



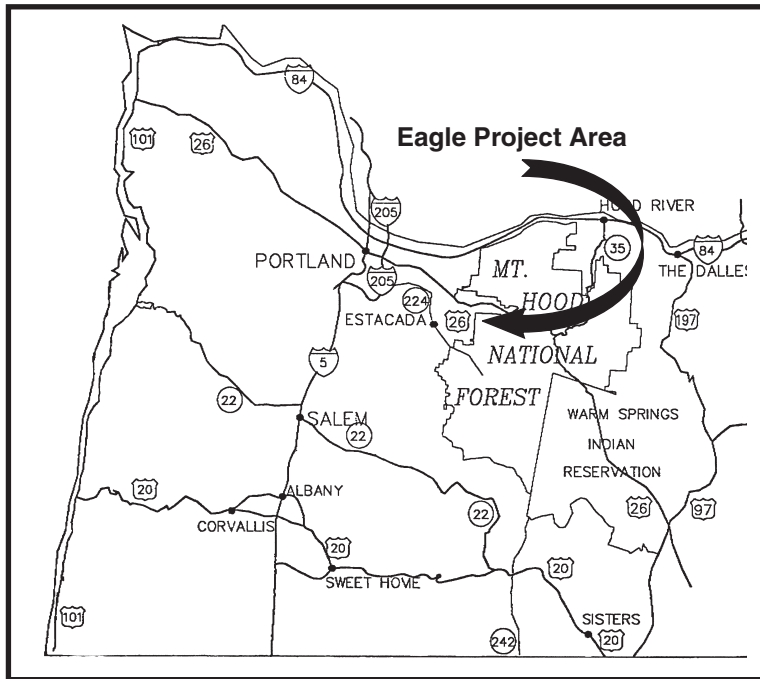
# Eagle Environmental Impact Statement FACT SHEET



**July 2000**

Timber Sales .....	Eagle, Beagle, Talon & Claw
Total Sale Volume .....	28 million board feet (four sales): Eagle - 5.7 mmbf (95% completed) Beagle - 6.2 mmbf (30% completed) Talon - 13.3 mmbf (0% completed) Claw - 2.8 mmbf (completed in 1997)
Objectives .....	Improve forest health, enhance wildlife habitat and structural diversity, provide timber for local mills, resource restoration projects
Type of Sales .....	Green (not salvage)
Average Harvest Tree .....	110-130 years, 18" diameter
Harvest Units .....	Commercial thinnings (868 acres), "individual tree selection" units (37 acres), shelterwoods (125 acres)
Old Growth .....	No individual trees, stands or patches cut (of trees greater than 200 years)
Clearcuts .....	None
Northern Spotted Owls .....	None
Harvest in Matrix .....	1030 acres
Harvest in Late-Successional Reserves .....	None
Harvest in Riparian Reserves .....	None
Yarding Methods .....	Helicopter (721 acres), skyline (260 acres), tractor (49 acres)
Wilderness .....	2 thinning units adjacent to Salmon-Huckleberry Wilderness
Visuals .....	Views from Old Baldy Trail #502 and #502A to remain natural to casual observer
Restoration .....	4 acres of bare ground revegetated; recontouring, resurfacing and revegetating cutbanks on Forest Road 4614180
New Road .....	1.2 miles (outside Roadless Area) to be built, then obliterated
Closed/Obliterated Road .....	5 miles
1995-1996 Flood Damage .....	Forest Road 4615011 (due to rutting)

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*This is a forest stand in the Eagle project area. Note low structural density.*



*Here is a nearby area 10 years after being harvested. The Eagle project area should look like this after harvest: an increase in structural diversity good for wildlife.*

# Eagle Timber Sale

**... An excellent example of Ecosystem Management**



*The Eagle Timber Sale showing the area recently harvested (to the right of the road) compared to the areas not harvested.*



*The Forest looks like a forest after timber harvest.*

*Timber harvest aimed at enhancing forest health, wildlife habitat and watershed quality can maintain a visually pleasing forest landscape.*



*Eagle sales area before harvest.*



*After harvest can you see the newly harvested areas?*



*The outlined areas identify units where harvest is completed.*

*Another bird's eye view of how Eagle sales maintain a forested setting before harvest.*



*Eagle sale units after harvest. Can you see the new units?*



*The outlined areas identify the newly harvested, completed areas.*



# Eagle Timber Sales

## CHRONOLOGY OF ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES



June 1998	Protesters cut the gate (near/at sale site) and closed it. 3 arrests.
June 1998	Protesters dug into asphalt (near/at sale site) and chained themselves to 50 gallon barrels filled with concrete. 5 arrests.
April 1999	Tree sitters are found in unit 2 of Eagle sale. This is an illegal activity that damages the trees, creates trash, tramples undergrowth and causes sanitation problems. Occupants notified of illegal activity by Forest Service Law Enforcement Officers.
June 1999	Protesters build a bipod in the road at the sale site. They cut trees in the riparian area. 2 arrests.
July 1999	Protesters dug into the road surface and filled the hole with concrete at sale site. They cut riparian trees and brought in extensive building materials. These were illegal activities, but no arrests were made. Occupants notified of illegal activity by Forest Service Law Enforcement Officers.
July 1999	Protesters build bipod and erect hanging structure on road 4614 at the Talon Sale site. These were illegal activities, but no arrests were made. Occupants notified of illegal activity by Forest Service Law Enforcement Officers.
September/October 1999	Forest Service personnel found 11 intentionally blocked culverts located on closed roads behind road area blocked by protesters. No notification or arrests made due to lack of evidence.
May 10, 2000	Protesters set up pod on road 4614 at gate and established "action" campsite. This is an illegal activity that damages the trees, creates trash, tramples undergrowth and causes sanitation problems. Occupants notified of illegal activity by Forest Service Law Enforcement Officers.
May 28, 2000	Protesters set up second pod on road 4615 and establish smaller base camp on site. This is an illegal activity that damages the trees, creates trash, tramples undergrowth and causes sanitation problems. Occupant received notification on 5/10/00 of illegal activity.
June 5, 2000	Potentially harmful, overhead devices discovered at pods and anchor trees. If dislodged, pose serious safety risk to anyone on the ground below.
June 21, 2000	Illegal tree sitters continue to occupy trees in Eagle Unit 2.
July 7-10, 2000	Closure order issued to Roads 4614 and 4615, and associated illegal camps. Illegal protestors, structures, and camps removed from Roads 4614 and 4615. Two people arrested, 8 people cited and released, 9 people left camps on own accord following notification.