

Lesson 1: Introduction of the Topic and Format of the Session



30 minutes

Lesson Objectives

- ▲ To provide the format of the session (timeline)
- ▲ To provide an outline of the information that will be covered – *Guidelines for Stand Density Management Regimes*, the related chief forester’s policy and pertinent regulations
- ▲ To provide clear expectations for the participants of this session.

Method: Introduce Topic and Timetable – Lecturette

- ▲ Go over the session outline
- ▲ Describe the intent of the session
- ▲ Introduce the three components that will be covered – guidelines, policy, and regulations
- ▲ Go over the contents of their binder. It has been created as a place to store relevant information on density management.

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| Session Outline | |
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| 8:30 – 9:00 | Introduction of the topic and format of the session |
| 9:00 – 9:30 | The Guidelines – An introduction |
| 9:30 – 11:00 | Biological Concepts of Timber Production – A quick review |
| 11:00 – 11:30 | Economic Principles of Timber Production – An overview |
| 11:30 – 12:00 | Forest Planning Considerations – What is out there? |
| <i>Lunch</i> | |
| 1:00 – 2:00 | Decision Process |
| 2:00 – 3:30 | Policy and Regulations |

Coffee will be provided at 9:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.

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