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# Implementing Uneven-aged Management in New England



## Is It Practical?

**Fox State Forest**  
309 Center Road  
Hillsborough, NH  
April 13, 2006

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### Directions:

**Fox State Forest, Hillsborough**  
**From the east: Rt. 202/9.** Take the Henniker St./W. Main St. Hillsborough exit. Go left at stop sign at end of exit ramp. Go 1.8 miles to traffic light in the center of Hillsborough. Go right onto School Street. Fox Forest is approximately 2 miles on the right.  
**From the west: Rt. 9.** Take the Hillsborough/Peterborough exit. Go right at stop sign at end of exit ramp. Go left at traffic light (by McDonald's). Go 1.4 miles to traffic light in the center of Hillsborough. Go left onto School Street. Fox Forest is approximately 2 miles on the right.

### Questions About the Program?

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Uneven-aged management – it can be tough to understand, and even tougher to implement in the field. Which trees should we keep, and which trees should we cut in each size class? What scale should we be looking at? How can we best achieve our objectives while preserving the fragile understory and the age class distribution when we re-enter the stand? We use the terminology, but are we really implementing uneven-aged management systems on the ground?

This may be the first time that you have thought about and talked about uneven-aged management as a unit since your silviculture class. In this workshop, we'll revisit some of the key factors that define it, and look at how it is being implemented in our major forest types.

## Implementing Uneven-aged Management in New England - Is It Practical?

8:00 am-4:00 pm

- 8- 8:30      **Registration**
- 8:30- 9:15    **An Uneven-aged Management Primer, Everything You Learned in School...and Probably Forgot-** Walt Wintturi, Watershed to Wildlife
- 9:15- 9:45    **The Ecology of Uneven-aged Management** - Tom Lee, University of New Hampshire
- 9:45- 10:15   **What We Know About Uneven-aged Management and Wildlife-** Mariko Yamasaki, USDA Forest Service
- 10:15- 10:30   **Break**
- 10:30- 11:00   **The Reverse-J and Beyond: Developing Practical, Effective Marking Guides** - Mark Ducey, University of New Hampshire
- 11:00- 11:30   **Does It Make Economic Sense?-** Ted Howard, University of New Hampshire
- 11:30- 12:00   **Uneven-aged Management of Northern Hardwoods-** Bill Leak, USDA, Forest Service
- 12:00- 12:45   **Lunch**
- 12:45- 1:15    **The Penobscot Experience- Northern Conifers-** Laura Kenefic, USDA Forest Service
- 1:15- 1:45      **Uneven-aged Management for Oak and Pine Forest Types in Southern New England-** Matt Kelty, University of Massachusetts
- 1:45- 4:00     **Field Session-** Tour the Fox demonstration sites that include single tree and group selection, cohort management, diameter limit cutting

## ✂ Registration Form Implementing Uneven-aged Management

**Pre-registration is required and must be received by April 7.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Others registering:

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\_\_\_\_\_ x \$50.00 per person  
(Includes refreshments, lunch, & workshop proceedings- mailed after the event)

\$\_\_\_\_\_ Amount Enclosed

**Please make checks payable to:**  
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