

# WILDLIFE DAMAGE ISSUES AND SOLUTIONS

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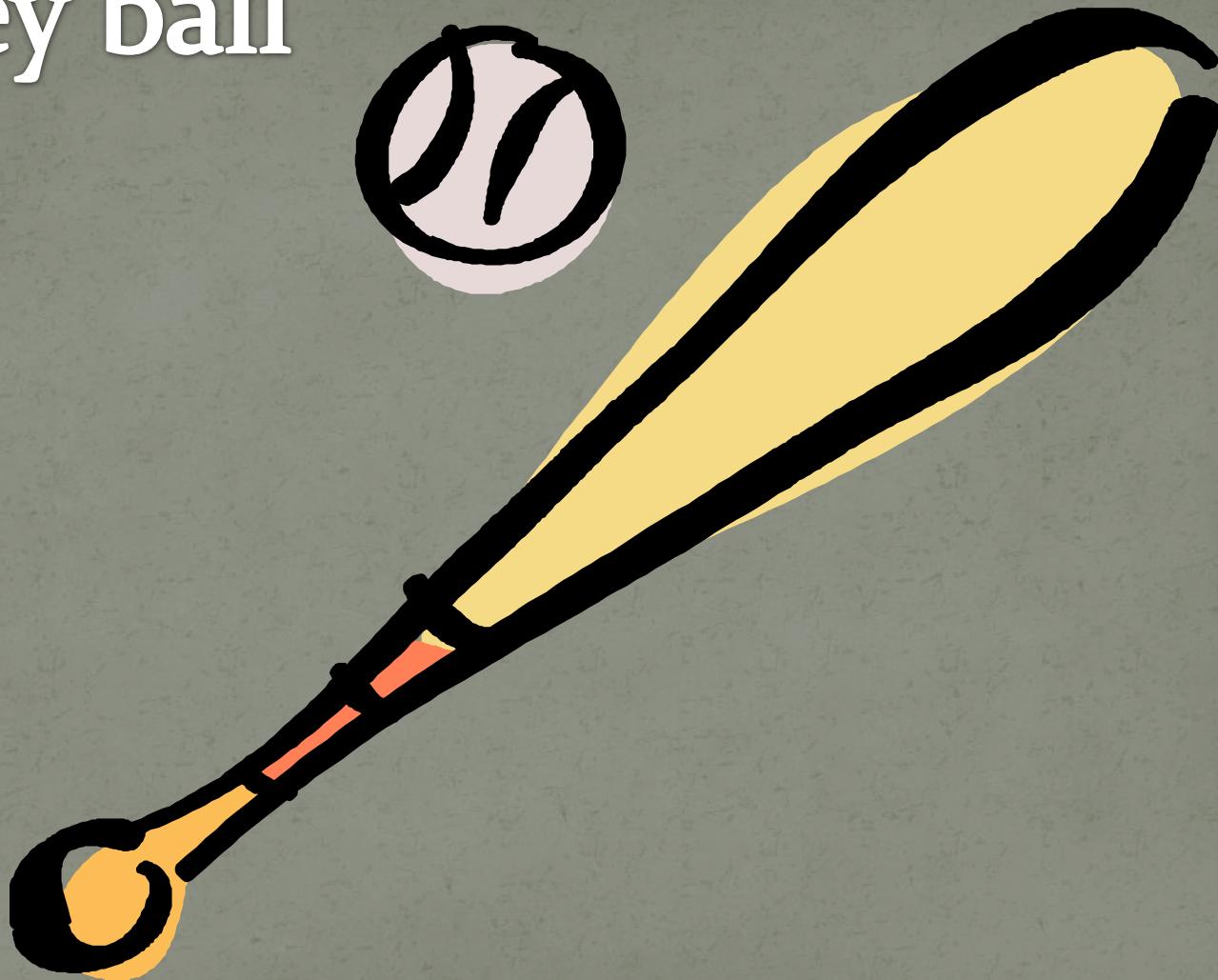
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# The Natural



# Money ball



# Something About The Curve



- The Best Growing – First  
(Sugars)

- Trees Per Acre  
(Trees Fall Over)

- Time  
(Multiple Hits)

- Gaps  
(Knot Size)

