

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## Spruce Beetle Flight

Adult flight is an initial step in the spread and tree attack pattern of bark beetles. Flight traps were installed during 1969 in two locations in Alaska to determine the period of adult dispersal of the spruce beetle, *Dendroctonus obesus*. The areas represent different climatic patterns; Bonanza Creek is typical interior Alaska, and the Kenai Peninsula is influenced by the ocean.

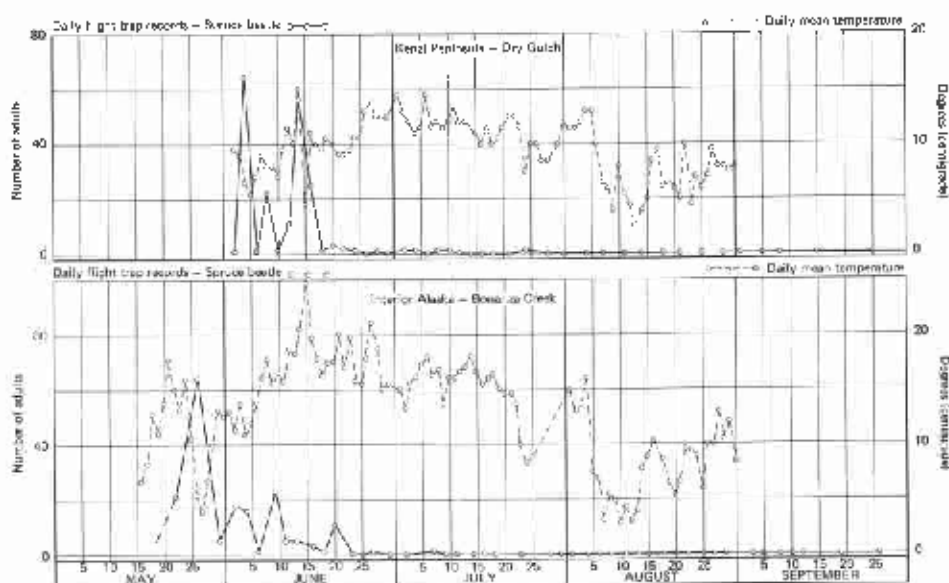
In both locations, the major adult flight occurred soon after snow disappeared from the woods. The Bonanza Creek flight was about 2 weeks prior to the flight that occurred on the Kenai Peninsula. The duration of major adult emergence was 3-4 weeks. In interior Alaska, snow disappeared early in May; snow was still on the ground until late May at Dry Gulch on the Kenai Peninsula. The interior mean daily temperatures are generally warmer than those of the coastal areas during the spring and early part of the summer.

Sanitation cutting or the use of "trap" trees is often used as a control measure for the spruce

beetle. Success will be greatly reduced unless the trees are treated or removed by the time adult flight begins. So the best timing for treatment should be in the fall or before or immediately after snow has disappeared in the spring.

## Resistance to Needleminers

Populations of the lodgepole needleminer (*Coleotechnites* spp.), a serious defoliator of lodgepole pine in central Oregon, are several times higher in pure stands of mature lodgepole than in young stands with a mixture of ponderosa pine. Recent tests in the field and laboratory have demonstrated that the tops of trees and deep-rooted trees growing in drainages have foliage that is especially resistant to attack. Further, a volatile leaf oil, which could be a deterrent to feeding by young needleminer larvae, was often found in these trees. By developing cultural practices which produce resistant foliage, we may be able to prevent destructive outbreaks of the needleminer.



# LOGGING

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## New Skyline Logging Technology

Grapple yarding with running skylines is a significant advance in logging technology. Crew size and labor costs are reduced, as are soil disturbance and road and loading costs. The system permits economical yarding at night and in deep snow.

Research engineers have developed computer

techniques for running skyline design, guides for planning efficient skyline operations, and procedures for anchoring skylines. Results were presented at a skyline logging symposium sponsored by Oregon State University and the Station in January 1969. The symposium proceedings are available from OSU's School of Forestry.



A combination grapple-carriage makes for efficient skyline logging.

# MENSURATION

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## A New Measure of Douglas-fir Potential

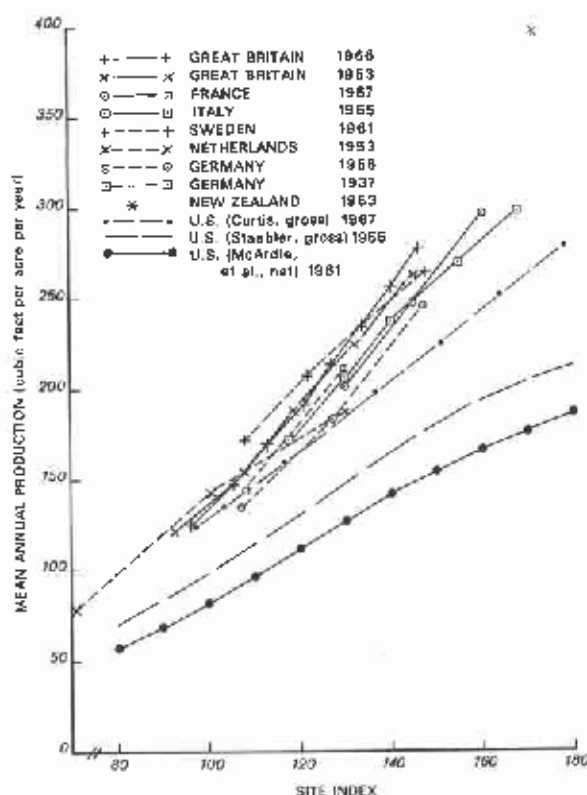
Nine foreign production tables for Douglas-fir plantations were converted to American units of measure. These thinning guides suggest that potential yields of intensively cultured Douglas-fir in the Pacific Northwest may be higher than has been estimated on the basis of yield tables for natural unthinned stands. They indicate higher yields when regular thinnings start in stands 30 to 40 feet tall than if delayed until stands are 50 to 60 feet tall. The tables suggest that culmination of mean annual production with heavy thinning may occur at 65 to 85 years. These foreign tables are now available as guides to potential yields under management practices equal in intensity to those applied in foreign plantations.

Extensive tests are now needed to determine the best management intensities to apply under conditions in the Northwest.

## Easier and More Economical Sampling of Tree Growth

Station scientists are constantly searching for cheaper and more efficient ways of collecting technical data. Handling costs were reduced in radial growth studies by transporting from the field to the laboratory only representative radial sections instead of complete stem cross sections of felled trees. For permanent record of radial development, decadal-growth was transcribed to heavy, clear plastic. Use of transparent plastic in the field permitted recording radial growth where rot or shake precluded collection of radial sections.

