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APPENDIX A. FIRE RISK CLASSIFICATION

High, moderate, and low fire risk was estimated for each CVS plot in the simulation dataset based on the Severe Crowning Index assessment from the Potential Fire Report produced by FFE. The Crowning Index indicates the estimated wind speed in miles per hour (mph) at 20 feet off the ground that would initiate an active crown fire assuming ignition of a surface fire. Assumptions required by the model include a temperature of 70 degrees Fahrenheit and 'very dry' moisture conditions (Crookston et al. 2002). Results from the crowning index estimates for each stand were sorted into one of three risk classes. Lower wind speeds indicate greater risk. If the crowning index was less than or equal to 25 mph, then the plot was considered to be in the high fire risk category. Moderate risk stands were those with a Severe Crowning Index of 25 through 50 mph. Low fire risk stands were those with a crowning index greater than 50 mph. Very young or clearcut stands function outside of the range of the model and subsequently record Severe Crowning Indices less than zero. To accommodate this model behavior, stands with a crowning index below zero are classed as low risk.

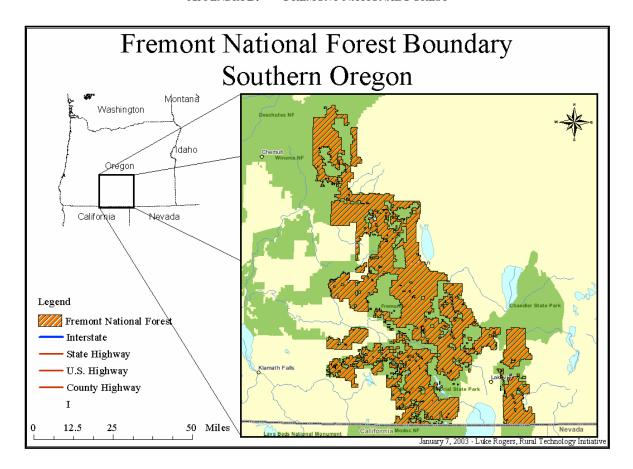
Fire Risk Classifications

Fire Risk Classification	Severe Crowning Index
Low	> 50 MPH & < 0 MPH
Moderate	> 25 ≤ 50 MPH
High	≤25 MPH

It should be noted that risk classifications are arbitrary thresholds useful and necessary for comparative analysis but that they may very well understate the risk at the margins. The word moderate properly segments a risk difference between high and low although the risk of a fire from wind speeds only slightly higher than 25 MPH might not be considered a moderate risk by many publics. It is in part for this reason that performance comparisons for treatment alternatives were reported in this investigation for high and moderate as separate risk classes and then combined as the total area to be considered for risk reduction treatments.

The initial 1995 fire risk distribution for the Fremont and Okanogan National Forests was reported as the percentage of CVS plots in each of the fire risk categories prior to any treatment or growth simulation. Fire risk distribution was similarly reported for projected and treated plot inventories at each growth cycle. For purposes of simulations to demonstrate comparisons between treatment alternatives only the plots with high and moderate initial classification were treated. Low risk areas did not receive treatment simulations since treatments of low risk areas would logically be considered unnecessary or of low priority. While some low risk areas may experience increases in risk over time most low risk areas appear to be either very young small diameter forests or rangeland/forest interface with sparse distributions of forest inventories that are unlikely to require fuels reductions at the time of this study.

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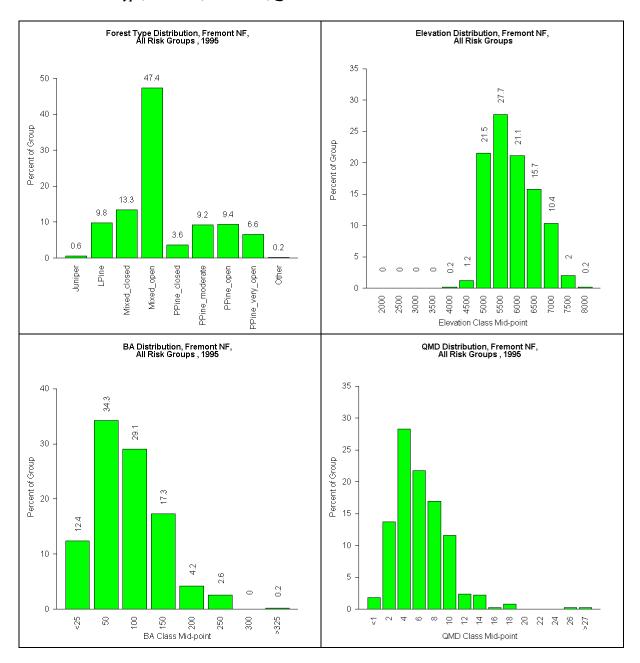
Fremont National Forest Risk Classes

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Low Risk	112	22.31
Total	502	

