

Operating Area Name:	Operating Area #
Goobies	CC02401
Hatchet Cove	CC02402
Burnt Point	CC02403
Snook's Harbour	CC02404
Foster's Marsh	CC02405
Hickman's Harbour Road	CC02406
Northwest Brook	CC02408
Beaver Pond	CC02409
Clarenville	CC02410
White Hills	CC02411
Shoal Harbour Pond	CC02412
Thorburn Lake South	CC02413
Southwest River Valley	CC02414
Port Blandford Access Road	CC02415
Thorburn Lake North	CC02416
George's Pond	CC02417
Salt Lake	CC02418
Shoal Harbour Valley	CC02419
Muddy Hole Brook	CC02420
George's Brook	CC02421
Barton	CC02422
Harcourt Access Road	CC02423
Jack's Pond	CC02424
Nut Cove	CC02425
Northeast Pond	CC02427
Island Pond	CC02430
Bloomfield Access Road	CC02431
North Brook	CC02432
Branches Pond Access Road	CC02433
Stagg Steady	CC02434
New Country	CC02436
Dalton's Pond	CC02437
Rocky Pond	CC02438
Rattle Falls	CC02440
Princeton Pond	CC02441
Blue Gull Pond	CC02442
Portland	CC02443
Winterbook	CC02444
Bakeapple Bog	CC02445

Chance Harbour	CC02446
Charleston	CC02447
Trinity Pond	CC02450
Plate Cove Access Road	CC02451
Stock Cove Access Road	CC02452
World Pond	CC02454
Black Bay	CC02456
Terra Nova South	CC02457
Deep Bight	CC02458
Andrew's Pond	CC02459
Camp Pond	CC02460
NFS Inventory Map #:	NTS Map #:

Description of Area: Silviculture Operating Areas are created to focus on regeneration of harvested sites that are not adequately regenerating on their own. The objective is to sustain ecological functions, promote vegetation types characteristic of the Boreal Forest and to create a sustainable balance of healthy forests and viable forest products. These Silviculture Operating Areas encompass a large area of previously harvested and proposed future harvest areas.

Silviculture Activities: Reconnaissance surveys will be carried out on existing and new cutovers and regenerating stands to determine the need for planting and/or thinning. Suitable cutovers that are not satisfactorily regenerated will be candidates for site preparation and planting and/or gap planting and suitable regenerating stands will be candidates for thinning. All potential silviculture areas are identified on the operating area maps as proposed harvest areas, recent cuts and immature stands, except the areas inside the Agriculture Areas of Interest.

Primary Forest Access Road Construction: Access road construction in this operating area will typically be carried out under government contract primarily utilizing excavators. The majority of the fill requirements will come from the road right of (ROW). In the event that material is required from outside the ROW (i.e. gravel pits), it will be done under permit from the Mines Branch of the Department of Industry, Energy and Technology. Any water crossings will be done under permit as required by the Water Resources Division of the Department of Environment and Climate Change.

Proposed 5 year access road construction: None
Proposed 5 year stream crossings: None

Non timber Considerations and Mitigations: **Protected Road Zone:** Permits for operating within Protected Road Zones will be obtained for the operating area; **Water Bodies:** A minimum **30 meter** buffer will be maintained on both sides of all rivers, brooks, ponds or other water bodies that are shown on a 1:50,000 Topographic map; **Scheduled Salmon Rivers:** There will be no cutting within **100 metres** of a scheduled Salmon River; **Cottage Areas:** There will be no cutting within **100 metres** of a designated cabin development area and **20 metres** of a registered legal cabin; **Raptor Nest:** No forestry activity is to occur within **800 metres** of a bald eagle or osprey nest during the nesting season (March 15 to July 31) and **200 metres** during the remainder of the year.

Agriculture Area of Interest Overlap: N/A