A newly developed ratchet-handled increment borer has proven to be both quick and efficient when cores instead of radial sections are taken to sample tree growth.





## **PATHOLOGY**

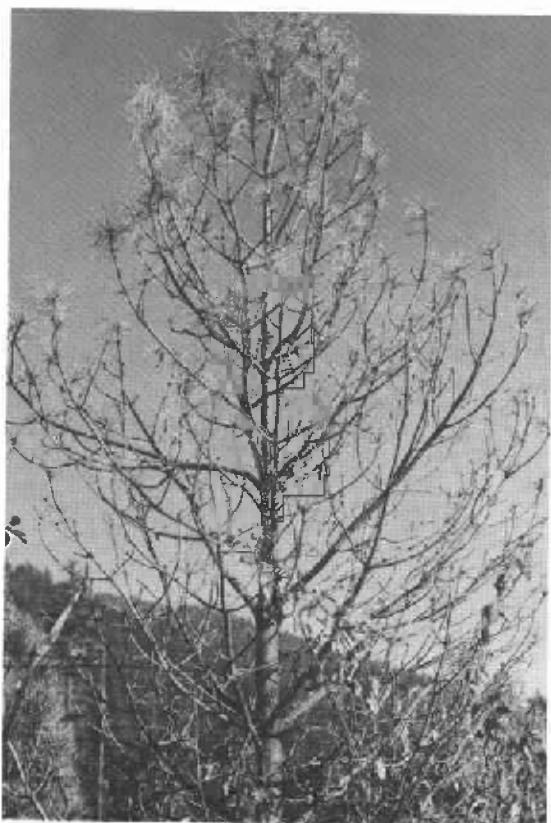
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### **New Needle Disease Damages Pine Plantations**

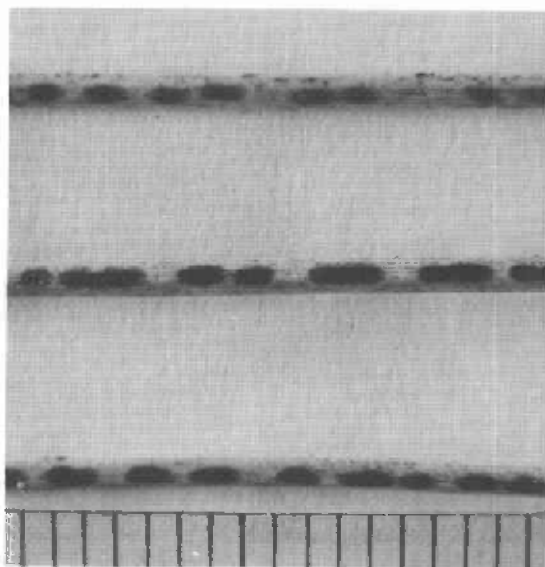
A new needle disease is causing extensive damage in western Oregon ponderosa pine plantations established on sites difficult to regenerate with other species. The disease, epidemic in 19 plantations, is caused by a previously undescribed fungus.

Needles of the current year become infected in June and July. By late summer, these needles turn reddish-brown giving the appearance of severe drought injury or windburn. Elongate,

dark-colored fruiting bodies, appearing in late fall on the infected needles, mature and discharge spores the following year during periods of high rainfall. Infection of new needles occurs immediately. The old needles are cast in midsummer giving infected trees a decided tufted appearance. Vigor and growth of affected trees are reduced and mortality results from repeated defoliation. The disease appears to be most damaging in off-site ponderosa pine plantations. It has not been found in natural stands.



**Crown damage to ponderosa pine caused by a new needle disease.**



**Fruiting bodies of a new disease of ponderosa pine plantations.**

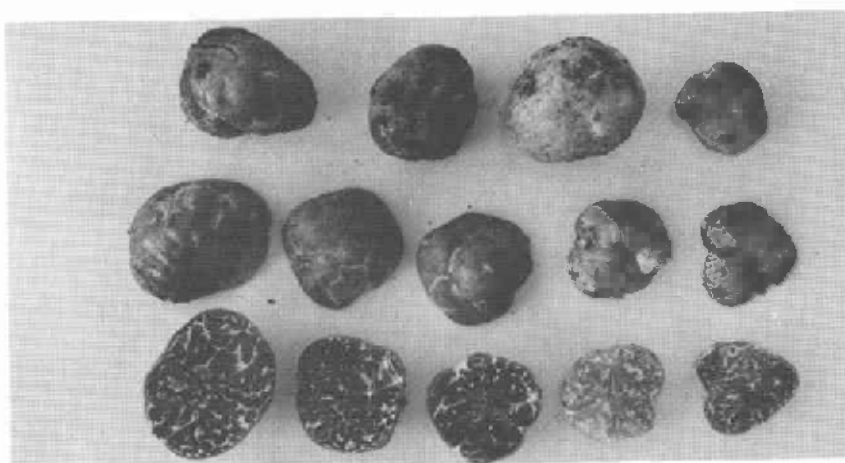
## Trees and Truffles

Pacific Northwestern forests, long regarded a paradise for fungi above ground, are now known to also produce an astonishing array of subterranean-fruiting fungi. Such fungi, termed "hypogeous" (under-the-earth), occur in a variety of colors and sizes and generally resemble small potatoes in form. All are believed to form mycorrhizae with trees or other vascular plants. Mycorrhizal fungi are vital for nutrient absorption of the host plants and protect rootlets from disease attack.

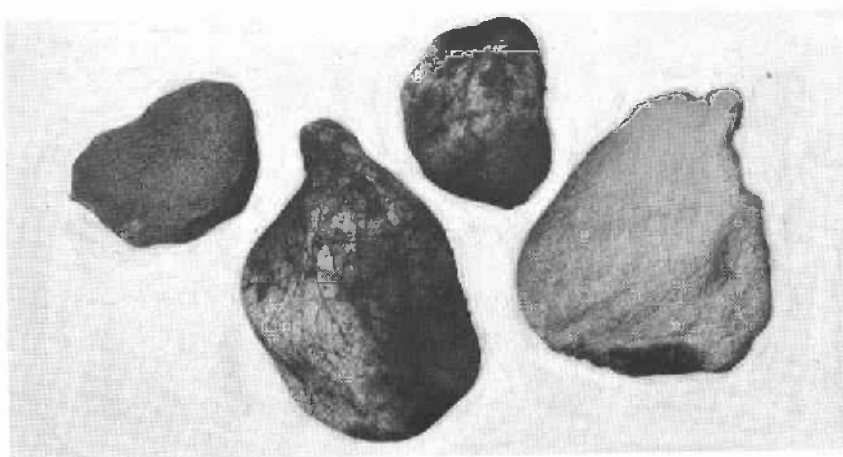
Current exploration by Station mycologists is revealing many new species of hypogeous fungi and advancing the limited knowledge of their

occurrence. Of the various groups under study, truffles are the best known due to the several prized edible species of Mediterranean countries. No such gastronomic delights have been discovered in the Pacific Northwest, but the region does contain nearly half the world's known species. Some 30 have been found nowhere else. Other groups also abound. Over half of the 300-odd hypogeous puffballs occur here, as do nearly all the species of *Endogone*, which form the endomycorrhizae characteristic of the Cupressaceae, many hardwoods, and most herbaceous plants.