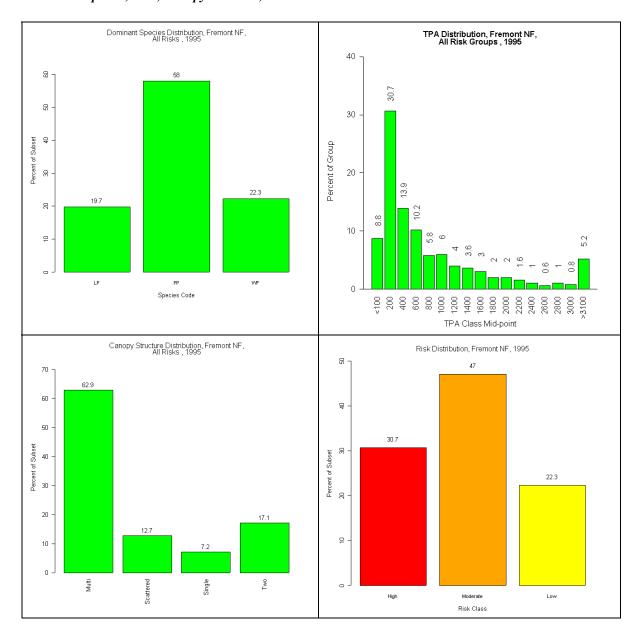
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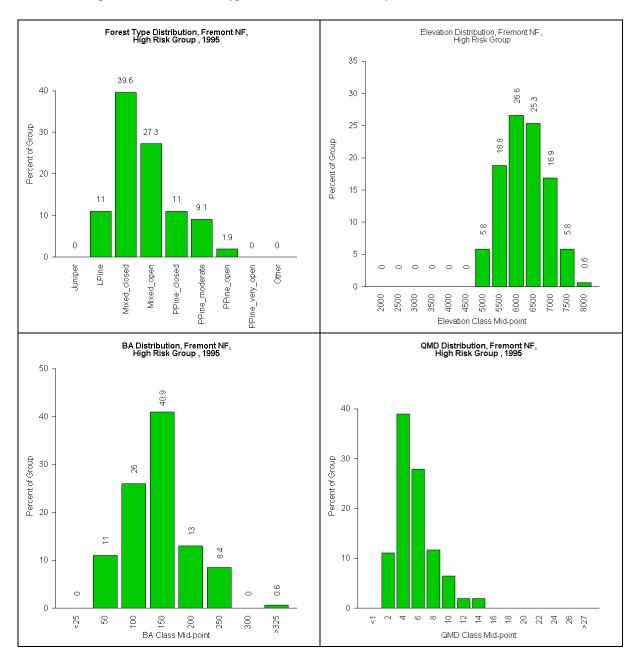
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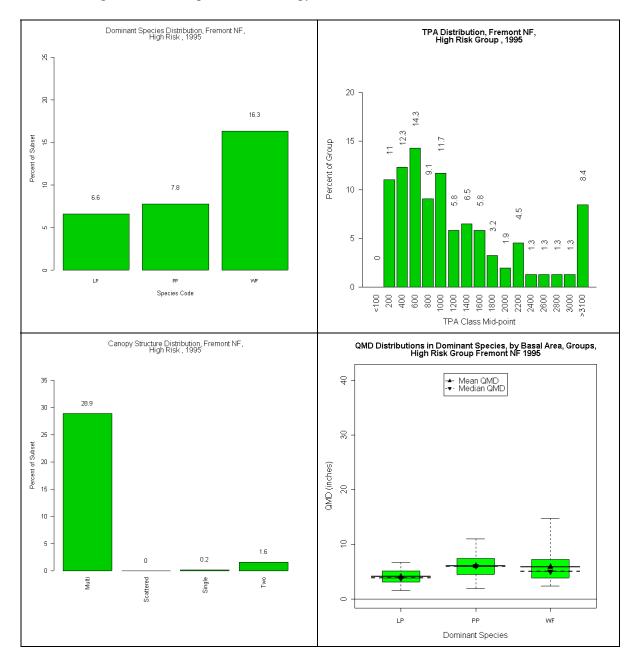
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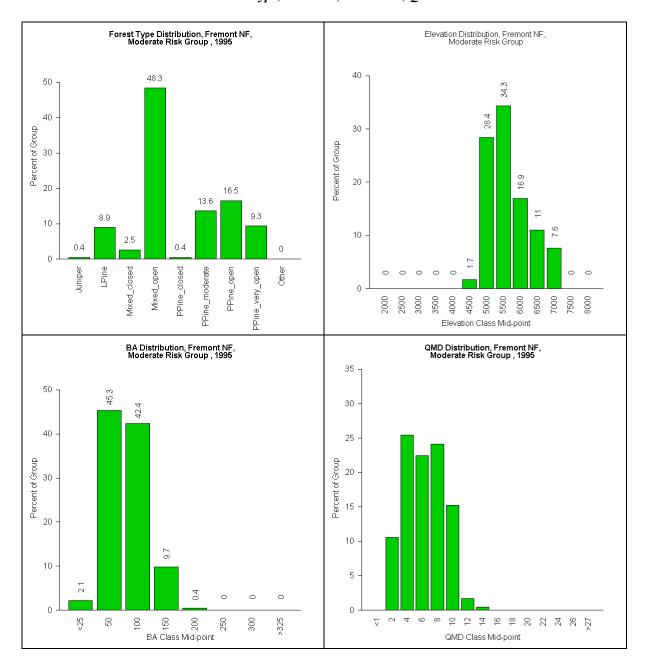
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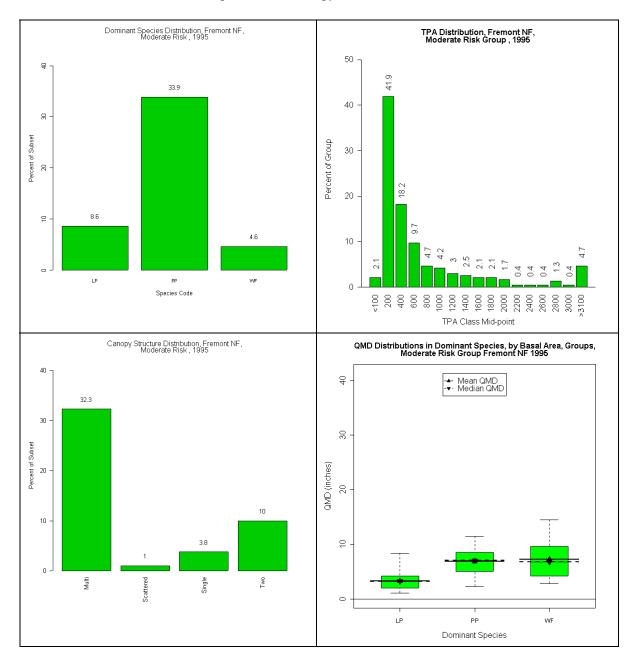
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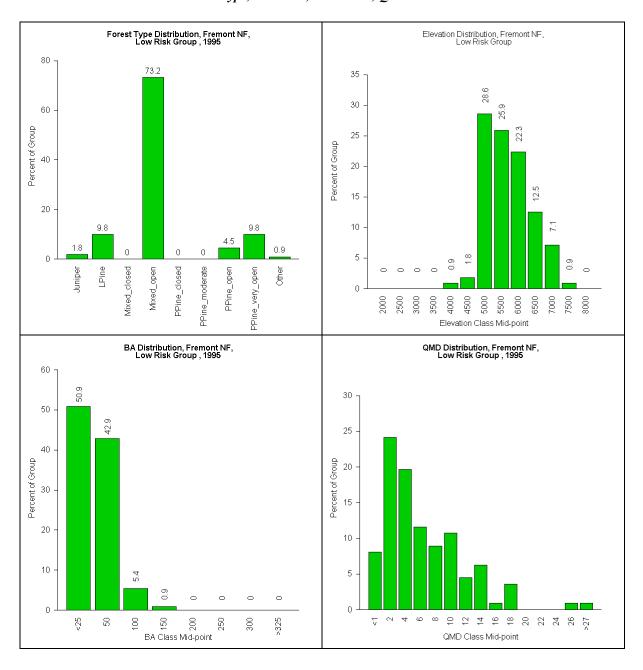
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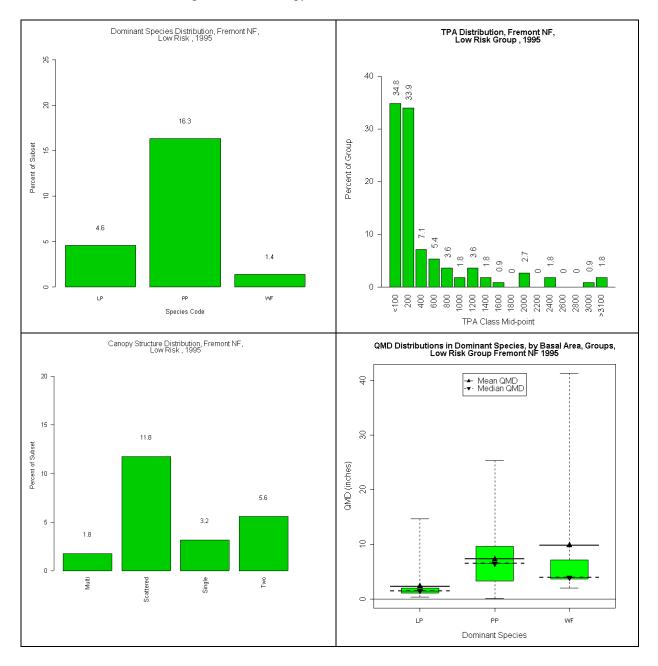
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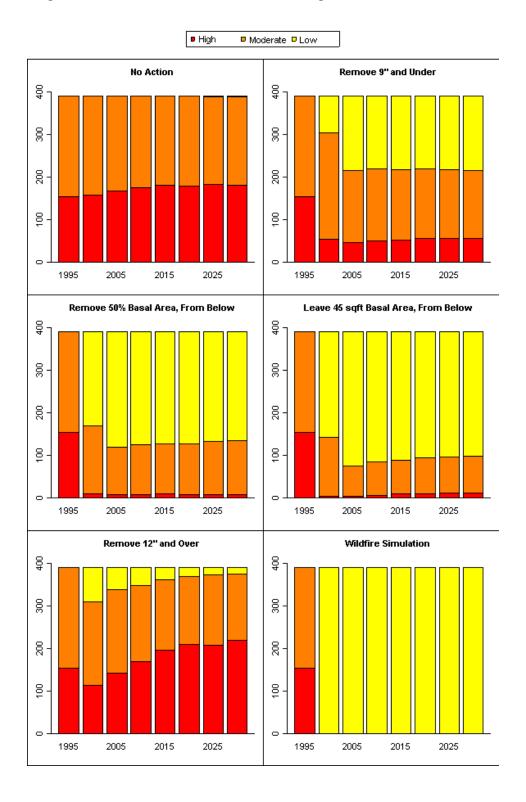
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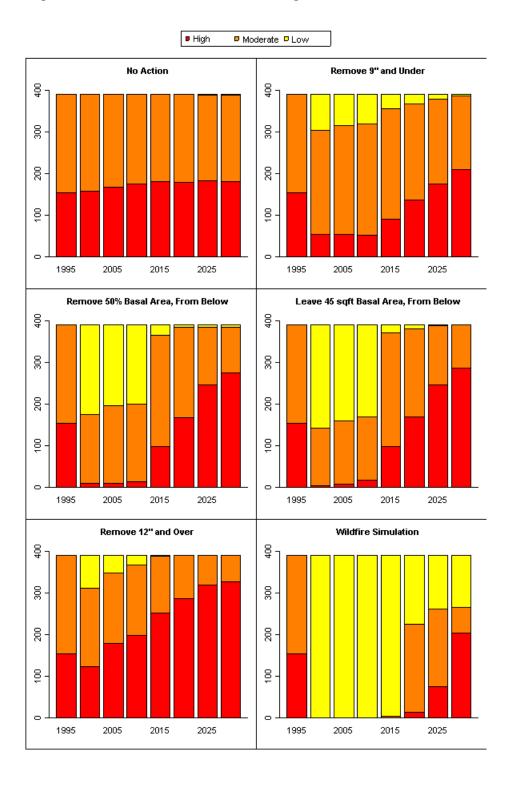
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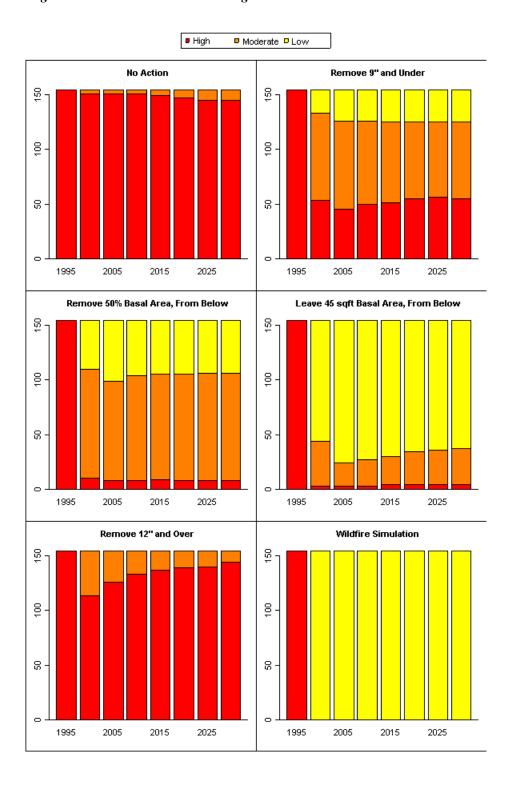
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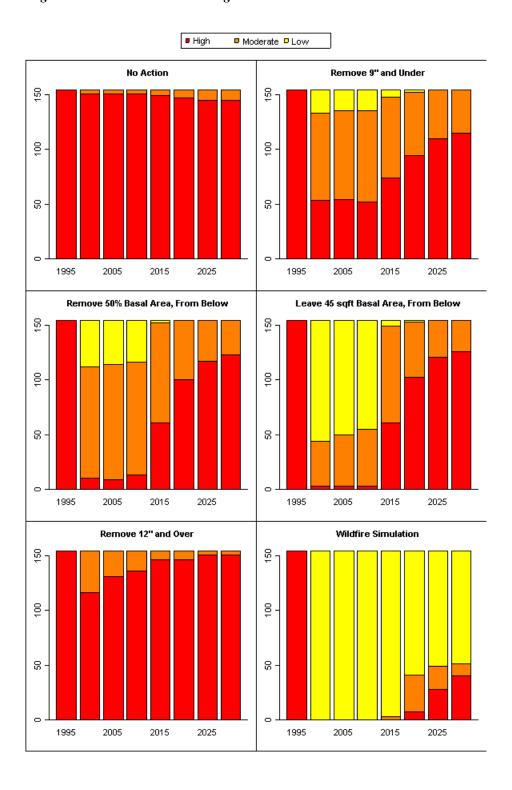
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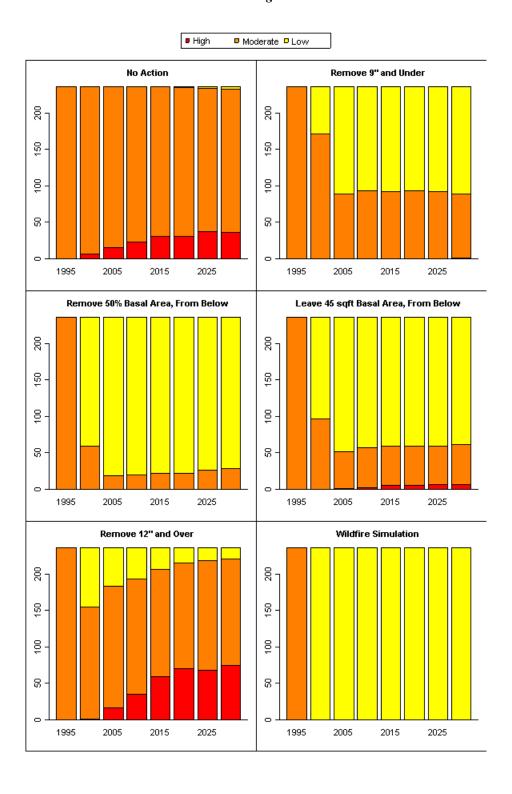
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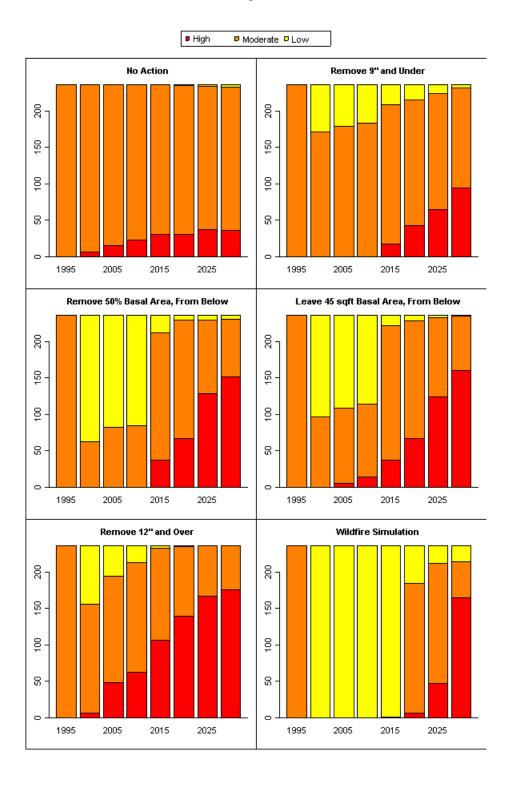
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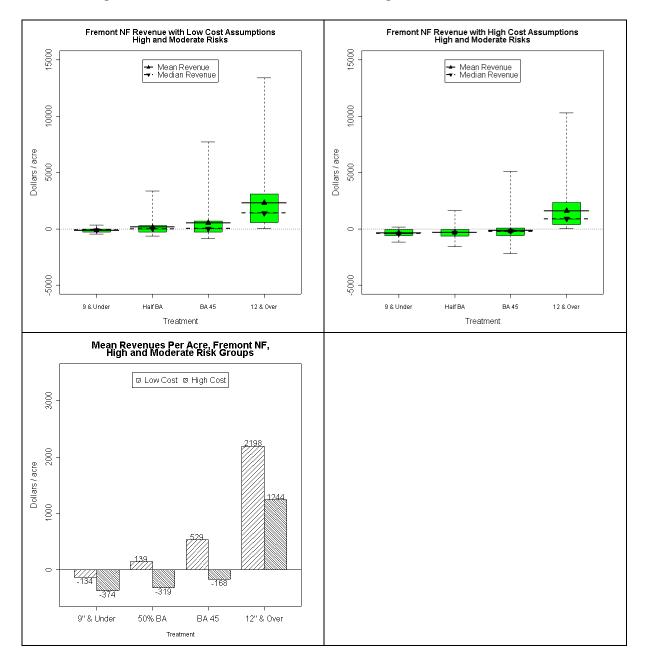
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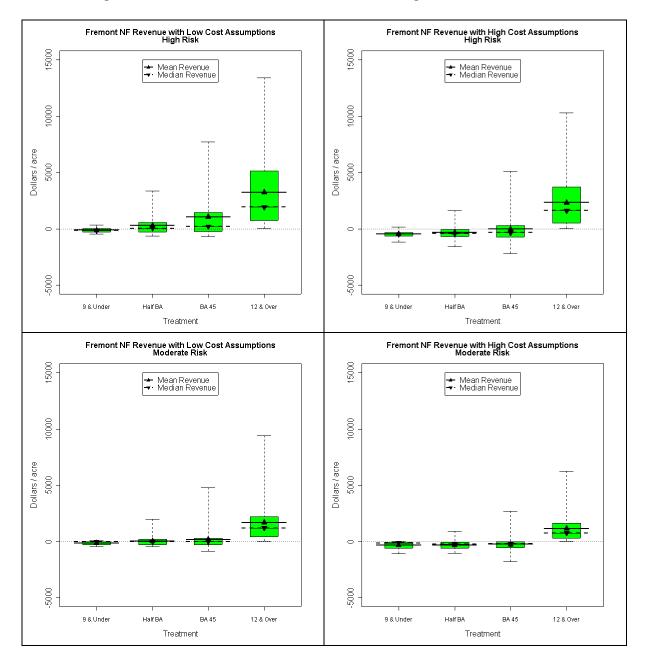
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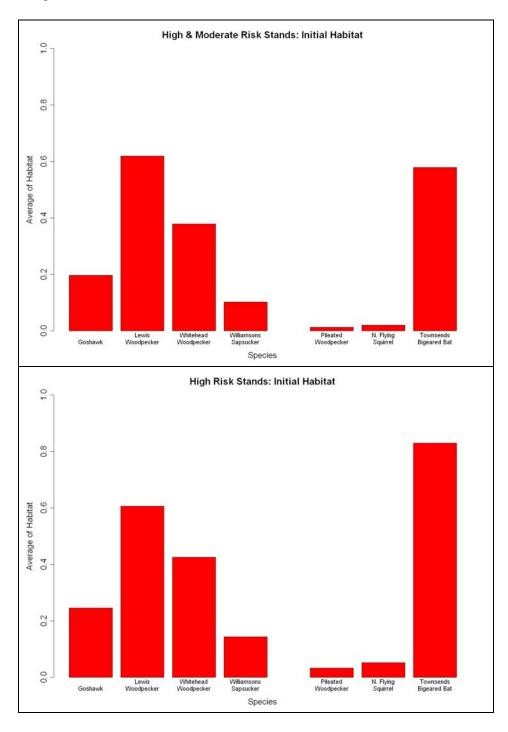
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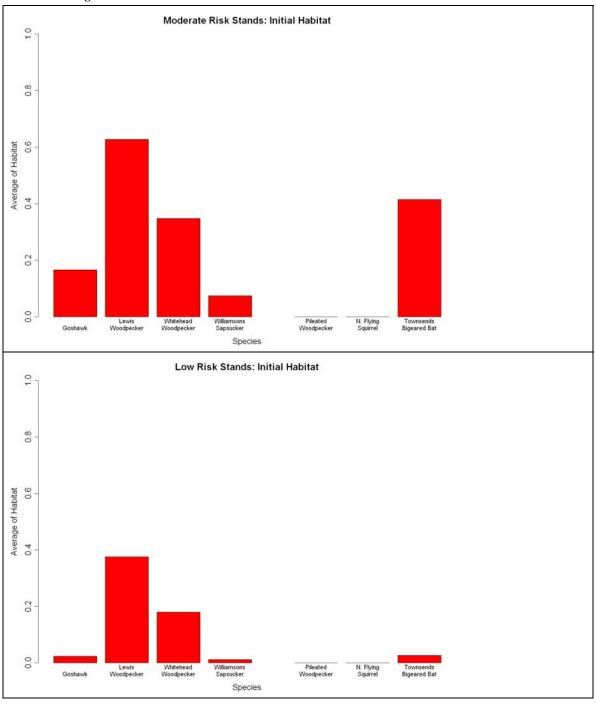
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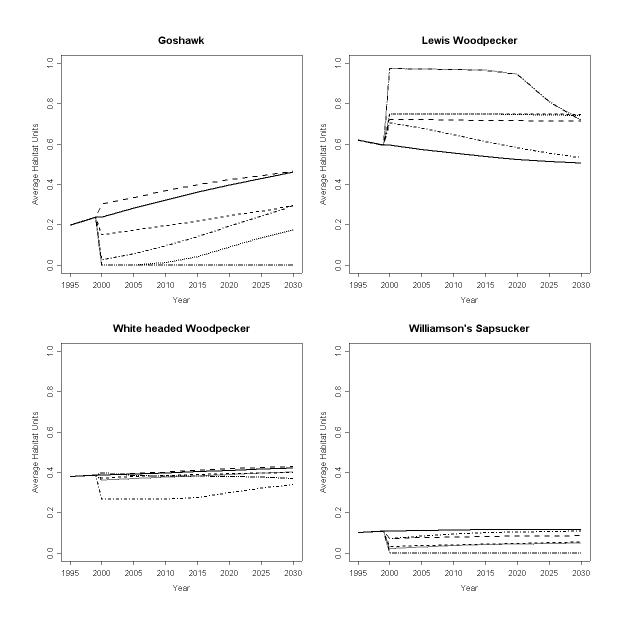


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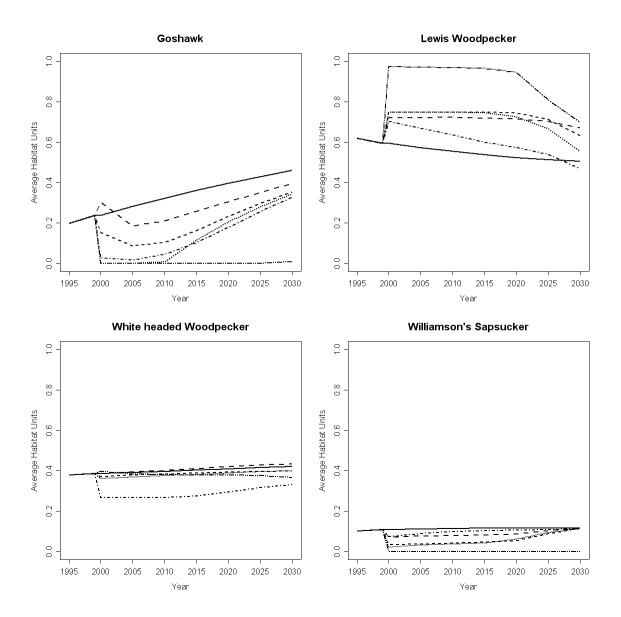
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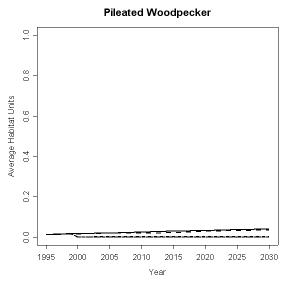
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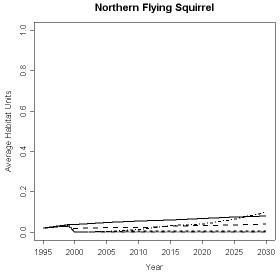
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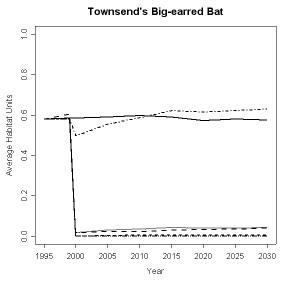


