

RED MAPLE

Optimal Cutting Recommendations for Wildlife Habitat

Use even-age management.

Cuts can range from 5 to 30 acres

Whole tree harvest is preferred.

Use a 100-year rotation age with entries every 10 to 15 years.

Let 10 percent of the type go to 150 years before rotating

In larger cut blocks (>10 acres), leave patches of uncut trees, about a third of an acre for every ten acres of clearcut.

Avoid entry during nesting season - April to June