Continuing field exploration and studies on classification and physiology are laying groundwork for ultimate manipulation of species especially effective in biological control of root diseases.



*Hypogeous fungi* in natural size, showing outer surface and cut interior surface: (above) a truffle, *Tuber californicum*, (below) a puffball, *Rhizopogon subradicatus*.



## ***Poria* Root Rot**

### **Damage Evaluated**

Results from 20 years of field research on *Poria weirii*, a destructive root rot fungus of many conifers, will soon be available in a Station publication. At present, direct control of the disease is impossible and forestry must be practiced "by the acre." Recommendations to forest managers whereby the impact of this disease may be reduced in the Douglas-fir type include:

1. Become familiar with the disease — some infection is present in most stands.
2. Where infection is abundant, do not waste money on precommercial thinning — yields

will be reduced but thinning will result in windthrow of trees which otherwise might survive to merchantability.

3. In heavily infected merchantable stands, either clearcut or take only dead and dying trees — infected trees are not windfirm and windthrow often follows partial cuts.
4. Give priority to logging areas where the disease is most abundant — little or no net growth occurs in such areas and many dead trees can be salvaged.
5. Confine plantings to uninfected portions of logged areas; do not plant where infection was abundant — brush may encroach on the site, but severe damage to the new stand is almost certain.



*Poria* root rot damage in an 80-year-old Douglas-fir stand.

# PLANT ECOLOGY

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## Vegetation of Oregon and Washington

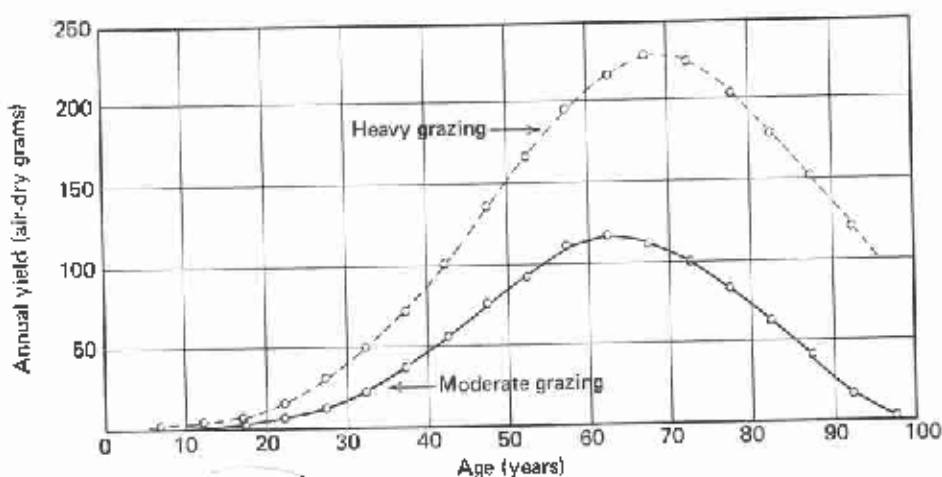
The vegetation of the Pacific Northwest is among the most diverse in North America, ranging from dense coastal forests of conifers through woodland and savanna to the sagebrush and grass associations of the dry interior. The ecology and plant geography of the region have been studied by scientists for over half a century, but much of the knowledge has been scattered through journals, books, theses, and unpublished data files. Two of our scientists have condensed this information in a generalized account of the major vegetation types of Washington and Oregon.

This publication (1) outlines the major phytogeographical units and suggests how they fit together and relate to environmental factors, (2) directs the reader to sources of more detailed information on vegetation and environment of the two States, and (3) illustrates the major plant communities with photographs. Research Paper PNW-80, "Vegetation of Oregon and Washington," will assist those new to the area in better understanding the complex mosaic of vegetation found here and provide some new insights for land managers and scientists already familiar with the region.

## Heavy Grazing Reduces Bitterbrush Yields Per Acre

Bitterbrush (*Purshia tridentata*), because of its wide distribution and high palatability, is one of the most important shrub species in the West. How does yield vary with age in this plant, and how is the relationship between yield and age influenced by grazing? To answer these questions, we studied heavily and moderately grazed stands of bitterbrush.

Plants reached their maximum production in the 60-to-70-year age class under both intensities of use. When individual plants of the same age were compared, the heavily grazed plant always produced more usable forage than the moderately grazed one. However, although heavy grazing stimulates production, it apparently shortens life span. The moderately grazed stand had a much larger proportion of its total population in the age classes that produce the most forage than did the heavily grazed stand. As a result, moderate grazing produced twice as much forage per acre as the heavy grazing.



Relationship between average annual yield per plant and age of bitterbrush under heavy and moderate grazing.

## Revegetation Following Logging and Slash Burning

In western Oregon and Washington, timber harvesting procedures often consist of clearcut logging followed by broadcast burning of logging slash. These activities result in drastic reduction in amounts of vegetation. Since plant cover curtails erosion and stream sedimentation, the length of time necessary for reestablishment of vegetation is of vital concern to land managers. To better understand revegetation trends, plant cover and composition were observed for 7 years on permanent plots in three logged clearcuts in the H. J. Andrews Experimental Forest. Observations were made the year prior to cutting the old-growth Douglas-fir-western hemlock stand and during each of five growing seasons following logging and broadcast slash burning.

Total plant cover was 15 percent the first year after slash burning, greatly increased to 49 percent the second, and showed consistent, more modest increases the next 3 years. By the fifth growing season after slash burning, plant cover totaled almost 80 percent – 6 percent contributed by trees, 17 percent by tall shrubs, and 57 percent by low shrubs and herbs. Vascular plant species totaled 48 before logging and increased to 72 species 6 years after logging.