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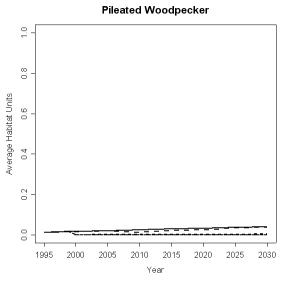


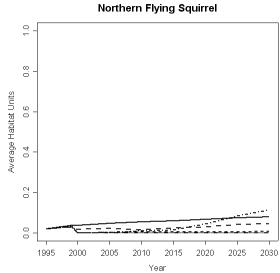


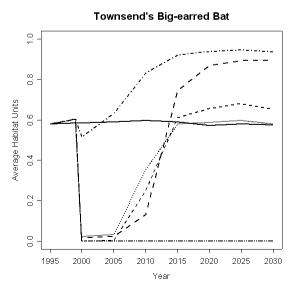
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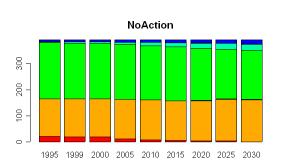


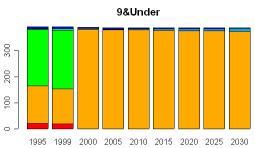


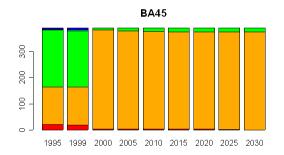


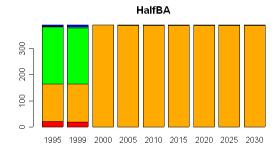
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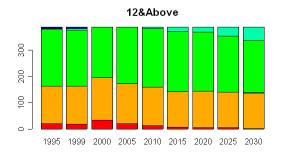
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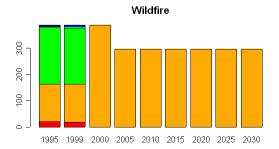




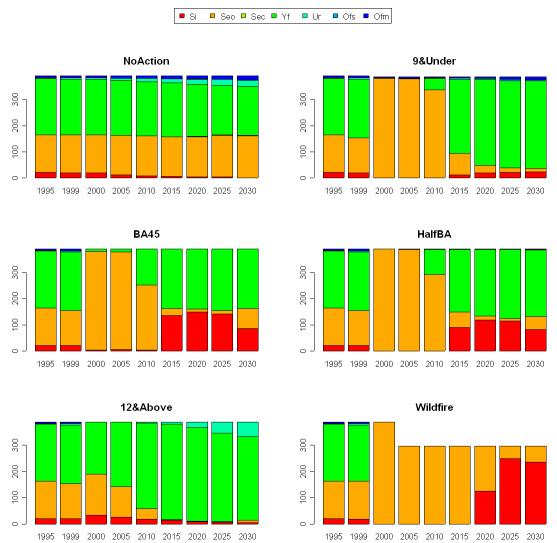








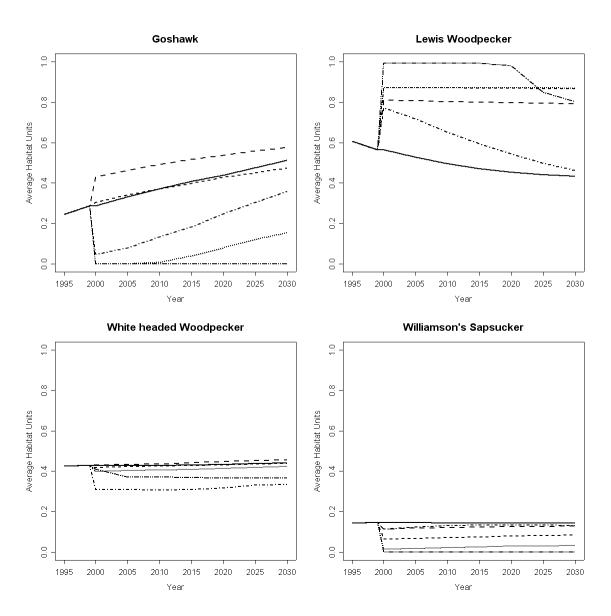
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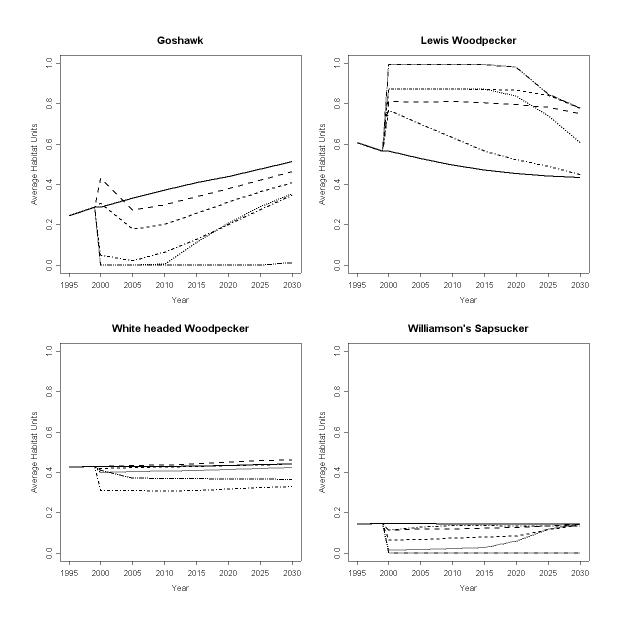
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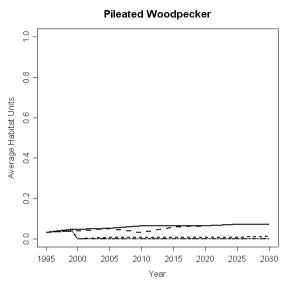
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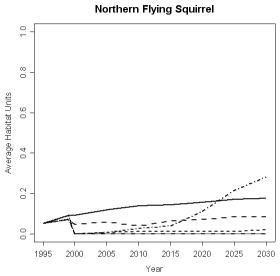


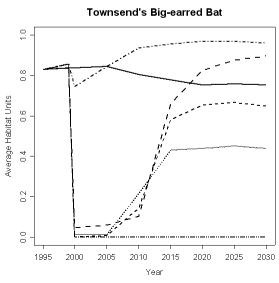
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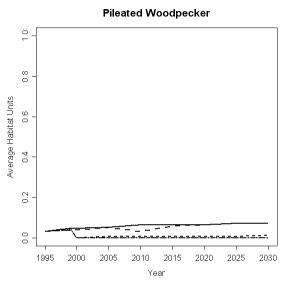


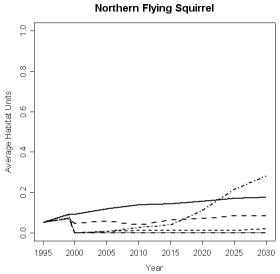


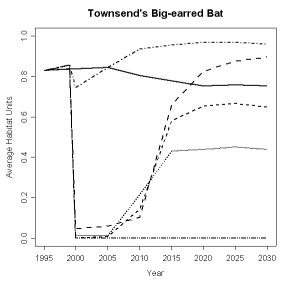
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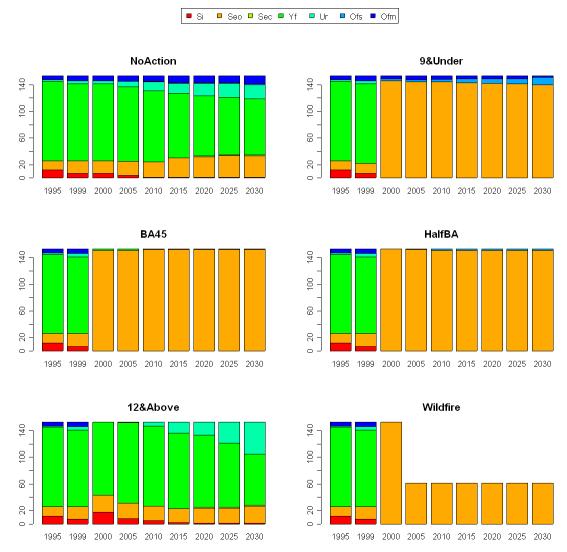
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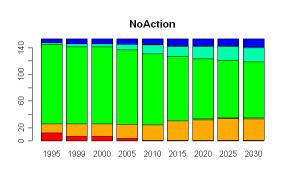


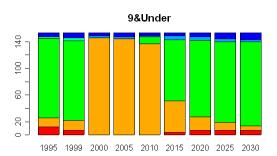
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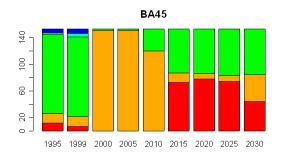


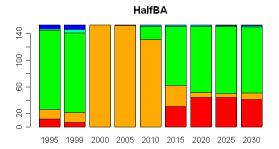
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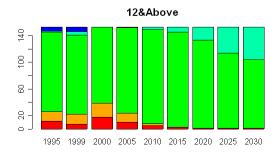
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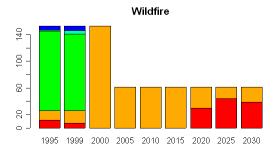








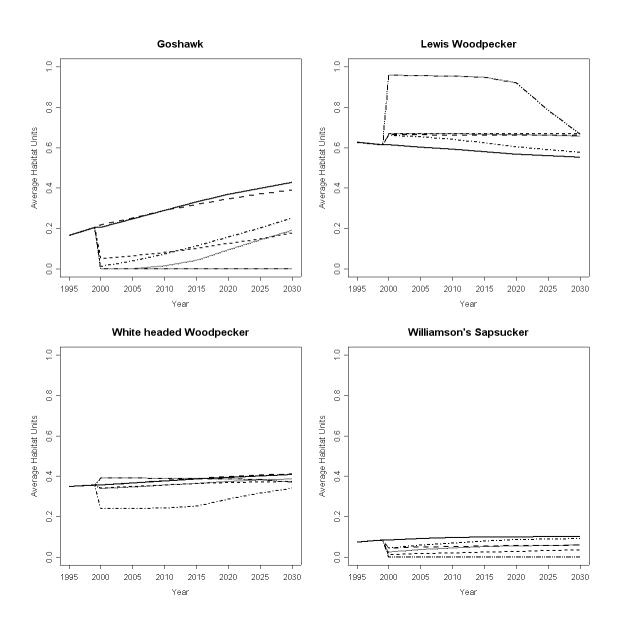




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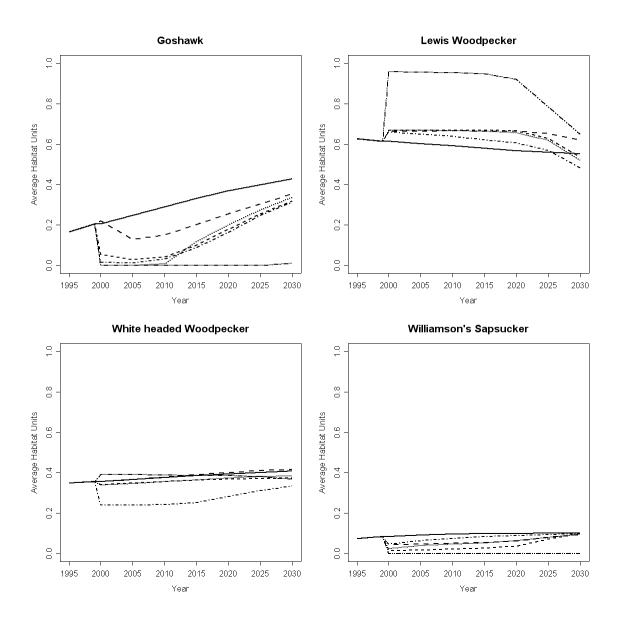
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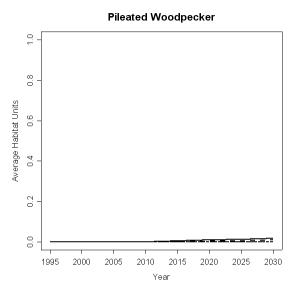
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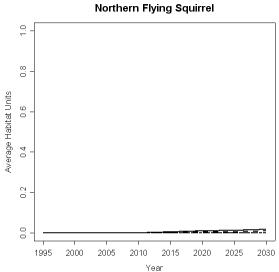


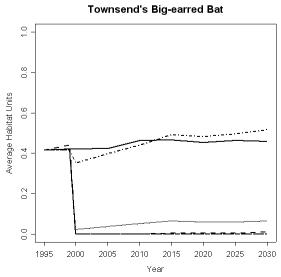
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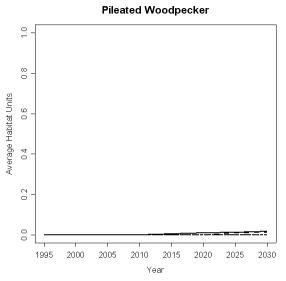


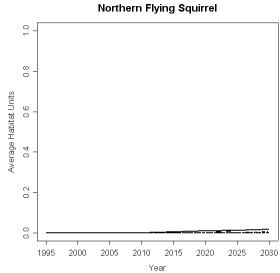


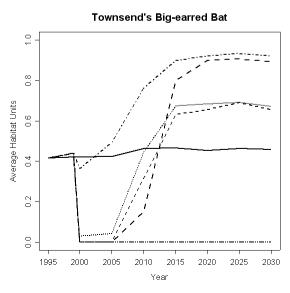
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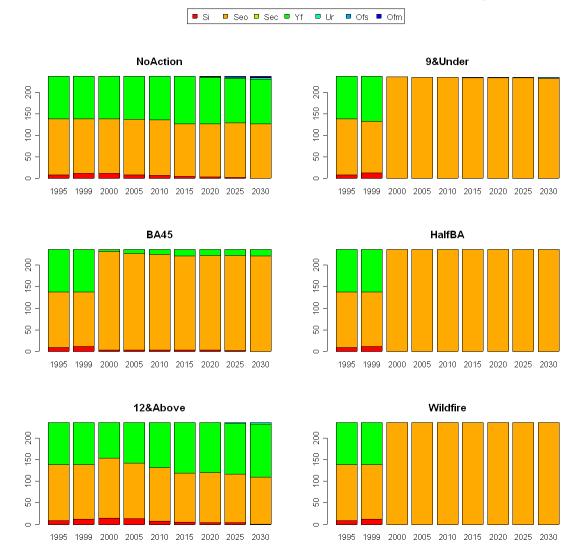
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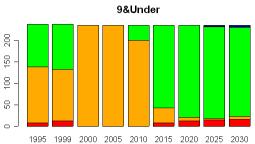
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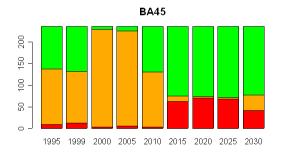


