Forest Carbon Outreach



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Landowners

The Forest Stewardship Continuum

Planning

Management

Advanced

Topics



Education

Northeast Forest Carbon & Climate Partnership

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Forest Carbon Science

Forest Carbon Management ~

Forest Carbon Markets v

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Additional Resources ~

Northeast Forest Carbon and Climate Partnership

The Northeast Forest Carbon and Climate Partnership is a collaborative initiative between the University of Vermont Extension and state forestry agencies across New England and New York. The partnership is supported by funding from the North East State Foresters Association and the USDA Forest Service.

Northeast Forest Carbon & Climate Partnership northeastforestcarbon.org

Webinars

- Forest Carbon and Climate Adaptation Webinar Specifically for Forest Landowners
- The Science of Forest Carbon
- The Science of Forest Carbon Management
- Forest Carbon Markets Overview and NRCS Forest Carbon Opportunities
- Forest Carbon Project Developers



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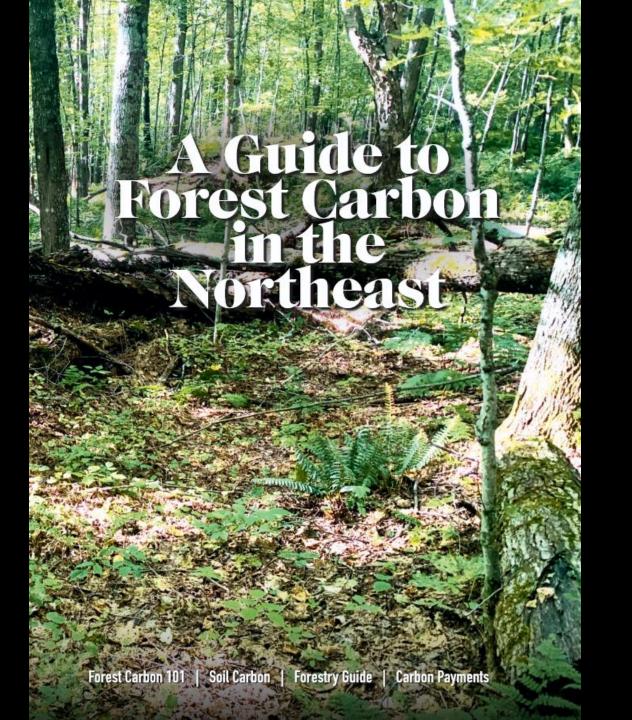
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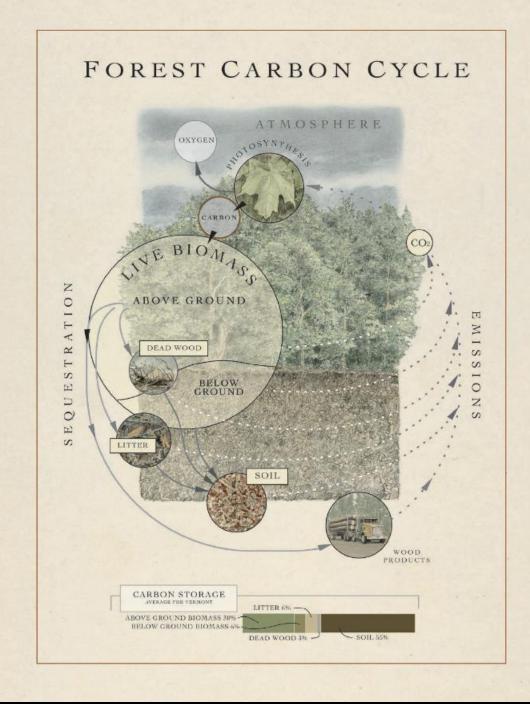
Simple Basal Area to Tons of Carbon Estimator from the Massachusetts Dept. of Conservation and Recreation

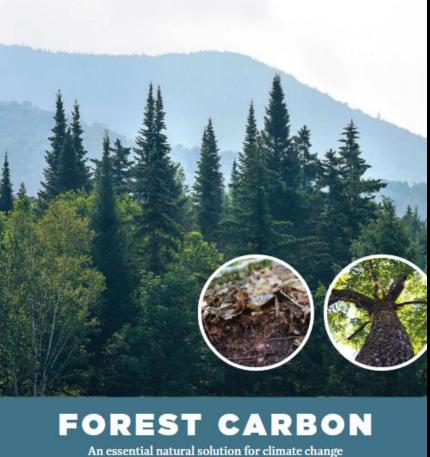
With thanks to William Van Doren, biometrician of the Massachusetts Dept. of Conservation and Recreation, this new carbon estimating tool does so using data from the USDA Forest Service Forest Inventory and Analysis along with the selection of the ecological region subsection in which the forest stand you wish to estimate forest carbon for resides. Follow the steps below to estimate carbon in above and below ground live tree biomass in trees 1° or more in diameter. The result is in metric tons (1 short ton (2,000 lbs) = .9072 metric tons).

Step 1 - Choose your ecoregion subsection (the numeric/alpha code) from the map below (or click HERE for a PDF that you can enlarge):





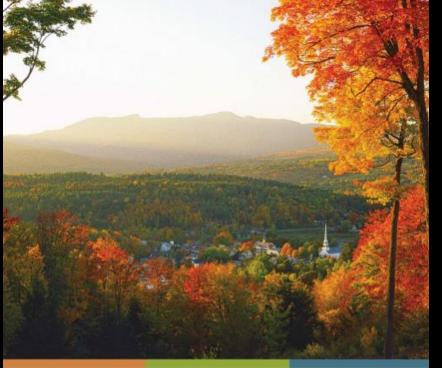




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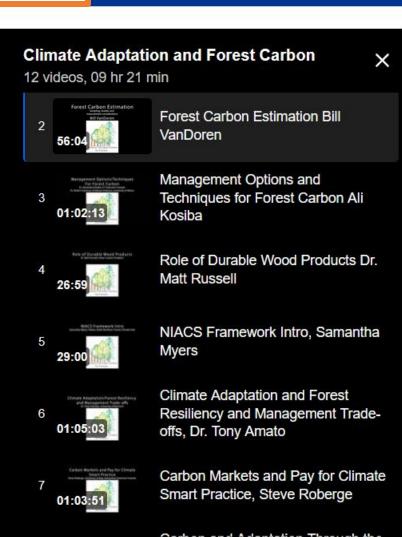
https://extension.unh.edu/northeast-silviculture-institute-foresters

Forest Carbon Estimation

Sampling, models, and measurement considerations

Bill VanDoren





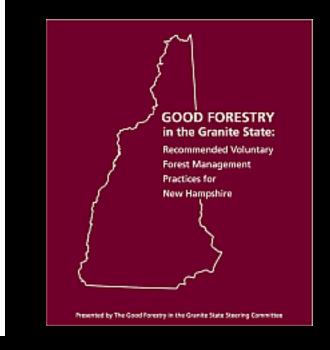
Good Forestry in the Granite State - 3rd Edition Revision



CLIMATE AND FORESTS

TOPICS IN THIS SECTION

- 8.1 Effects of Climate Change on Forests
- 8.2 Forest Carbon
- 8.3 Managing for Forest Resilience
- 8.4 Forest Carbon Markets



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