Pictures on this page show revegetation following logging and slash burning in the H. J. Andrews Experimental Forest.

By the fifth growing season after slash burning, the invading shrub snowbrush (*Ceanothus velutinus*) is beginning to gain dominance over the herbaceous invaders. →



Virtually bare condition during the first growing season after slash burning.



During the third year, fireweed (*Epilobium angustifolium*) replaces groundsel.



## RECREATION

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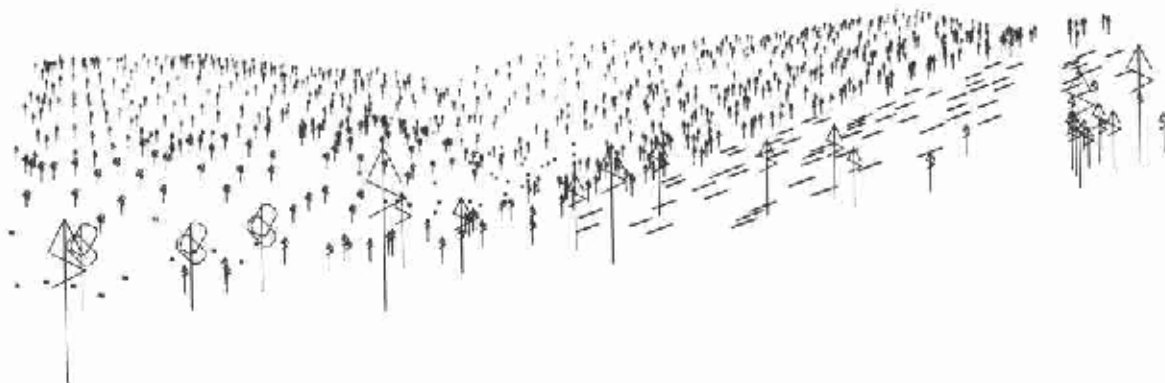
### Planning of Scenic Resources

Working with our Cooperative Recreation Research Project, two graduate students at the University of Washington have developed aids to the planning and protection of scenic resources.

With computer programs, the location of roads, shapes for timber harvest areas, and other modifications of the landscape can be tested and adjusted before commitments are made on the ground. Michimasa Kojima has developed computer programs that draw perspective views of the landscape

as it would appear from any selected point. One of these programs even includes vegetation symbols, drawn to scale, permitting a land manager to examine the visual effects of proposed changes.

The other student, Dale Potter, tested four methods of inventorying "visual impacts" on the landscape. In two of these methods, impacts visible from the highway were recorded by on-the-ground procedures. A computer was used to summarize the road mileages from which each impact type could be seen. The other two methods inventoried the impacts visible on aerial photographs but still related them to corridors along highways. Both scenic problems and opportunities can be identified by these methods.



FROM H [ 3 , 9 ] ELEVATION 1228 FEET

VIEWING HEIGHT 6 FEET  
HORIZONTAL ANGLE 45 DEG.  
DIRECTION TO H [ 6 , 16 ]

Perspective view of a landscape, drawn by computer, showing conifers (pointed symbols), broadleaved trees (rounded symbols), grass areas (small tufts), and logged areas (diagonal lines).

## Effectiveness of Facilities at Visitor Centers

Visitor response to subject matter and interpretive facilities is being examined at four visitor centers.

Preliminary findings suggest that animals are of more interest to visitors than are plants and that information provided by a recorded voice is more likely to be retained than information provided on printed labels. In general, visitors remember concrete facts better than abstract principles. Also, different age groups may respond differently to interpretive facilities. Children enjoy something they can touch or manipulate, and adults often avoid such exhibits, especially tests that might show them to be wrong.

## Characteristics of Conservation Groups

The conservation-preservation movement is becoming a major politico-economic development of the 20th century United States, where two distinct philosophies are in conflict. Conservation-preservation finds its strength in a growing number of conservationist organizations and outdoor clubs, while a conservation-utilization perspective is strongly supported by resource management professions and commodity interests. Recent success of conservation-preservationists indicates their growing political strength, although those belonging to organized groups make up only 1 to 2 percent of the population. Generally, members of the conservation groups can be categorized as upper-middle class. They are often highly educated, upper-income professionals whose activities are socially oriented.

Study of an Oregon-based outdoor club indicated that those members most strongly interested in conservation, reflected by their membership in other outdoor clubs, specialize in the type of organization they join. These conservationists concentrate their extracurricular memberships in conservation-related groups and are more actively involved than other members (who tend to spread

their memberships across a wider range of interests in which they are less active). This specialization may reinforce extreme ideological perspectives and organizational commitment to a difficult cause.



Ohanapecosh Campground, Mount Rainier National Park. (National Park Service photo.)

## Social Aspects of Outdoor Recreation

Traditionally, camping has been viewed as a means of escape from the soiled environment and social complexities of urban life to the isolation and beauty of nature. But many small and primitive campgrounds have become large and intensively developed with closely spaced campsites, water systems, flush toilets, showers, paved roads, and special equipment for trailers. In these highly developed areas, motives for camping are varied and increasingly nontraditional as many of the campers seek social experiences.

Many benefits result from the developed campground. Campers easily and informally meet and visit with other people. Valuable social contact occurs across a broad set of age groups and between members of different social levels. Enhancing the social aspects of camping may be as important to enriching the camping experience in developed settings as is enhancing the environmental aspects elsewhere.