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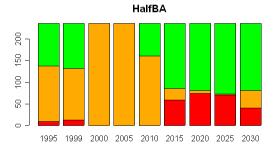
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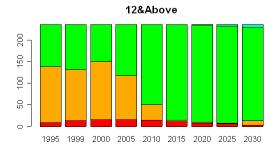


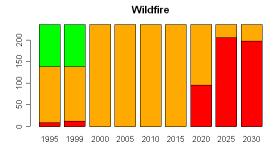




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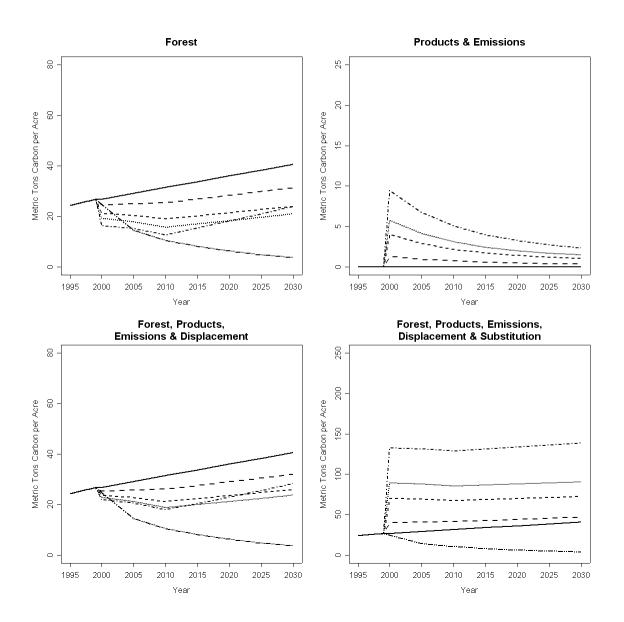






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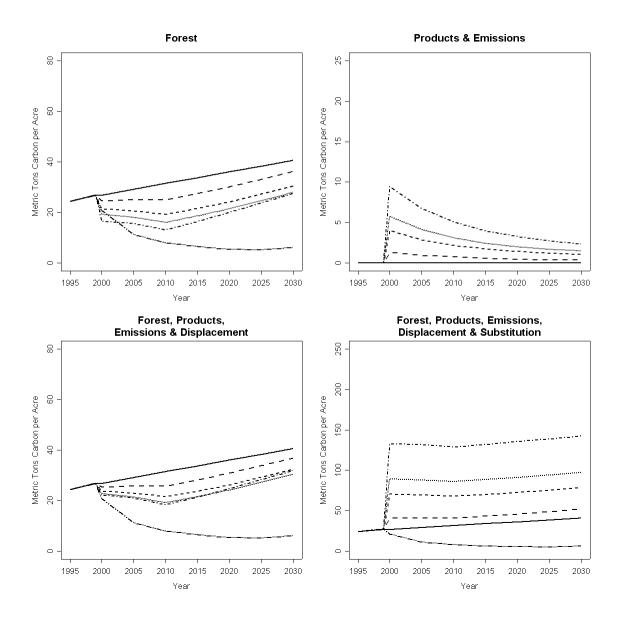
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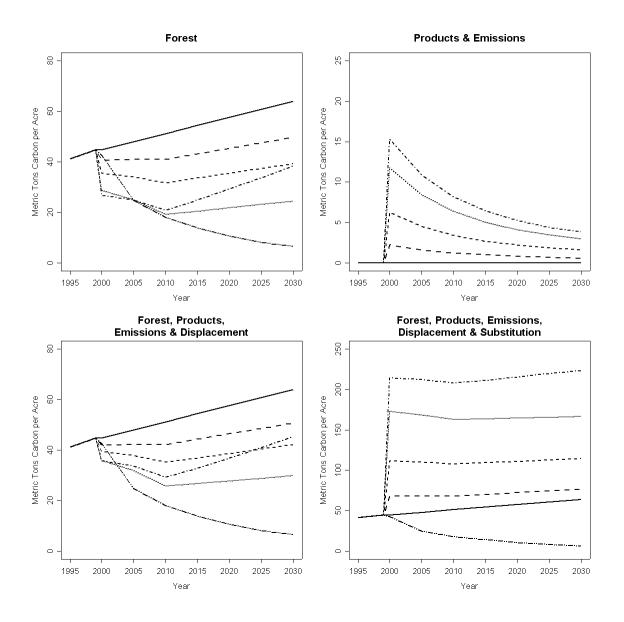
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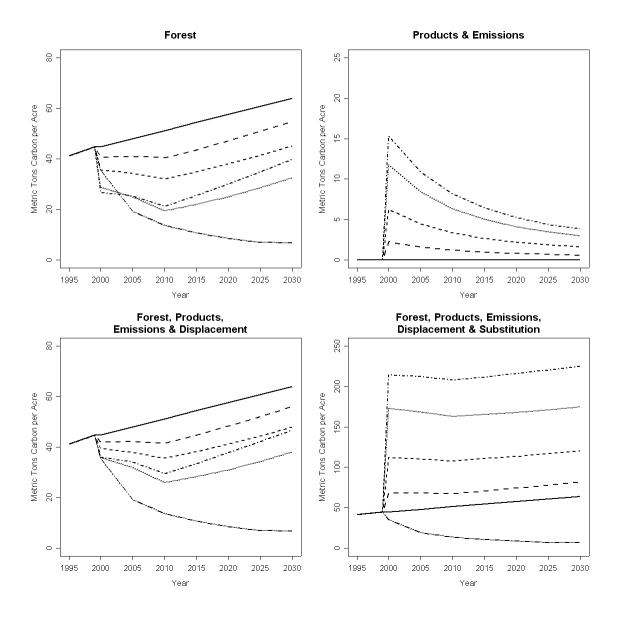
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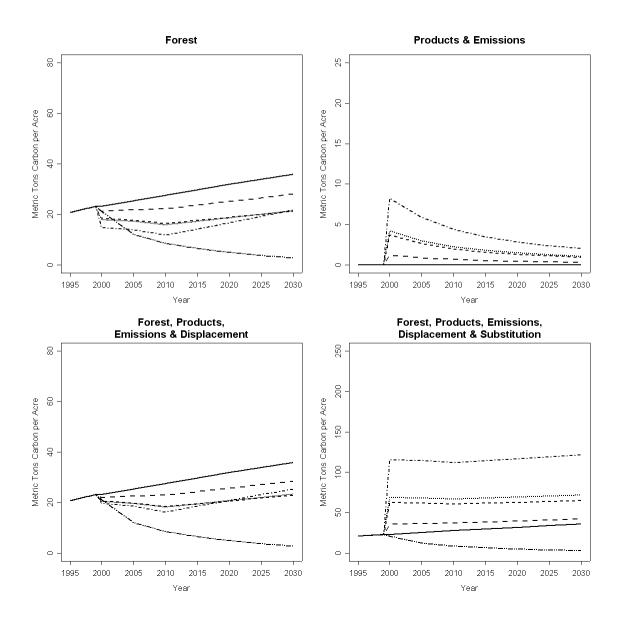
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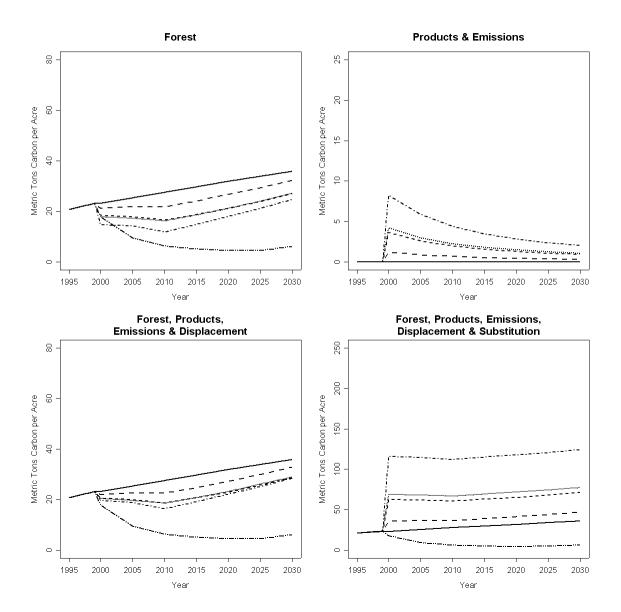
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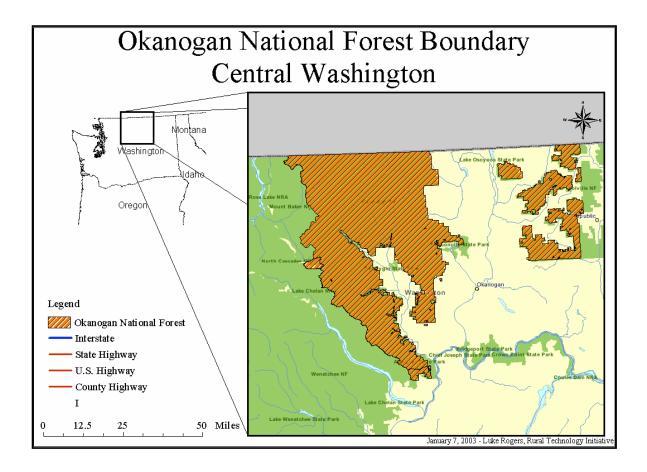