- Damage Not Uniform  
(Models miss this)
- Upper Stem & Lower Stem

# ANIMAL DAMAGE IN FORESTRY



06/08/2011

# IDENTIFYING DAMAGE

ELK



BEAR



BEAVER



# RIVER BEAVER

FLOW DEVICES DON'T  
ALWAYS WORK



# HABITAT IS THE KEY

POOR HABITAT FOR BEAVER

# MATURE BUFFER AREA

## POOR FOR BEAVER



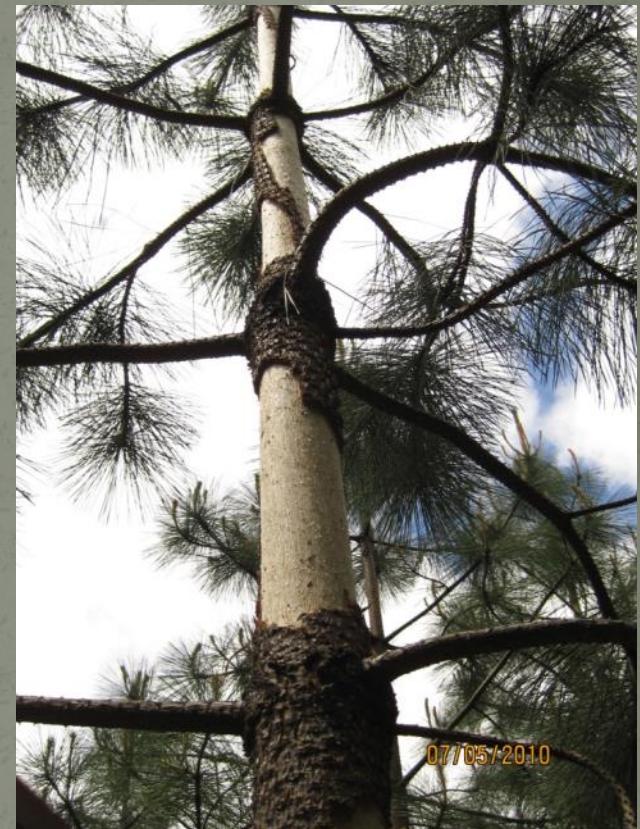
# SQUIRREL



# Squirrel Chips

07/05/2010

# SILVER GREY SQUIRREL





# PORCUPINE





# Porcupine solutions

- REMOVE PILES
- NIGHT HUNTING LATE SUMMER
- SELECTIVE TRAPPING MID TO LATE WINTER
- BLACKBERRIES
- APPLES, APPLE OIL,



# BEAR



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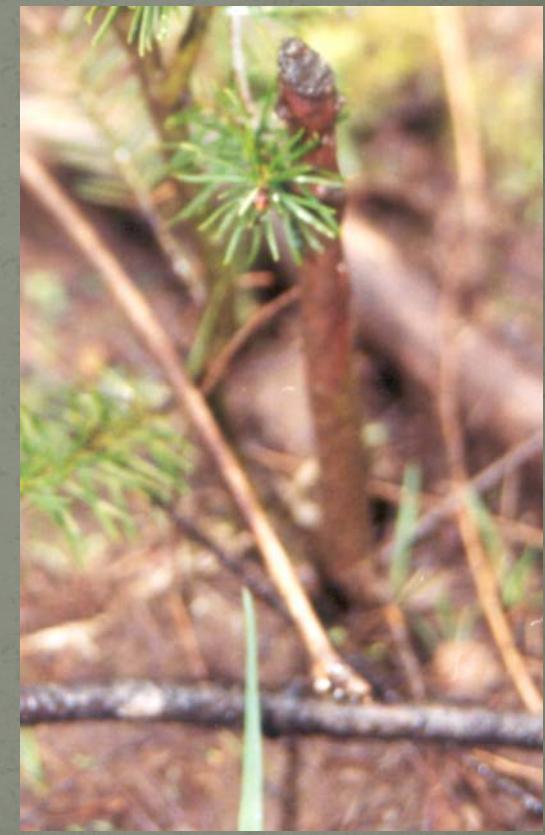


# THE ART OF SEEING

COUGAR

BEAR

BOOMER



# Trapping Ban Initiative

- NOVEMBER 2014
- , "Bans commercial, recreational trapping; trading in resultant fur/body parts; poisoning mammals; body-gripping traps".

# ROSS DAY ATTORNEY

- “The primary purpose, the thread that binds all of the Petition, the true subject matter of the Petition is the complete and total ban of the trapping of predatory animals by private individuals. Importantly, the Petition creates an exception to the ban for trapping activities conducted by the government”.
- PLEASE GET INVOLVED!