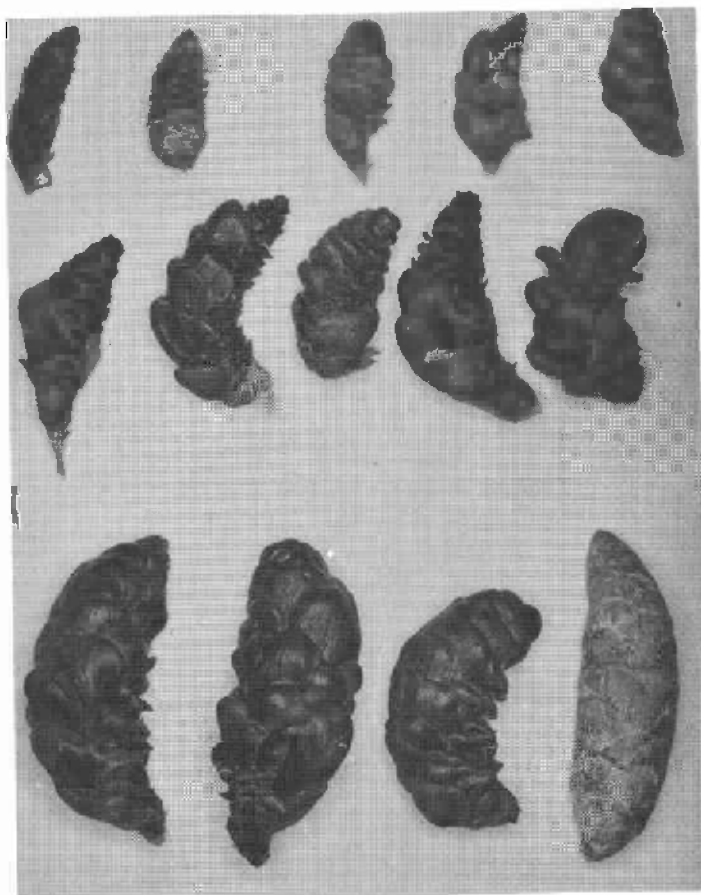
## REGENERATION

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### Frost Damages White Spruce Cones

Until 1969, no quantitative observations were available concerning the effect of climatic conditions on white spruce seed production in interior Alaska. Warmer than average temperatures in April and May followed by a late frost on May 27 caused up to 100-percent conelet mortality in some stands, but in others there was no apparent

damage. Seedfall observations indicated, however, that there may have been a reduction in seed quality in some otherwise seemingly undamaged cones. In addition to the significant variation in conelet mortality between white spruce stands, there was also significant variation in damage between trees in the same stand, between cones on the same tree, and between scales on the same cone. This type of damage may be uncommon, but it, along with other factors that reduce seed production, can prolong the natural reestablishment of white spruce stands.



Variation in cone damage in white spruce cones in interior Alaska caused by frost in 1969. (Top row, far left — dead cone; bottom row, far right — apparently undamaged cone; other cones have variable number of damaged scales).

# SOILS, SITE, AND GEOLOGY

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## Indicator Plants for Management Decisions

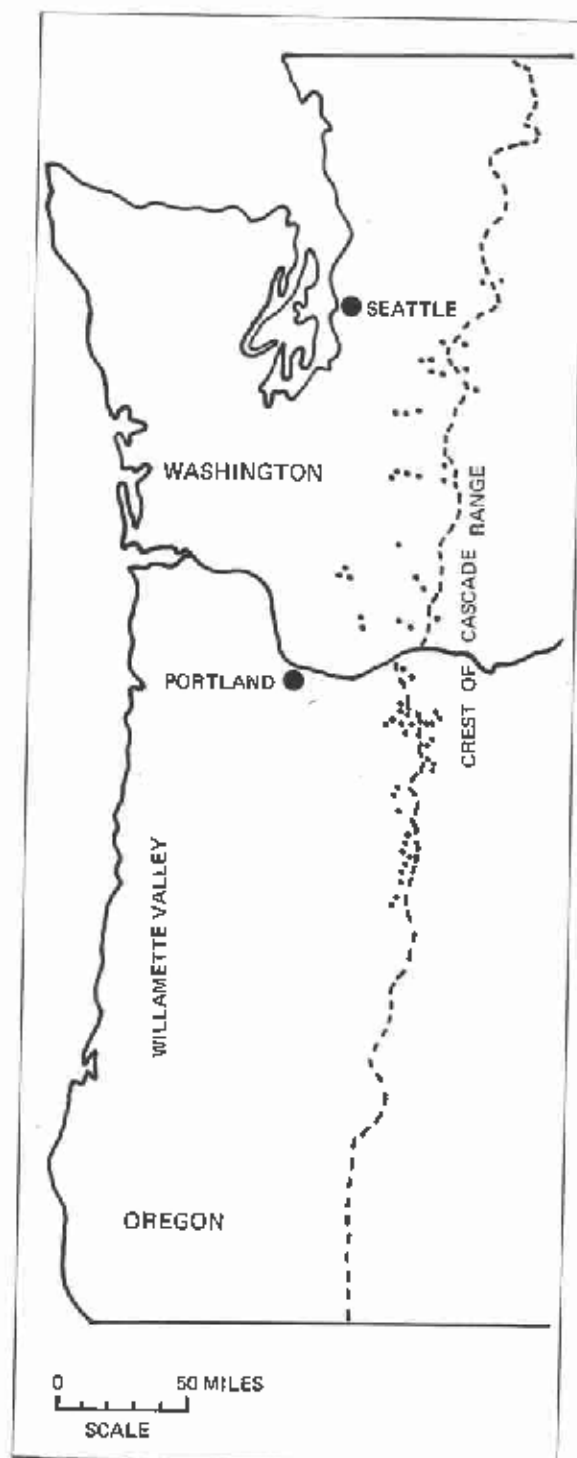
Understory vegetation in ponderosa pine and mixed conifer forests may be useful as an indicator of soil-site potential and in selecting management alternatives for integrated resource use. Similarity analysis of vegetation on 55 forested sites shows that certain plants common to volcanic ash soils are absent or rarely found on residual basalt soils.

Elk sedge and pine grass, major forage species for elk and cattle, occurred most frequently on mixed soils with high ash content.

If further study shows the relationships to hold constant, plant frequency may be a useful indicator in integrating range and wildlife resource values with timber management practices.

## Site Index Curves for Noble Fir

Analyses of stem sections from 70 old-growth noble firs in locations from McKenzie Pass, Oreg., to Stevens Pass, Wash., are being used to develop site index curves for this species. Preliminary curves show that height ranges from 50 to 150 feet at age 100. Sectioning of 210 trees of associated species in the same area is providing data for growth comparisons between species and for study of growth capacity of complex upper-slope stands.



Old-growth noble fir stem analysis plots.

# **SUPPLY AND DEMAND**

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## **Forest Productivity Overstated in Eastern Oregon**

Analysis of several hundred Forest Survey field plots last summer in an eight-county area of eastern Oregon shows that conditions which limit productive capacity are widespread in this area. It has become apparent in recent years that the usual procedure of rating productivity overestimates the growth potential of natural stands because there are some acres that are not capable of supporting the levels of stocking assumed in normal yield tables. Such limiting conditions include nonforest land, such as rock outcrops, streambeds, shallow soils, and inadequate water.

Nearly 60 percent of the commercial forest plots in this area were found to have inhibiting factors which reduce productive capacity below that indicated by the normal yield table. About 10 percent of the plots that would have qualified as commercial forest land were reclassified as non-commercial because of factors that reduced their growth capacity to less than 20 cubic feet per acre per year. It is evident that in this area of eastern Oregon, use of conventional methods would result in a substantial overestimate of the potential productivity and of the commercial forest area.