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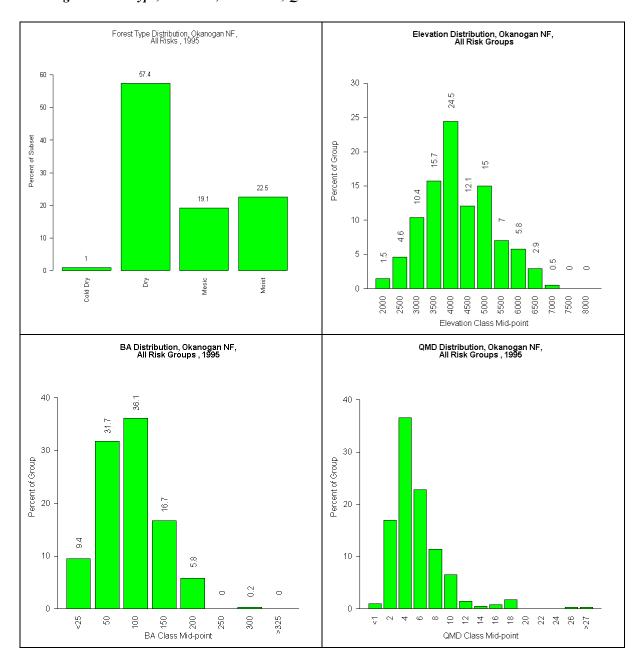
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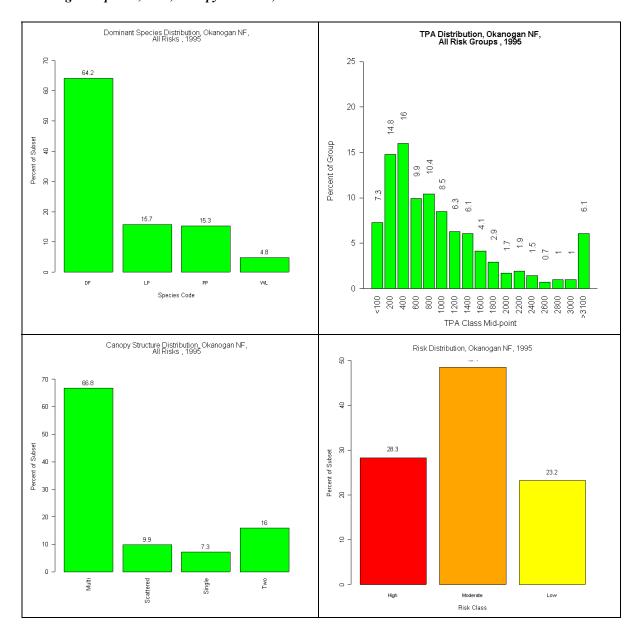
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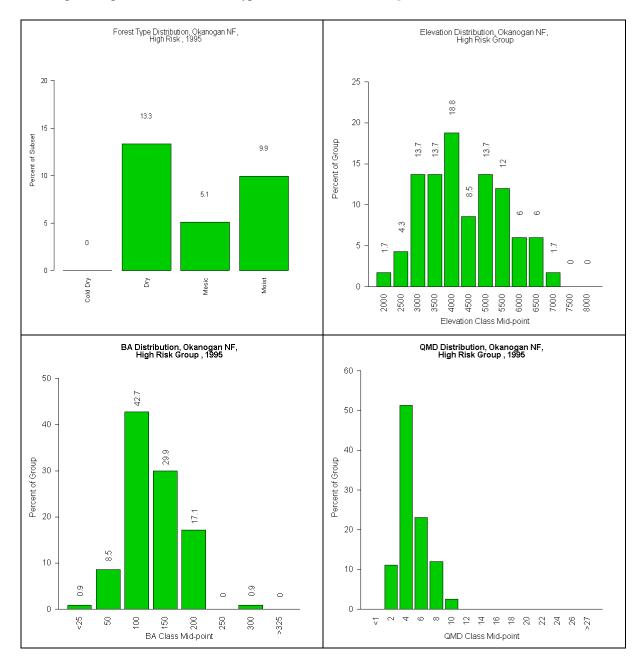
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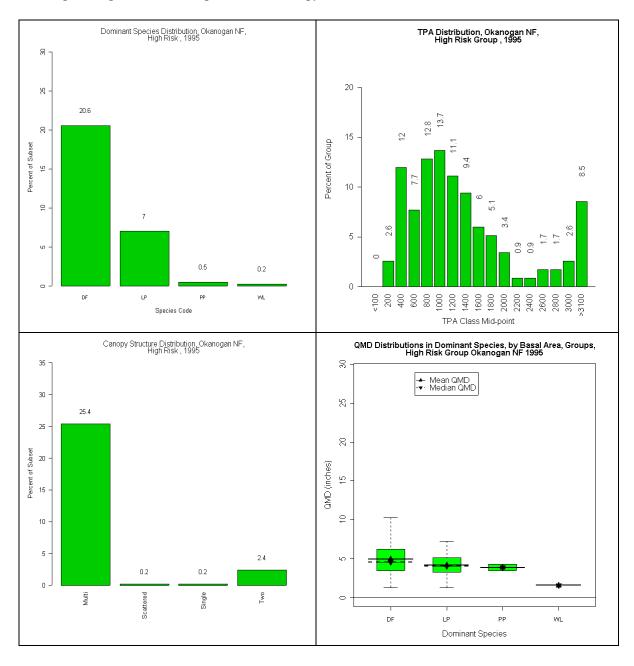
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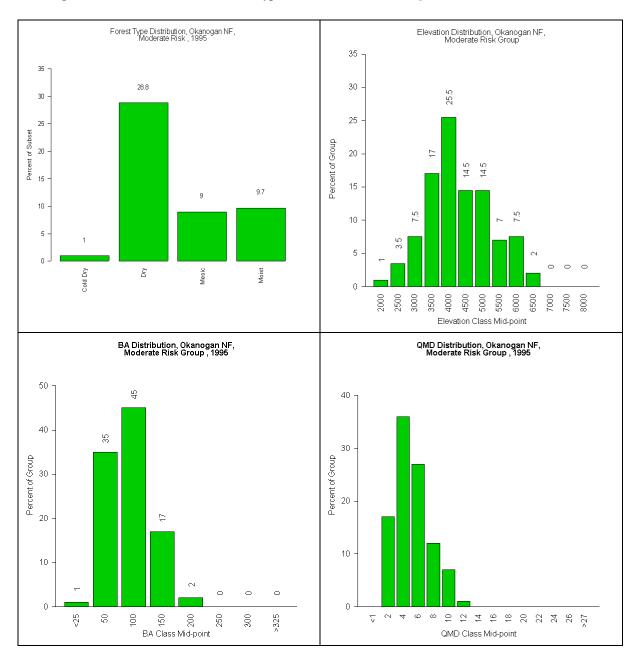
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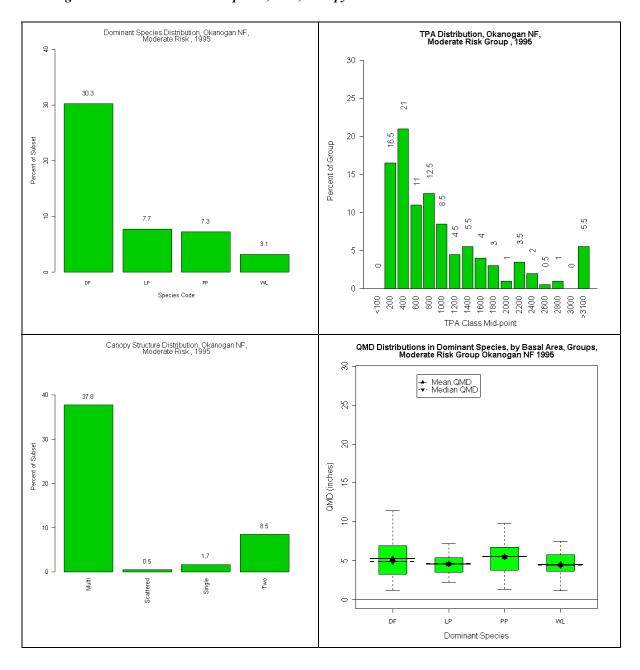
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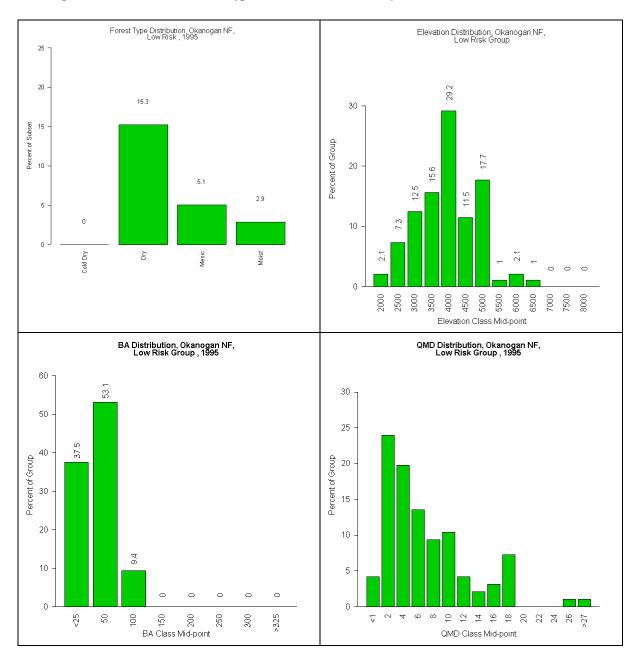
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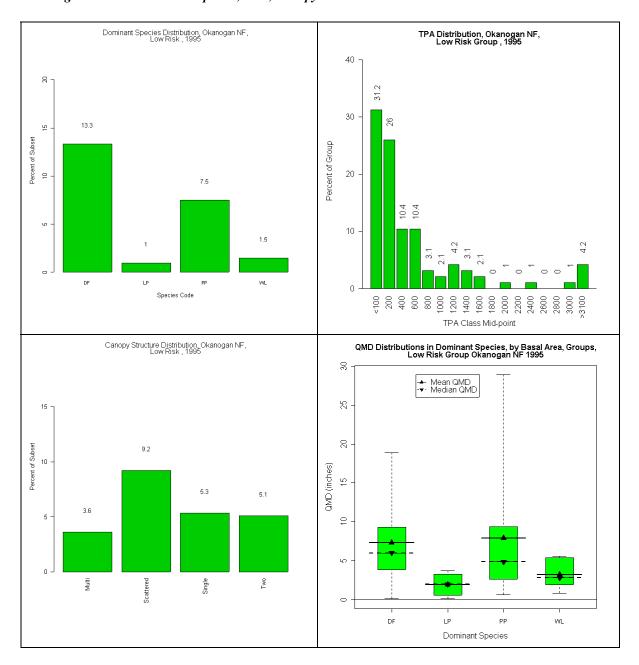
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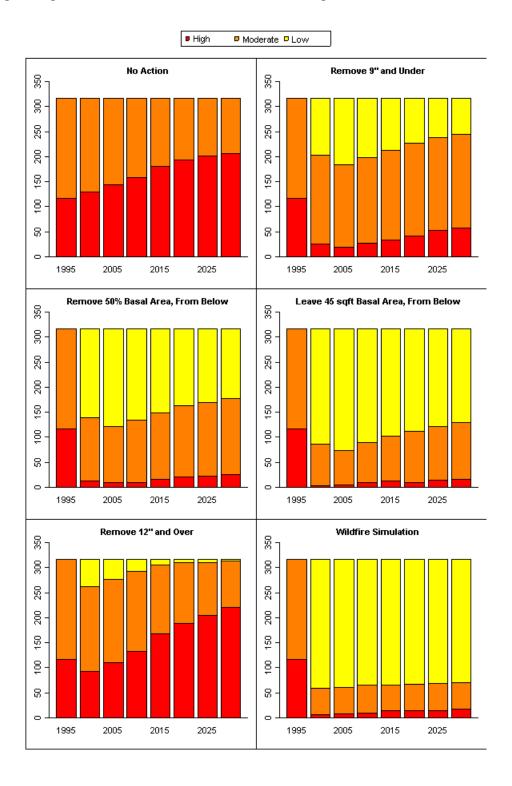
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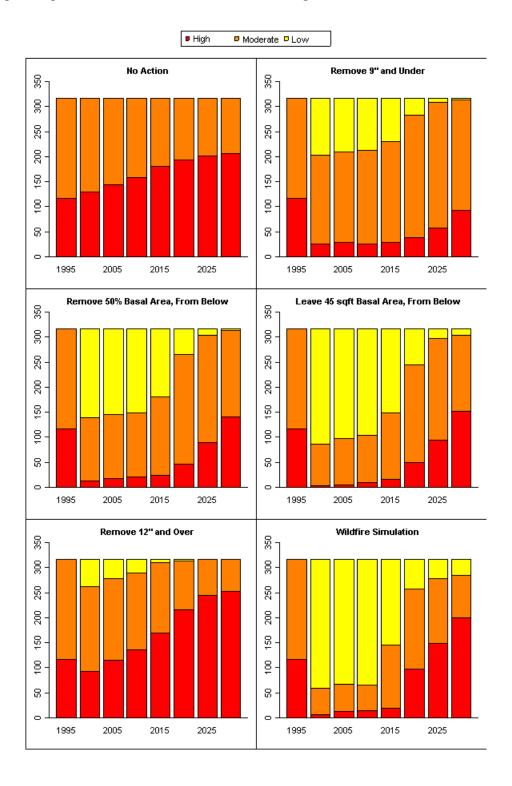
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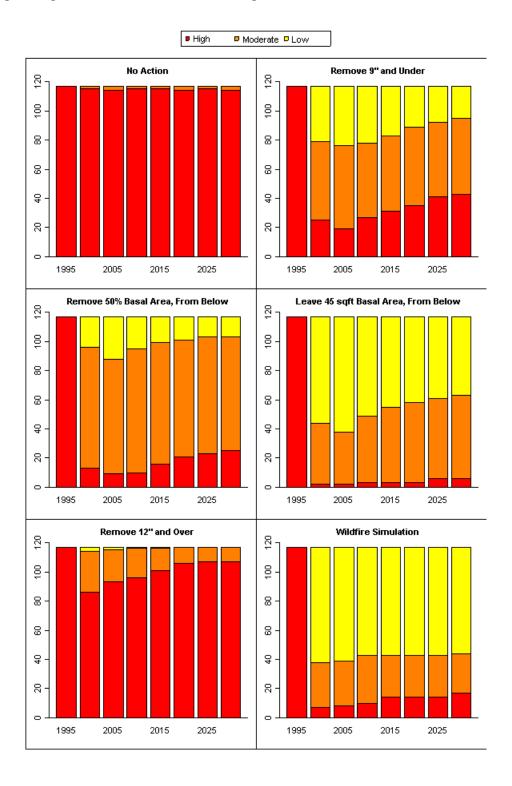
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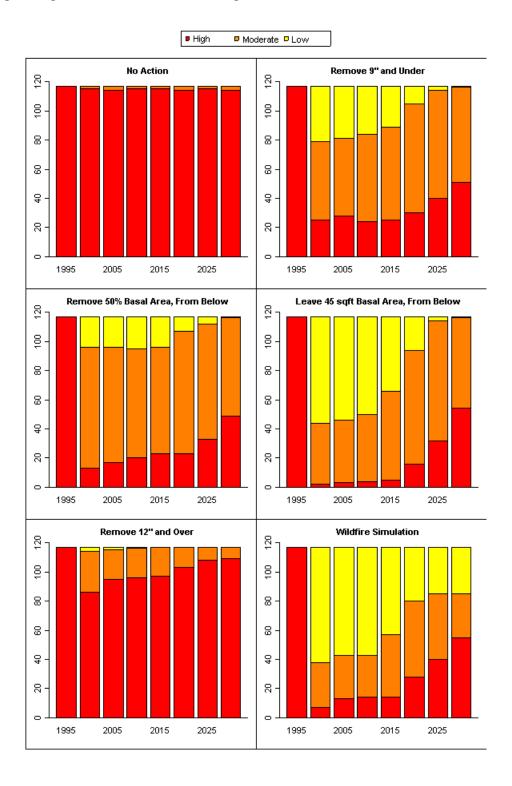
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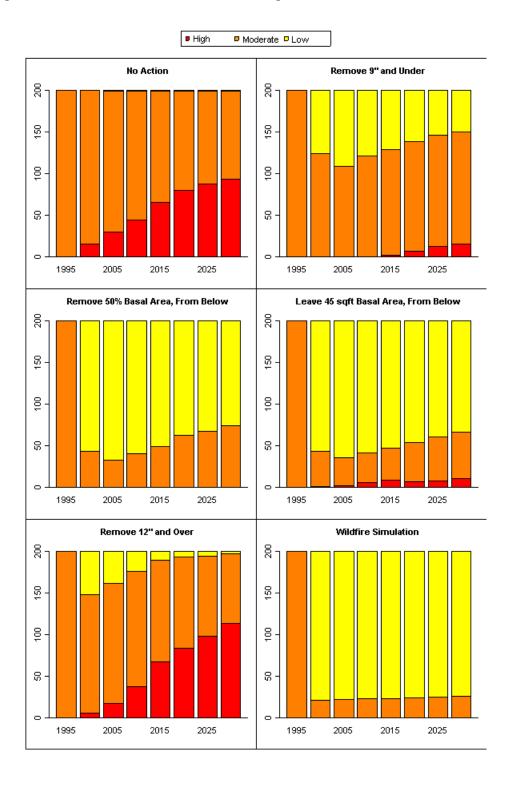
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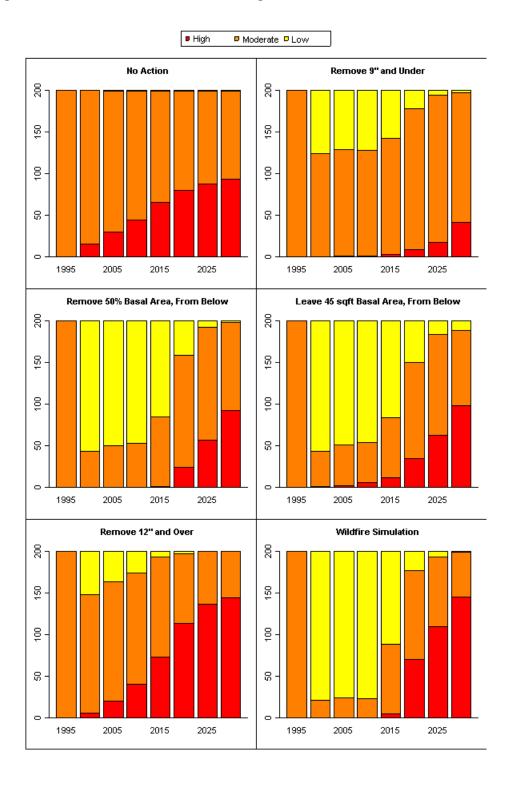
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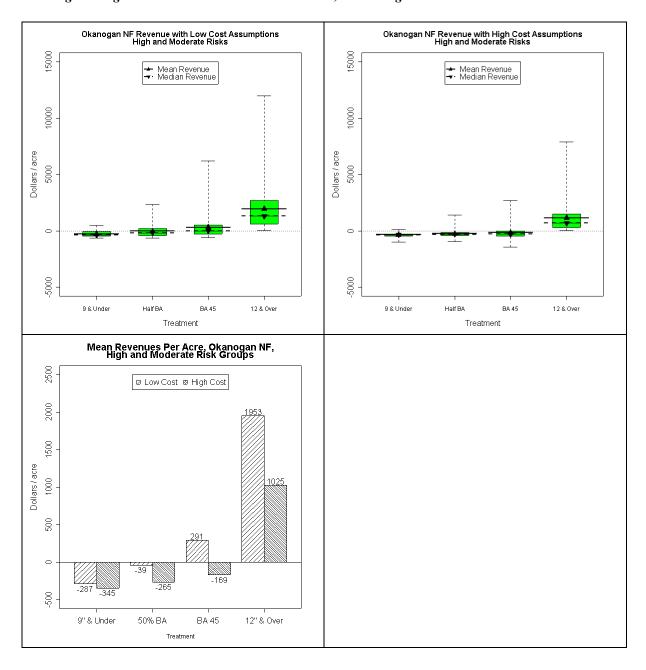
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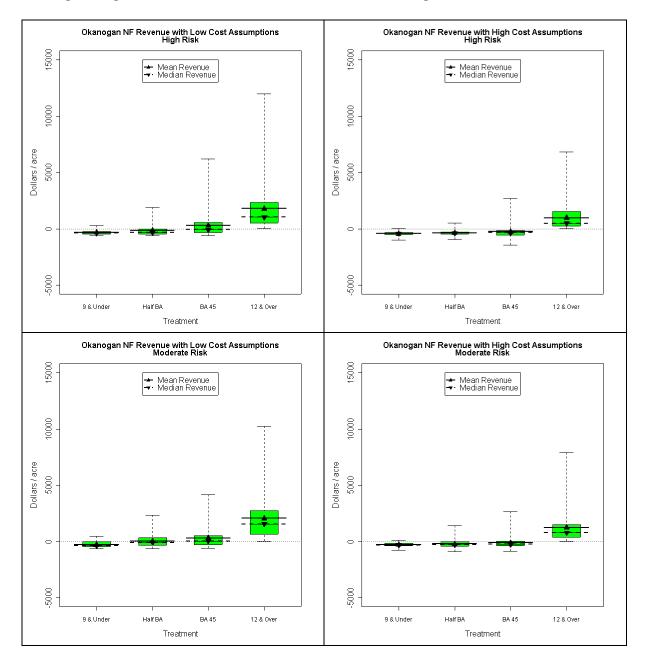
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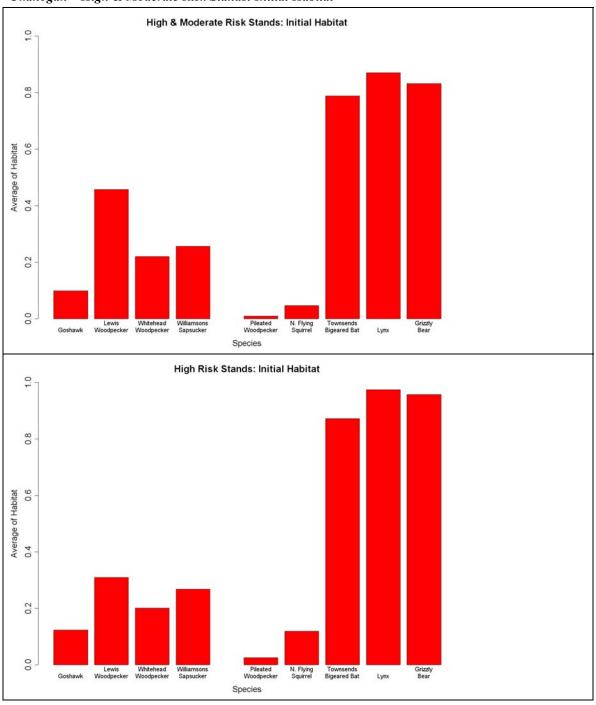
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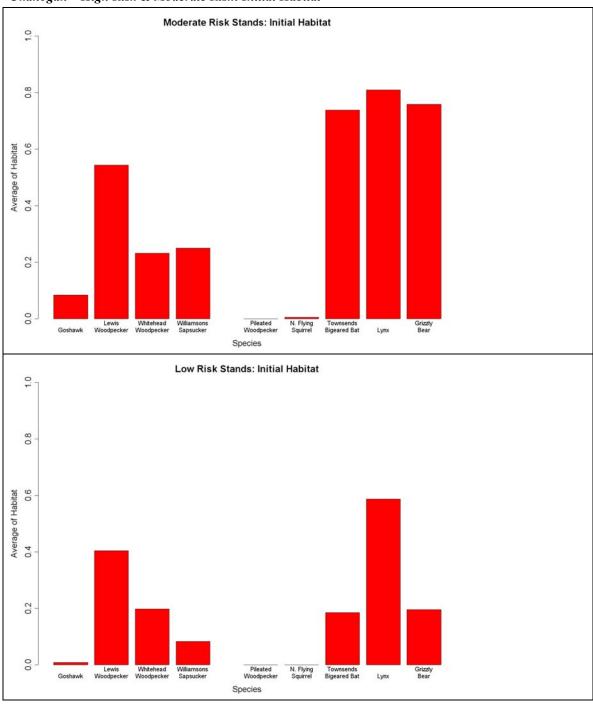
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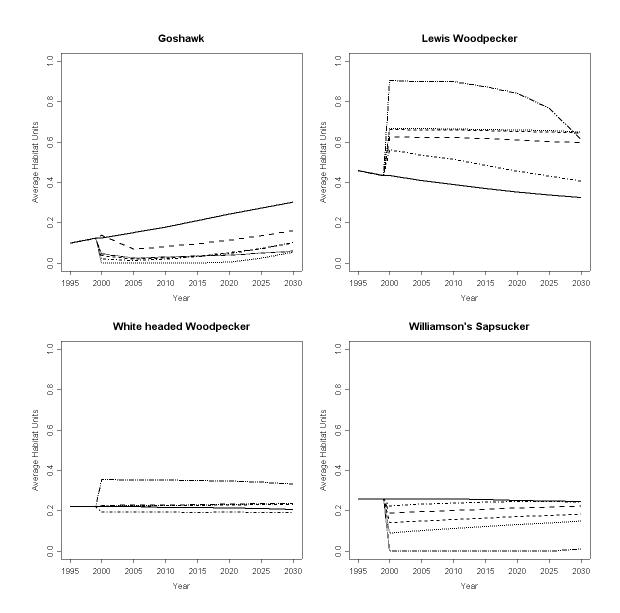
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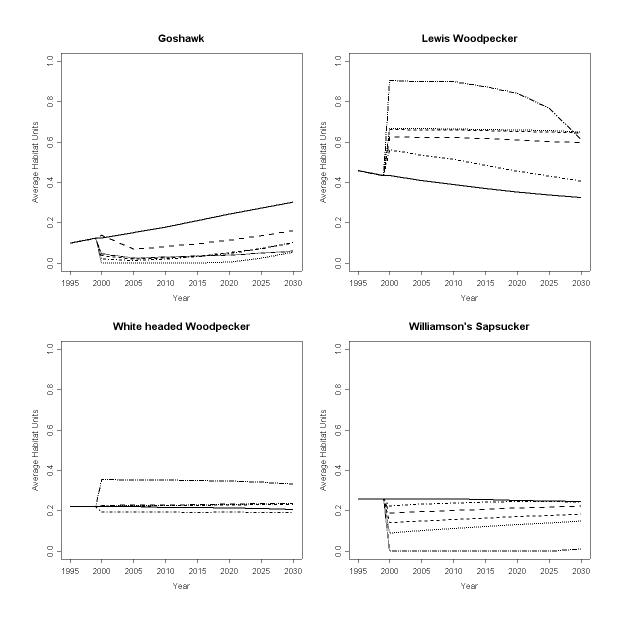
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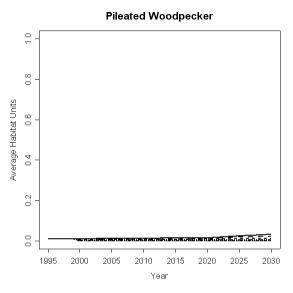
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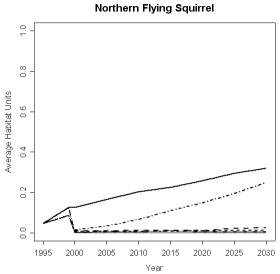


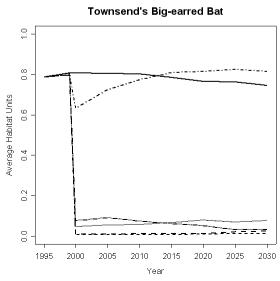
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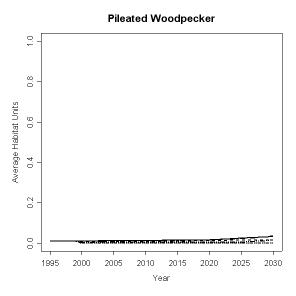


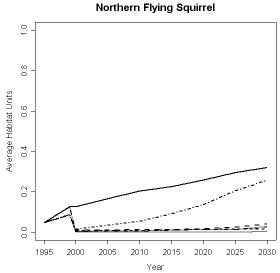


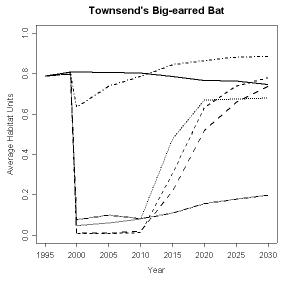


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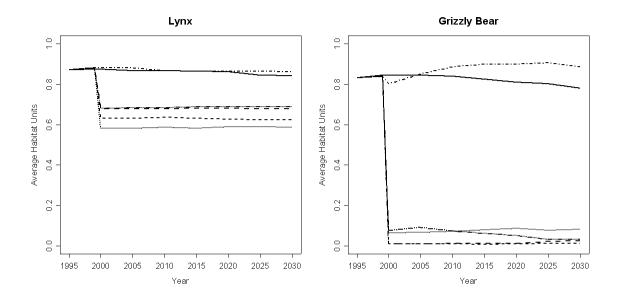




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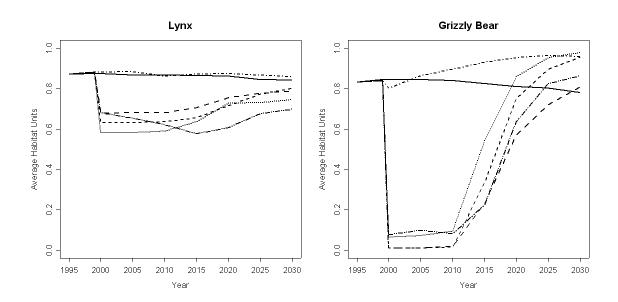
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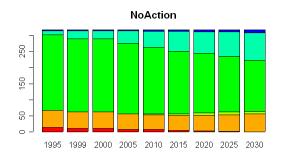
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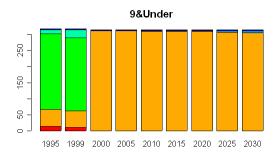
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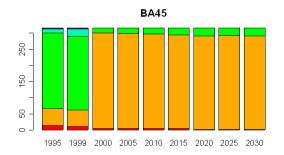


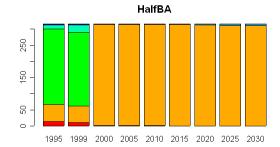
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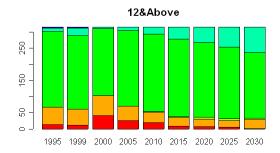


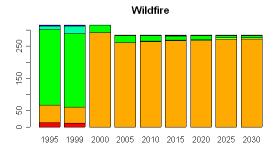






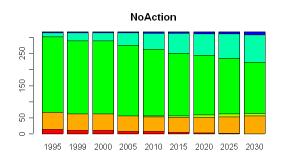


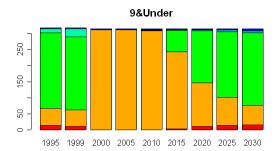


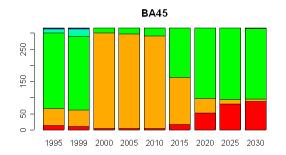


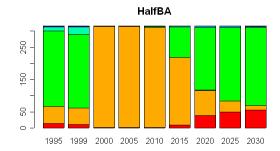
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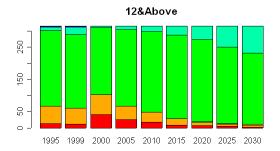


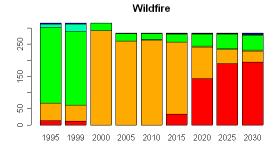








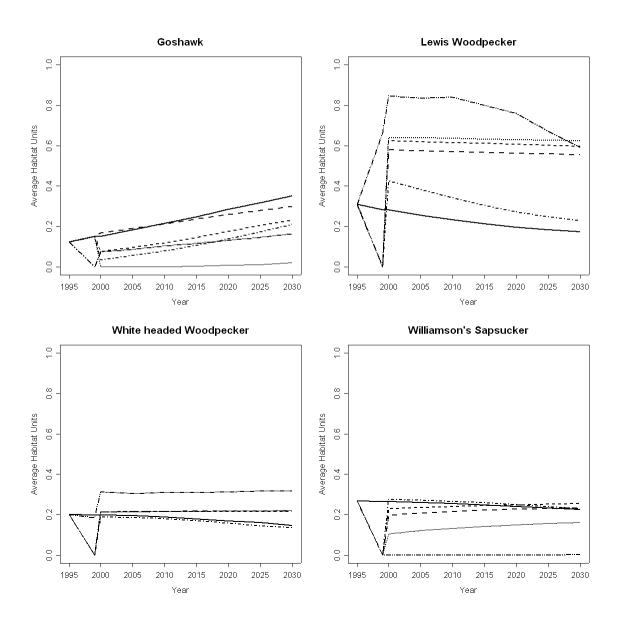




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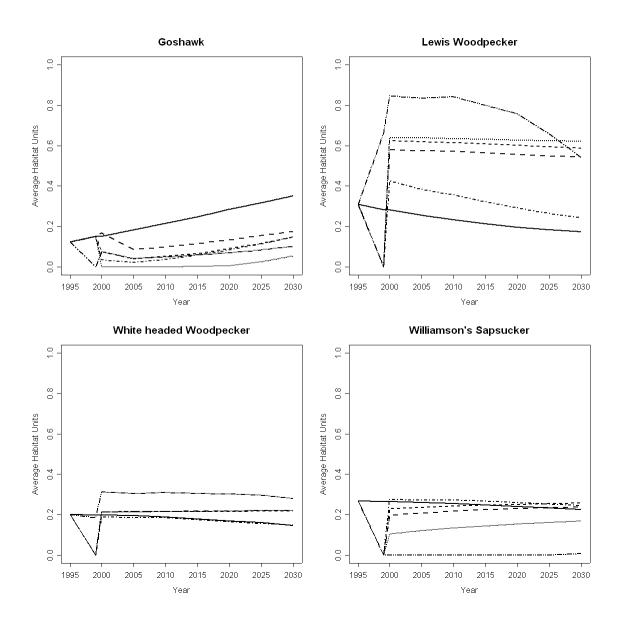
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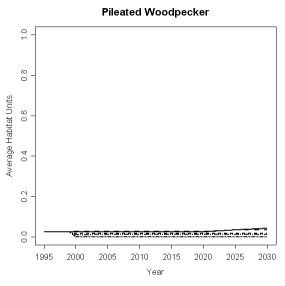
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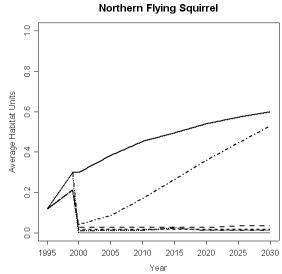


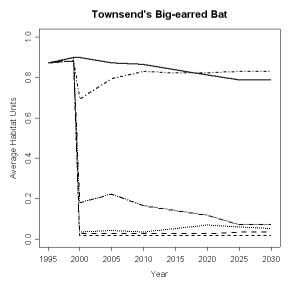
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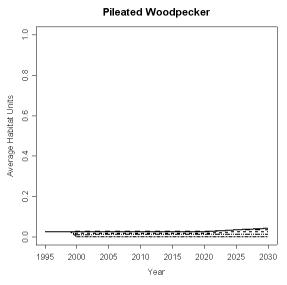


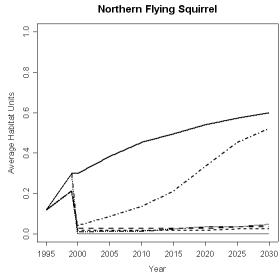


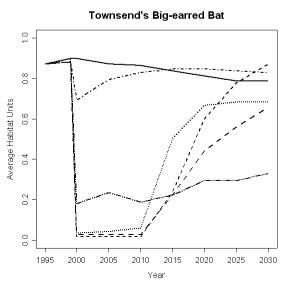
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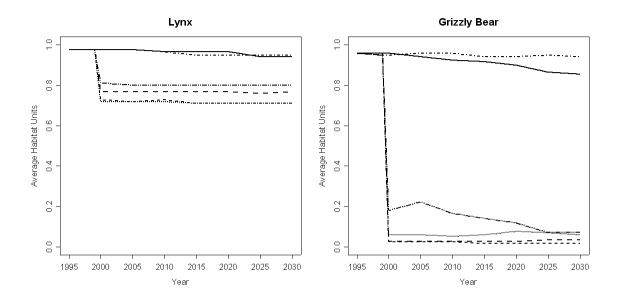