## **New Timber Resource Data for Olympic Peninsula**

A new report on the timber resources of the Olympic Peninsula shows that the area of commercial forest land available for timber growing has decreased about 3 percent since 1953. Con-

tinued decreases can be expected, particularly in the eastern portion of the Peninsula where population pressures are expected to shift an additional 200,000 acres to residential, commercial, and recreational use by the year 2000.

The total volume of sawtimber is estimated to be 82.6 billion board feet, about 1 percent less than in 1953; but the proportion as well as the absolute volume in hardwoods has more than doubled, and the average size of timber has decreased.

For the area as a whole, growth and cut are about in balance. However, the situation varies between owner groups. High growth and low cutting rates on private lands with large areas in young stands are counterbalanced by low growth and high cutting rates on the public lands with substantial areas in old slow-growing stands.

## **Need for Timber Most Important Determinant of Stumpage Prices**

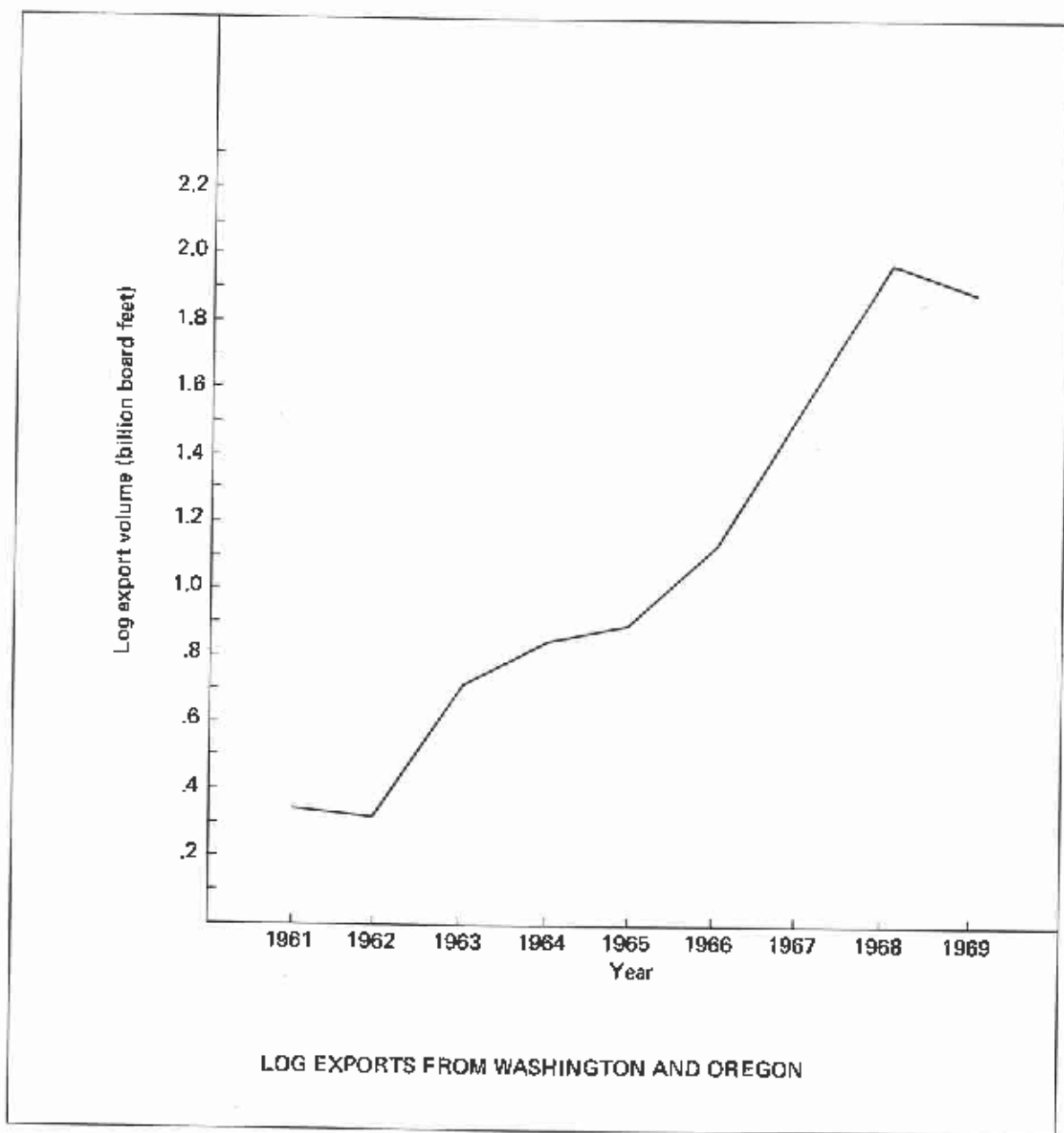
Average stumpage prices for timber sold on Douglas-fir region National Forests have shown a longrun increasing trend, which should continue throughout the 1970's. Although the general trend is upward, prices have fluctuated from year to year. These fluctuations have closely coincided with shifts in general economic activity and the resulting changes in demand for wood products. Year-to-year price changes apparently have not been related to variations in the amount of National Forest timber sold. An implication is that changes in local and regional timber management programs may not, by themselves, induce short-term stumpage price changes.

## Log Exports Decline in 1969

Log exports from Oregon and Washington declined for the first time since 1962; the 1969

export volume of 1,870.8 million board feet was down 5.2 percent from 1968. The average value of the 1969 shipments was \$117.44 per thousand board feet compared with \$102.37 in 1968.

In 1969, log exports from northern California totaled 206.7 million board feet and shipments from Alaska were 31.9 million, down 2.6 and 32.3 percent, respectively, from 1968.



# TIMBER MANAGEMENT

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## Converting Red Alder Stands to Douglas-fir

This study shows where it is more profitable to replace red alder stands with Douglas-fir than to manage for red alder in the Pacific Northwest. Under most of the circumstances analyzed, alder stands should be immediately replaced. Red alder management is economically justified only when sites are poor, stumpage prices low, and costs high. In order of importance, the critical variables in this decision were found to be the discount rate, site productivity, expected stumpage prices, present age of the existing red alder stand, costs of conversion, and annual management costs. [Sensitivity analyses show how these variables may influence the conversion decision. See Yoho, Chappelle, and Schweitzer in Annotated List of Publications (Supply and Demand).]