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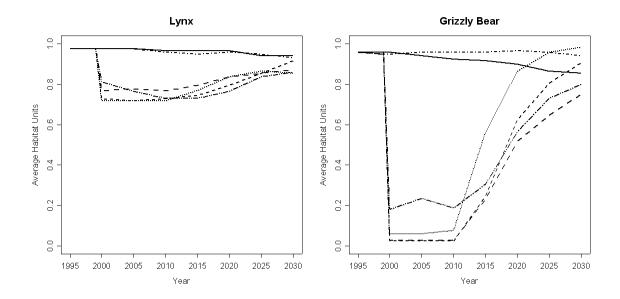
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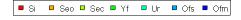
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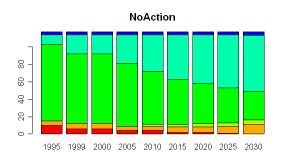
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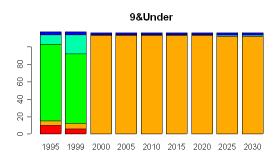
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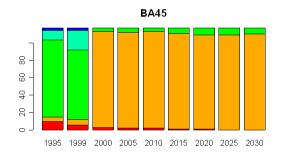


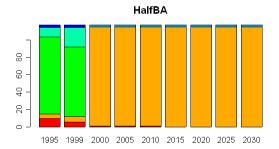
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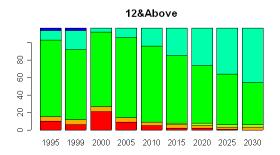


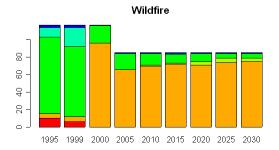




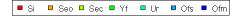


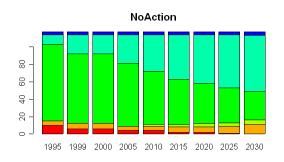


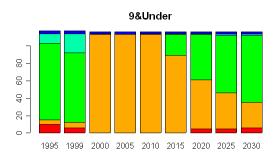


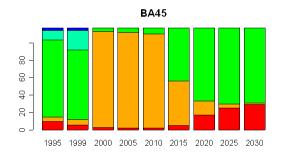


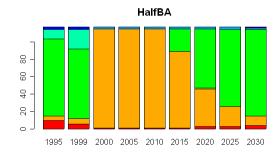
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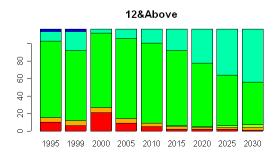


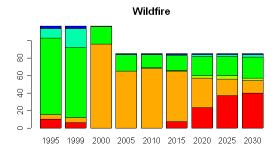






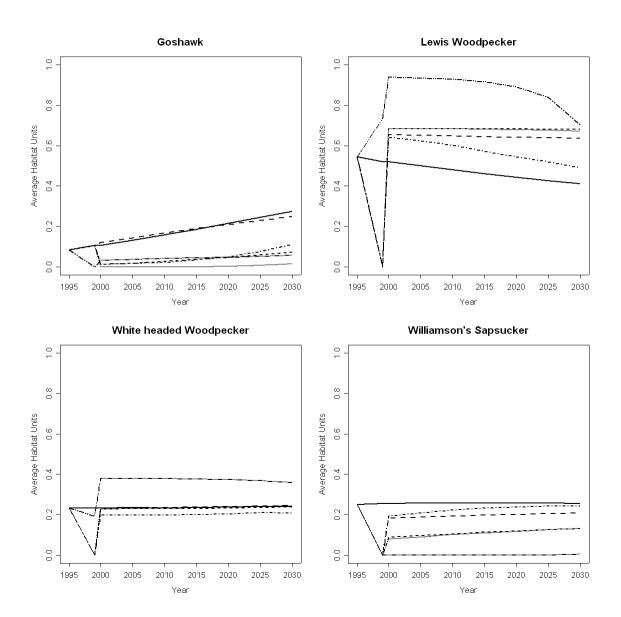






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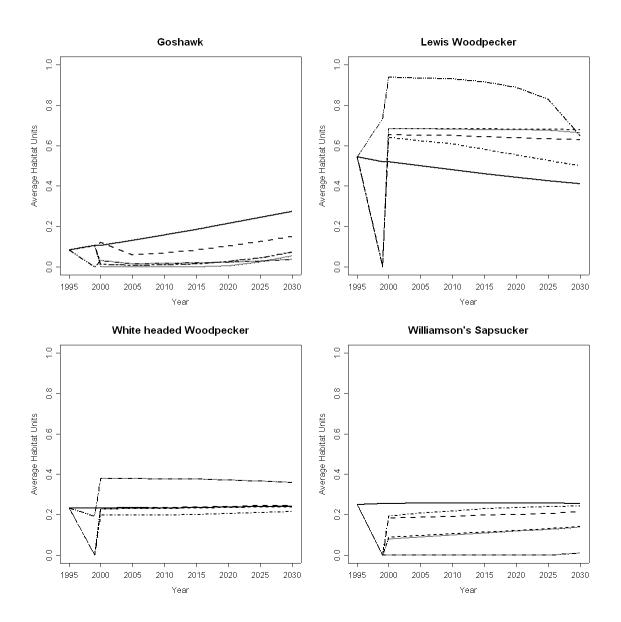
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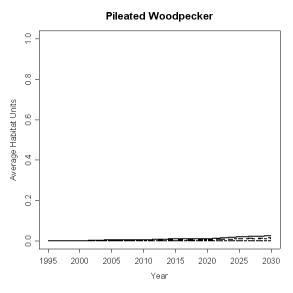
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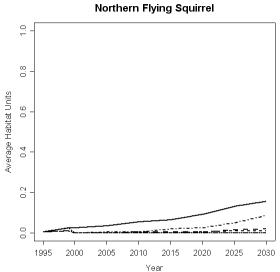


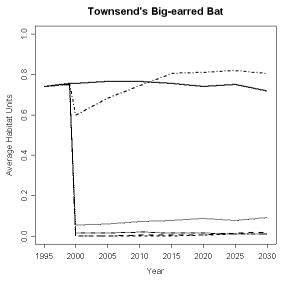
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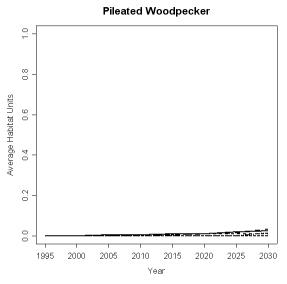


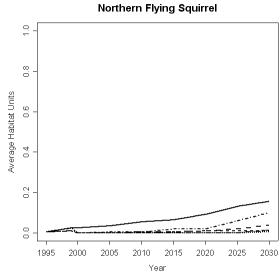


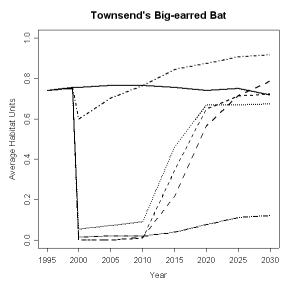
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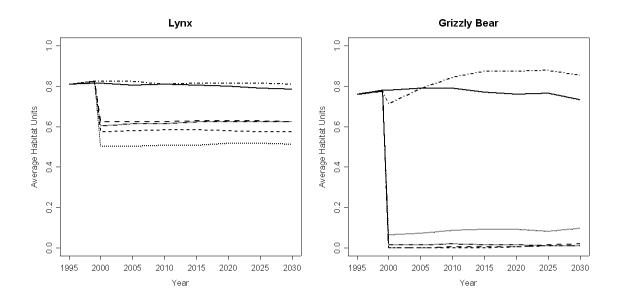




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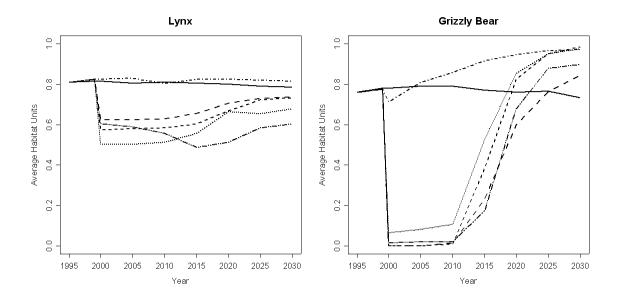
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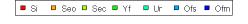
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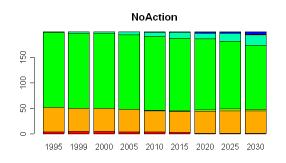
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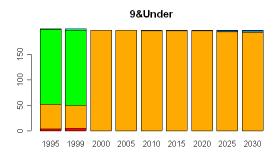
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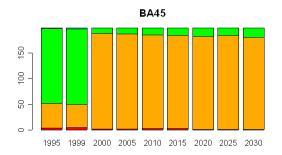


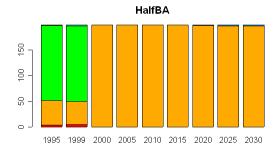
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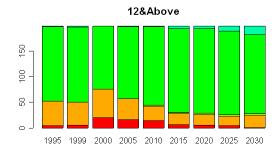


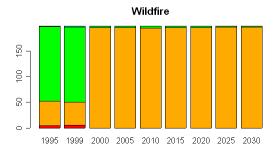






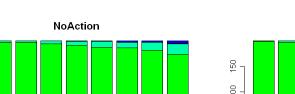


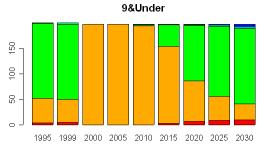


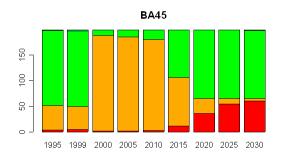


Okanogan - Moderate Risk Stands: ICBEMP Classification with regeneration

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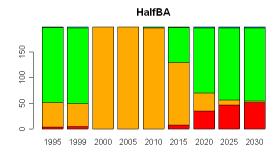


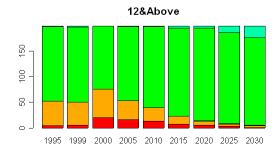
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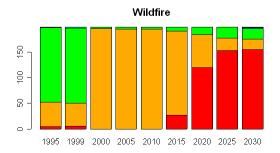
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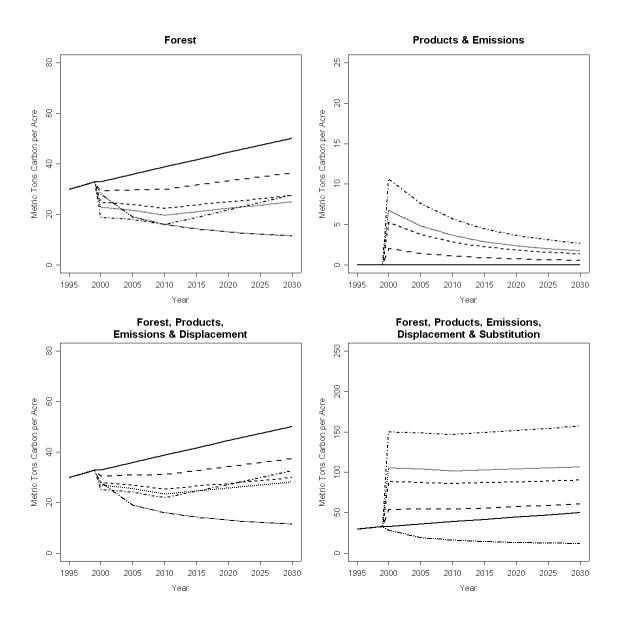






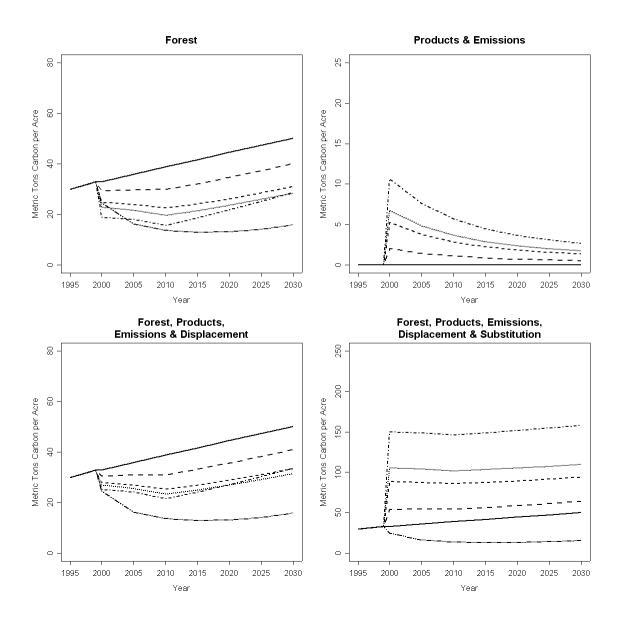
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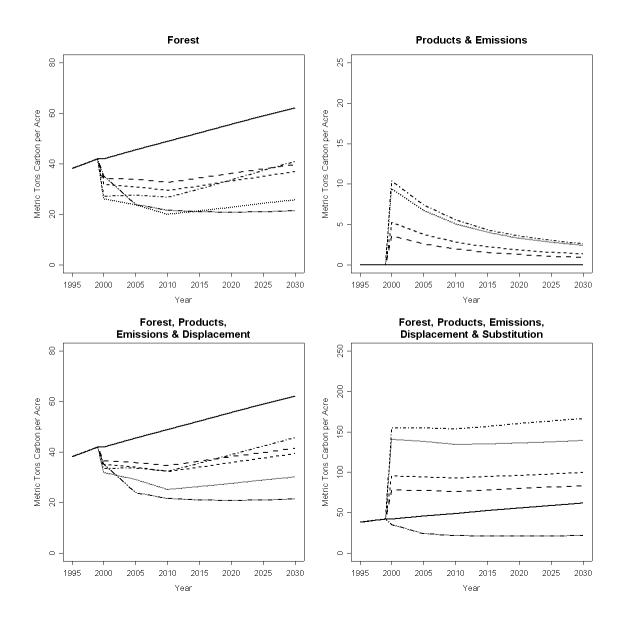
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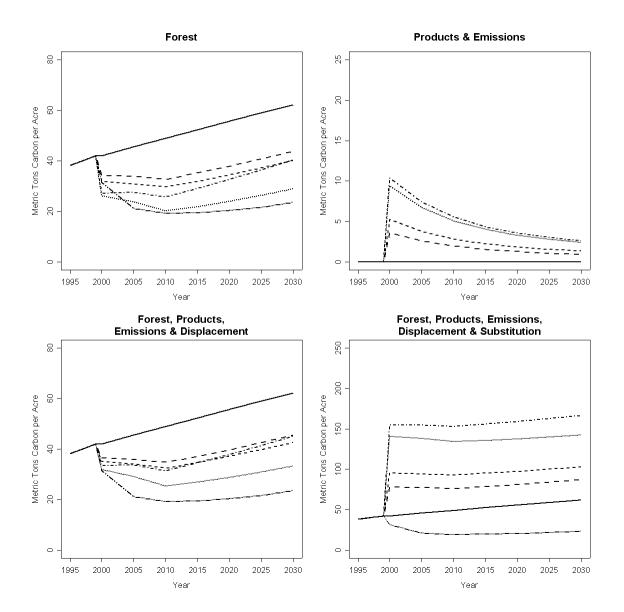
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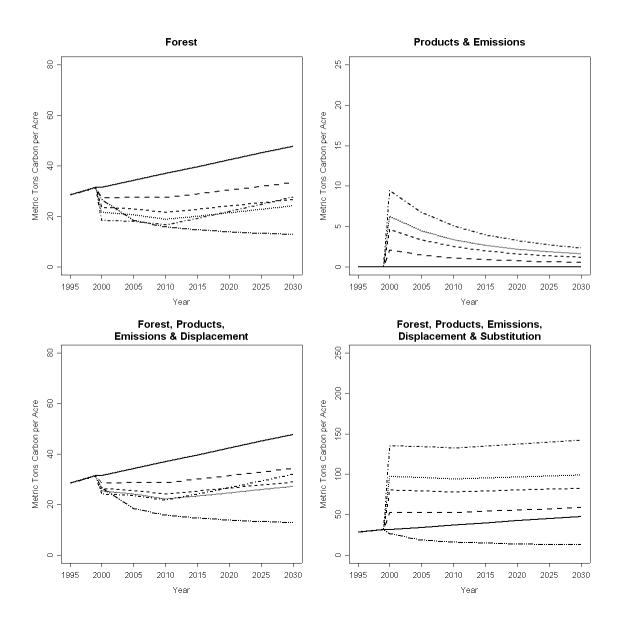
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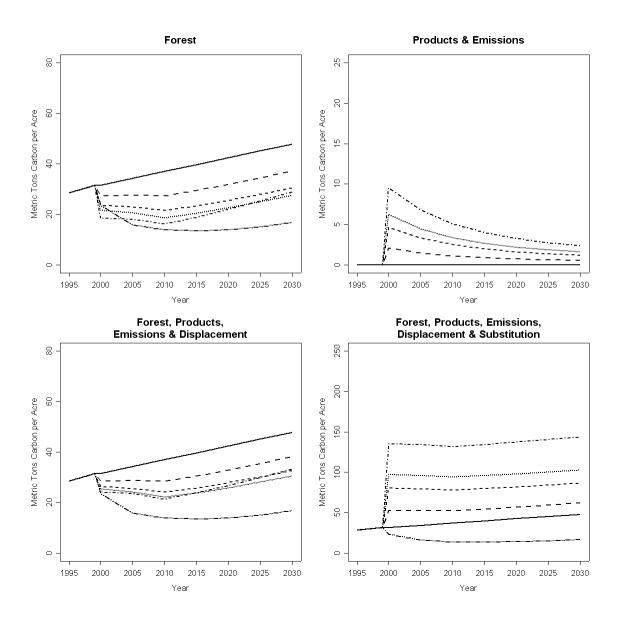
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Northern Goshawk Nesting Habitat Model - Okanogan and Fremont National Forests