## High Yields from Thinned Lodgepole Pine

Stand density control can greatly increase yield of usable lodgepole pine wood. A 32-year-old stand at Twin Lakes near Bend, Oreg., thinned to 85 trees per acre now has an average diameter of 8.9 inches with 45 trees in the 9-inch- (minimum bd.-ft. size) and-larger class and a reasonable expectation that all will reach 9 inches in the next 10 years. These trees have grown 1.1 inches in diameter in the last 5 years and added an average of 61 cubic feet per acre annually. Both a gross yield table and data from some much older thinning plots at nearby Pringle Falls indicate that increases in stand density with the passage of time will more than offset the expected decline with increasing age, at least through age 90. Expected production to age 90 would equal 4,318 cubic feet or 21,590 board feet, approximately two-and-one-half times average production of unthinned stands.

## A New Levels-of-Growing-Stock Installation

The Forest Service has established a third thinning study area as part of the Cooperative Level-of-Growing-Stock Study in Douglas-fir. Results from this new installation on Site IV land on the Umpqua National Forest in southwestern Oregon will be compared with those from other installations on Sites I-III and particularly with another Site IV study area on the Olympic National Forest in northwestern Washington where growing conditions are quite different.

The Levels-of-Growing-Stock Study is a long-term cooperative effort among private industry and educational and governmental agencies for identifying optimum thinning treatments to achieve certain management objectives. At each of the seven installations thus far established, eight thinning regimes and a control are replicated three times. Response of the 20- to 40-foot-tall stands has generally been good following an initial removal of about 60 percent of the stand basal area.



A full-crowned lodgepole pine tree on an 85-tree-per-acre plot. It has grown 1.4 inches in diameter and 6.4 feet in height during the last 5 years.

## WATER

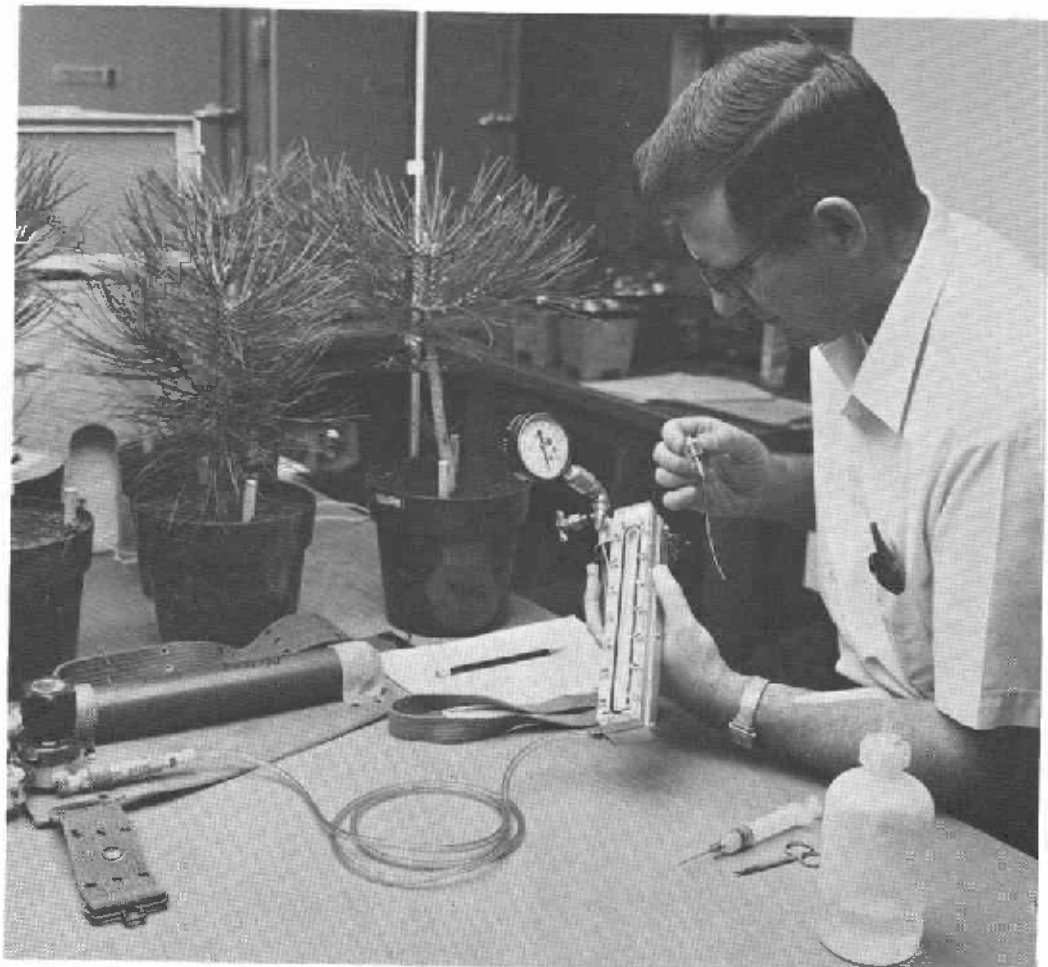
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### Stomatal Behavior in Conifers

Most water loss by trees is controlled by stomata — minute pores in leaf surfaces. The rate of loss depends on the degree of openness of these pores. Primarily because of the difficulty of measuring aperture in conifer needles, little information has been available on the behavior of stomata in conifers. A pressure infiltration technique which quickly assesses degree of stomatal opening was recently developed for laboratory and field use.

Sensitivity of stomata to leaf water stress for five species of conifers was determined by measuring transpiration rate, leaf water stress, and relative stomatal aperture of seedlings subjected to gradually increasing drought. The stomata of ponderosa pine, lodgepole pine, and Engelmann spruce closed at a lower leaf moisture stress than the stomata of Douglas-fir and grand fir, indicating a higher sensitivity to water stress in the pines and spruce.

This information will aid in watershed management by ultimately providing a basis for selecting water-efficient species.



# WOOD UTILIZATION

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## Bark Useful in Agriculture

Agricultural use of the millions of tons of tree bark produced annually by the Pacific Northwest wood products industry would alleviate disposal problems and air pollution resulting from burning. Bark of the major tree species in this area can be used as mulch, soil conditioners, plant container mixes, drainage, and bedding in animal stalls, poultry houses, and stockyards. Any nitrogen deficiency caused by bark use on soil can easily be remedied by fertilization.

Barks of Douglas-fir and other commercially important species in this region contain 5 to 22 percent tannin by weight. However, normal agricultural applications of 10 to 100 tons of bark per acre appear harmless from standpoint of adding tannin to the soil. Purified Douglas-fir tannin and its effect on the soil microflora were studied in the laboratory. The soil microflora was generally increased; about 22 percent of the tannin decomposed in 180 days, and nitrate production was only slightly decreased.

The ameliorating effects of leaving bark on the forest floor after timber harvest should be considered in management of forest soils and watersheds. Bark, transported to the mill where it becomes a disposal problem, might better be removed at the logging site by portable machinery and left to provide a protective organic cover on the soil surface, incorporate an appreciable amount of organic matter with the soil, and return plant nutrients otherwise lost. The tendency of bark to retard nitrification and the assimilation of nitrate by microbes decomposing the bark might also reduce nitrate content of streams flowing from cutover sites.

## Cost of Quiet in Apartment Buildings

Wood frame construction is lightweight and offers cost savings but also presents builders and designers with problems. One of these is insulation against airborne noise. Fortunately, as builders have a variety of materials to incorporate in lightweight walls or floor-ceiling constructions, the problem is only to decide what combination of materials will give the desired sound insulation at least cost.

Our field measurements of wall and floor systems in more than 20 apartment buildings show that builders are now providing wood frame partitions that range from sound transmission class 46 to 60. (STC is a single figure rating of general insulating properties of a partition.) Partitions having the lower values within this range are frequently considered just adequate; those having the higher values provide outstanding insulation.

A wall or floor with an STC of 56 is about twice as effective in reducing transmitted sound as is a wall with an STC of 46. The current in-place costs per square foot of wood frame walls vary from about \$1.00 for a wall with STC 46 to \$1.50 for a wall with an STC of 56, and for wood frame floors, from about \$1.30 to \$1.65 (not including the cost of finish floor, tile, or carpet).





## **Expansion of the Pulp and Paper Industry**

Whether the Pacific Northwest can double its pulp and paper production capacity by 1985 to meet national paper needs depends on ability of the industry to control air pollution, solve water quality problems, and obtain an adequate wood supply.

Dr. J. Alfred Hall, consultant to the Station, predicts expanded use of the kraft pulping process and progress in improving water quality. Although kraft mills cannot be made odorless, substantial gains are being made in recovery of sulfur dioxide. Through aggressive utilization of logging residues, thinnings, and presently underused species, the 1985 wood needs of this key industry can be met.

## **A Tree Grading System for Inland Douglas-fir**

A new timber grading technique was developed for predicting the value of individual tracts of timber. The method, a new concept in timber grading, is based on a lumber value predicting equation. Tested and used successfully in commercial timber sales, this approach is much easier

and less costly to use in timber cruising and computing the lumber selling value of tracts of timber.

The system uses five variables to estimate the lumber volume from each tree and its value — tree diameter, tree height, size of the largest limb in the butt log, percent defect, and length of the basal scar if one is present.

## **Estimating Veneer Losses in Plywood Production**

In manufacturing plywood, it is necessary to estimate how much veneer will be lost in the several processing operations between the veneer dryer and the finished plywood panel.

Through studies at three typical plywood plants, factors were developed for estimating veneer losses during the jointing for edge gluing, reclipping, glue spreading, panel layup, and panel trimming operations. These loss factors are useful in making timber sale appraisals and for production control in plywood plants.

There is an average veneer loss of 16 percent in producing a finished plywood panel, with losses varying from 12 to 23 percent depending on the grade of the veneer and where it is used in the panel.

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RADWAN, M. A. 01 69015  
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UNDER NORMAL NURSERY CONDITIONS, SPRAYING DORMANT PLANTING STOCK WITH AVAILABLE REPELLENTS AT THE RECOMMENDED RATES APPEARS TO BE SAFE FOR BOTH NURSERY SOILS AND TREES. ALSO, COLD STORAGE IS SAFE FOR TREATED TREES ALTHOUGH IT CAUSES HIGH LOSSES OF THE REPELLENT FROM THE TREES AND CONSEQUENTLY MUCH REDUCTION IN THEIR REPELLENCY.

RADWAN, M. A. 03 69029  
CHEMICAL COMPOSITION OF THE SAPWOOD OF FOUR TREE SPECIES IN RELATION TO FEEDING BY THE BLACK BEAR.

FOREST SCI. 15, PP. 11-16.

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RADWAN, M. A. 10 69173  
EFFECTS OF ESSENTIAL OILS FROM THREE DOUGLAS-FIR CLONES ON CELLULOSE DIGESTIBILITY BY DEER RUMEN IN VITRO. [ABSTR.]

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METHODS FOR PROTECTING CONIFEROUS SEED FROM RODENTS ARE REVIEWED. THESE INCLUDE MECHANICAL DEVICES, POISON BAITS, TOXICANTS AND REPELLENTS, AND BIOLOGICAL CONTROL. THE REVIEW SUGGESTS THE NEED FOR STRENGTHENING RESEARCH ON THE PROTECTION OF SEEDS, BECAUSE TODAY, AVAILABLE METHODS FOR THE CONTROL OF RODENTS ARE INADEQUATE.

RADWAN, M. A. 12 69149  
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FOREST SCI. 15, PP. 439-445.

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SMITH, JUSTIN. 01 69064  
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- FOWLER, WILLIAM B. 01 69010  
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A METHOD OF DIGITIZING ATMOSPHERIC MEASUREMENTS FOR POR-  
TRAYAL WITH A TIME-LAPSE CAMERA IS DESCRIBED. A SERVO-  
MECHANISM REBALANCES A RESISTANCE BRIDGE WHICH HAS THE  
TEMPERATURE SENSOR AS AN ACTIVE COMPONENT. A MECHANIC-  
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INITIAL RATE OF OLEORESIN EXUDATION FLOW THROUGH A  
CAPILLARY TUBE INSERTED IN THE SAPWOOD. SUCH MEASURE-  
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ACTION OF MALE VALVAE DURING COPULATION. MAGNIFICATION  
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WERNER, RICHARD A. 03 69046  
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 OF CONIFER ROOTS. THESE RESULTS WILL SERVE AS A BASIS  
 FOR RESEARCH ON THE MECHANISMS OF RESISTANCE TO 'P.  
 WEIRII' AND ITS BIOLOGICAL CONTROL.

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 WEIRII.' THE ISOLATES ARE TRANSFERRED BY TOOTHPICK  
 PROBES TO THE SURFACE OF A DOUBLE-LAYERED AGAR PLATE  
 CONTAINING PATHOGEN MYCELIUM SANDWICHED BETWEEN THE  
 AGAR LAYERS. THE PATHOGEN DOES NOT GROW UNDER INHIBI-  
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