VARIABLE 1 (Fremont only):

Aspect (ASP) SI =

If $0^{\circ} \le ASP \le 90^{\circ}$, or $270^{\circ} \le ASP \le 360$, then = 1

Else = 0.5

VARIABLE 2:

Okanogan:

Basal Area (BA) SI =

If BA >= 240, then = 1

If $80 \le BA \le 240$, then = (0.0063*BA) - 0.5

Else = 0.0

Fremont:

Basal Area (BA) SI =

If $BA \ge 220$, then = 1

If $60 \le BA \le 220$, then = (0.0063*BA) - 0.375

Else = 0.0

VARIABLE 3:

Quadratic Mean Diameter (QMD) SI =

If QMD \geq =16, then = 1

If $4 \le QMD \le 16$, then = (0.0833*QMD) - 0.3333

Else = 0.0

$HSI = (V2 \times V3)^{1/2}$

 $HSI = (V1 \times V2 \times V3)^{1/3}$

Lewis' Woodpecker HSI Model (Modified† From Original USFWS Model) – Okanogan and Fremont National Forests

VARIABLE 1:

Canopy Cover (CC) SI =
If CC < 30, then = 1
If 30 <= CC < 75, then = -(0.0222*CC) + 1.6667
Else = 0.0

VARIABLE 2:

*Snag Density (SNAGS) SI = If SNAGS >= 1, then = 1 If SNAGS < 1, then = SNAGS

* Number of snags (SNAGS) >= 12 inches dbh and >= 30 feet tall per acre

HSI MODEL:

HSI = MIN(V1;V2)

[†] <u>NOTE:</u> The original USFWS model (Sousa 1982) included 'percent shrub cover' as a variable. LMS does not have the ability to project shrub cover over time so this variable was removed from the model. In general, percent shrub cover is inversely related to canopy cover therefore an assumption was made that a shrub cover variable was not mandatory in this model given that canopy cover is included.

White-Headed Woodpecker HSI Model – Okanogan and Fremont National Forests

VARIABLE 1:

Aspect (ASP) \overline{SI} = If $90^{\circ} \le ASP \le 270^{\circ}$, then = 1 Else = 0.5

VARIABLE 2:

Canopy Cover (CC) SI = If $CC \le 60$, then = 1 If 60 < CC < 70, then = -(0.1*CC) + 7.0 Else = 0.0

VARIABLE 3:

*Snag Density (SNAGS) SI = If SNAGS >= 1, then = 1 If SNAGS < 1, then = SNAGS

* Number of snags (SNAGS) >= 18 inches dbh per acre; no minimum height requirement for White-headed Woodpecker.

VARIABLE 4:

**Large PIPO Density (PIPO) SI = If PIPO >= 30, then = 1 If PIPO < 30, then = (0.0267*PIPO) + 0.2

** Number of PIPO >= 14 inches dbh per acre

VARIABLE 5:

Number of *** pine species (PINUS) present SI = If PINUS >1, then = 1 If PINUS = 1, then = 0.7 If PINUS = 0, then = 0.2

*** Excluding PICO

HSI = $(V1 \times V2 \times V3 \times V4^3 \times V5)^{1/7}$

Williamson's Sapsucker HSI Model (Modified† From Original USFWS Model) - Okanogan and Fremont National Forests

VARIABLE 1:

Canopy Cover (CC) SI = If $30 \le CC \le 60$, then = 1 If 15 < CC < 30, then = (0.0667*CC) - 1.0If 60 < CC < 80, then = -(0.05*CC) + 4.0Else = 0.0

VARIABLE 2:

*Snag Density (SNAGS) SI = If SNAGS >= 1.5, then = 1 If SNAGS < 1.5, then = 0.6667*SNAGS

* Number of "suitable soft snags" (SNAGS) >= 12 inches dbh (18 inches for PIPO) and >= 15 feet tall per acre

 $HSI = (V1 \times V2)^{\frac{HSI \text{ MODEL:}}{1/2}}$

[†] NOTE: The original USFWS model (Sousa 1983) included two aspen variables (percent of area composed of aspen, average DBH of overstory aspen trees). However, use of aspen for nesting is almost exclusively seen in the Rocky Mountains - with conifers being more common in the Pacific Northwest (Crockett 1975, Sousa 1983). Therefore, the aspen variables were removed from the model.

Interior Columbia Basin Ecosystem Management Project (ICBEMP)

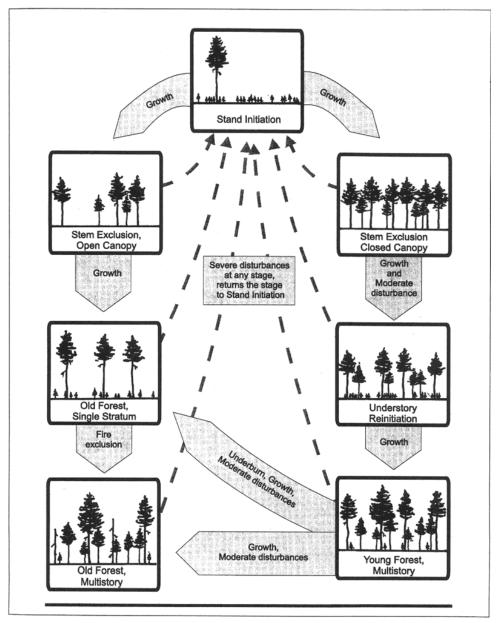


Figure 3—Illustration of forest structural stages defined in table 3 and in Hann and others (1997) that were used as part of methods to determine species relations with source habitats for 91 broad-scale species of focus.

Structural stages defined for assessing the structural features of macrovegetation across the interior Columbia basin, as adapted from Hann et al. (1997).

Structural stage	Structural stage code	Description ^a
Stand initiation	Si	LgT_cc <30% and SS_cc≥10% and [(PT_cc + SmT_cc + MedT_cc <20%) or (PT_cc + SmT_cc + MedT_cc≤60% and PT_cc + SmT_cc + MedT_cc≥20% and SmT_cc + MedT_cc<10%)]
Stem-exclusion open canopy	Seo	LgT_cc<30% and SS_cc<10% and PT_cc + SmT_cc + MedT_cc≤70%
Stem-exclusion closed canopy	Sec	LgT_cc<30% and SS_cc<10% and PT_cc + SmT_cc + MedT_cc>70%
Understory reinitiation	Ur	LgT_cc<30% and SS_cc≥10% and PT_cc + SmT_cc + MedT_cc>60%
Managed young multi- story	MYf	LgT_cc <30% and SS_cc≥10% and PT_cc + SmT_cc + MedT_cc≤60% and SmT_cc≥10% or MedT_cc≥10%. Has undergone some form of silvicultural treatment, salvage, or roading; contain relatively few large snags and trees (>53.2 cm d.b.h.)
Unmanaged young multi- story	UYf	LgT_cc <30% and SS_cc≥10% and PT_cc + SmT_cc + MedT_cc≤60% and SmT_cc≥10% or MedT_cc≥10%. Has not undergone active forms of management; contain relatively higher densities of large snags and trees (>53.2 cm d.b.h.)
Old multi-story	Ofm	LgT_cc≥30% and SS_cc + PT_cc + SmT_cc + MedT_cc>20%
Old single story	Ofs	LgT_cc≥30% and SS_cc + PT_cc + SmT_cc + MedT_cc≤20%

For assessments in this investigation, it is assumed that all young forest – multi-story stands fall into the managed young forest – multi-story classification due to past, or proposed future, management activities.

	Pacif	Pacific silver fir-mountain hemlock								Grand fir-white fir									Red fir								
Species	OFM	OFS	UR	UYF	MYF	SEC	SEO	SI	OFM	OFS	UR	UYF	MYF	SEC	SEO	SI	OFM	OFS	UR	UYF	MYF	SEC	SEO	SI			
Grizzly Bear	1	1*	1	1	1			1	1	1	1	1	1			1	1	1*	1	1	1			1			
Canada Lynx									1		1	1	1			1											
Northern Flying Squirrel	1	1*	1	1					1	1	1	1					1	1*	1	1							
Pileated Woodpecker	1	1*							1	1																	
Townsend's Big-eared Bat	1	1*	1	1	1				1	1	1	1	1				1	1*	1	1	1						

	Interi	nterior ponderosa pine							Interior Douglas-fir									Western larch							
Species	OFM	OFS	UR	UYF	MYF	SEC	SEO	SI	OFM	OFS	UR	UYF	MYF	SEC	SEO	SI	OFM	OFS	UR	UYF	MYF	SEC	SEO	SI	
Grizzly Bear	1	1	1	1	1			1	1	1	1	1	1			1	1	1	1	1	1			1	
Canada Lynx									1		1	1	1	1	1*	1	1		1	1	1			1	
Northern Flying Squirrel	1	1		1					1	1	1	1					1	1	1	1					
Pileated Woodpecker									1	1							1	1							
Townsend's Big-eared Bat	1	1	1	1	1				1	1	1	1	1				1	1	1	1	1				

	Lodge	odgepole pine						Enge	lmann	sprud	e-sub	alpine	fir		Western white pine									
Species	OFM	OFS	UR	UYF	MYF	SEC	SEO	SI	OFM	OFS	UR	UYF	MYF	SEC	SEO	SI	OFM	OFS	UR	UYF	MYF	SEC	SEO	SI
Grizzly Bear	1	1	1	1	1			1	1	1*	1	1	1			1	1	1	1	1	1			1
Canada Lynx	1		1	1	1			1	1		1	1	1	1	1*	1	1		1	1	1	1	1*	1
Northern Flying Squirrel	1	1	1	1					1	1*	1	1					1	1	1	1				
Pileated Woodpecker									1	1*							1	1						
Townsend's Big-eared Bat	1	1	1	1	1												1	1	1	1	1			

	Sierra	erra Nevada mixed conifer							West	ern re	dceda	r-wes	tern he	emloc	k	Mountain hemlock								
Species	OFM	OFS	UR	UYF	MYF	SEC	SEO	SI	OFM	OFS	UR	UYF	MYF	SEC	SEO	SI	OFM	OFS	UR	UYF	MYF	SEC	SEO	SI
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Canada Lynx									1		1	1	1											
Northern Flying Squirrel	1	1	1	1					1	1	1	1					1	1	1	1				
Pileated Woodpecker	1	1							1	1														
Townsend's Big-eared Bat	1	1	1	1	1				1	1	1	1	1				1	1	1	1	1			

Structural stage codes[†]:
OFM - Old forest multi-story

OFS - Old forest single story
UR - Understory reinitiation
UYF - Unmanaged young forest multi-story
MYF - Managed young forest multi-story

SEC - Stem exclusion closed canopy SEO - Stem exclusion open canopy

SI - Stand initiation

^{*} Data for this habitat was omitted from Wisdom et al. (2000b). Designation of source habitat here is an assumption based on habitat use patterns for the species. † Structural stages from Wisdom et al. (2000a).

APPENDIX E. EQUIPMENT INVESTMENT AND OPERATIONS COSTS

Source	Machine Type	Make and model	\$/hr	\$ Investment
Jertsen,02		John Deere 490, Fab tek processing head, tilt trailer		\$87,000
	Stroke Delimber			\$300,000
Coulter,02	Ground	ATV Forwarding Arch		\$1,500
	Cut to length harvester	Timberjack Harvester and 1210 Forwarder		\$900,000
	Mastication head	Fecon Bullhog mounted on ASV		40-60,000
	Mastication head	HD420B Mastication Head mounted on excavator		\$168,900
Keatly,02	Feller Buncher	Timbco T-445C w/Quadco 22" head	\$110	
	Chain Saw	Stihl .044	\$27	
	Cut to length harvester	Valmet 500T w/Valmet 965 dangle head	\$131	
	Excavator	Kobelco Mark IV SK200LC w/Keto 500 dangle head	\$104	
	Forwarder	Valmet 892	\$113	
	Grapple Skidder	CAT 518C w/swing grapple	\$69	
Shepard,02	timco and track		\$120	
Zapel, 02	Single grip harvesters head		\$312	\$700,000
	Rubber tired single grip harvesters head		\$188	\$300,000
	Cut to length harvester	Valmet 500-T track model	\$250	\$400,000
	Forwarder used for thinning		\$150	\$200,000
	Excavator for road building or loading		\$100	\$150,000