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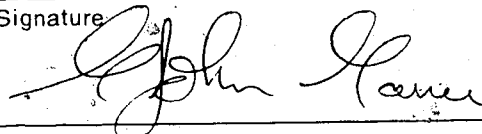
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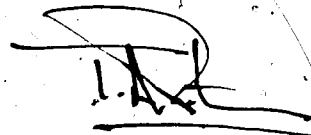
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ABSTRACT

A methodology is described for identifying least-cost forest harvesting systems using shortest path network analysis. Components of the harvesting system are depicted in the form of a directed, acyclic network describing the sequence of alternative methods for satisfying the system's objectives. Nodes in the network represent completed operations (events). Arcs joining the nodes have values (durations) representing the cost of the event. The optimal (least-cost) and near-optimal forest harvesting systems are found by selecting and ranking by lowest total cost, different paths through the network.

A package of computer programs, written in BASIC for a Hewlett-Packard 9845B mini-computer, was developed for implementing the methodology. Routines aid in the definition of the network, and input of variables for each activity. Activity durations, measured in dollars per cubic metre of wood produced, were calculated from estimates of hourly costs and production for specified conditions. A before-tax cash flow model calculates activity costs on an annual equivalent cost basis. Productivity is determined using prediction equations to estimate activity cycle times for the conditions.

Sample application of the methodology is made to identify the cheapest system for logging and transporting tree-length material to a processing plant under Eastern Canadian conditions. The optimal system, a swather-type feller-primary transporter presently under development combined with roadside flail limbing, was significantly cheaper than alternative systems. The optimal system selected was found to be insensitive to fuel prices with fuel prices up to double

present costs. Sensitivity analysis was also used to identify the least-cost harvesting systems under a range of tree diameters and stand volumes. The swather system was best under most tested conditions. However, with large tree sizes and low stand volumes, a system with a tractor-mounted shear, tracked grapple skidding and roadside flail limbing produced the lowest costs. A manual felling system produced the lowest costs with medium sized trees (24 cm DBH) and low stand volumes.

Shortest path network analysis was found to be a useful method of designing forest harvesting systems. The ability to identify both optimal and near-optimal systems is important when the differences between most systems are as small as those observed in the case study. The technique's biggest advantage is that many more alternatives than would usually be evaluated, can be examined quickly and in a manner which permits easy comprehension by non-technical personnel.

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LIST OF SYMBOLS

SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION
A	- availability (decimal %)
APTD	- average primary transport distance (m)
CC _j	- capital cost in year "j" (\$/PMH)
CRF	- capital recovery factor
CT	- cycle time (cmin/cycle)
CW	- wood cost (\$/m ³)
DBH	- diameter breast height (cm)
D _{ij}	- duration of path between nodes "i" and "j"
DIST	- primary transport distance (m)
DISTRCl	- secondary transport distance on road class one
DISTRc2	- secondary transport distance on road class two
DISTRc3	- secondary transport distance on road class three
DR	- depreciation rate (decimal %)
DSH	- diameter stump height (cm)
EAC	- equivalent annual cost (\$/PMH)
EF	- productivity adjustment factor for environmental conditions
FBF	- fringe benefit factor
FC	- fuel costs (\$/PMH)
FP	- fuel price (\$/litre)
FS	- coefficient of skidding friction
GHP	- gross engine horsepower (kW)
HCF	- hydraulic complexity factor
HCOSt	- hourly cost for an activity (\$/PMH)
HPROD	- hourly productivity for an activity (m ³ /PMH)
I	- interest rate (decimal %)
IC	- insurance costs (\$/PMH)
LC	- licencing costs (\$/PMH)
LF	- load factor
MA	- mechanical availability (decimal %)
MC	- manpower costs (\$/PMH)
ML	- merchantable tree-length (m)
MN	- maximum number of nodes on a path

SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION
MTBR	- mean time between repairs (PMH)
MTTR	- mean time to repair (SMH)
MV	- merchantable volume per tree (m^3)
NA	- number of activities in network
NMD	- non-mechanical delay time (SMH)
NN	- number of nodes in network
NP	- number of least-cost paths to be selected
NSV	- number of sets of standard variables
NT	- number of trees per cycle
NTPH	- number of trees per hectare
OC _j	- hourly operating costs in year "j" (\$/PMH)
OE	- operational effectiveness (decimal %)
OLC	- oil and lubricant costs (\$/PMH)
OP	- operator performance factor
P	- proportion of payload supported by skidder
PACKINGFT	- portion of grapple area occupied by full-tree stems (decimal %)
PACKINGTL	- portion of grapple area occupied by tree-length stems (decimal %)
PMH	- productive machine hours
PP	- purchase price (\$)
Q	- quantity produced per cycle
R	- rolling resistance coefficient
RC	- repair costs (\$/PMH)
RCF	- repair cost factor
SFC	- specific fuel consumption (kg/kW. hr)
SHY	- scheduled hours per year
SLOPE	- % slope
SMH	- scheduled machine hours
SV _j	- salvage value in year "j"
T	- traction coefficient
TE	- tractive effort (kg)
TW	- tare weight (kg)
U	- utilization (decimal %)
VPH	- volume per hectare (m^3/ha)

SYMBOL

DESCRIPTION

W	- operator wage (\$/SMH)
WM	- time spent waiting for mechanics or repair facilities (SMH)
WP	- time spent waiting for repair parts (SMH)
WTFT	- weight of full-trees (kg)
WTTL	- weight of tree-lengths (kg)
σ_j	- duration of shortest path at node "j"
μ	- fuel density (kg/litre)

1. INTRODUCTION

Since the invention of the axe, increasingly sophisticated machines and systems have been developed for harvesting wood fibre from forested lands. Logging management personnel must select that combination of harvesting equipment which is best suited to the particular operating environment from the array of alternative harvesting systems which have been or could be developed¹.

The best system for any specific operating environment, whether physical, economic or social, can only be identified after all possible methods of meeting the objectives of that system have been investigated. The research discussed herein investigated the use of a computer program which selects and ranks alternative combinations of machines, facilitating the selection of equipment and the design of the least-cost forest harvesting system.

1.1 Research Objectives

The objectives of the research undertaken for this thesis were as follow:

- a) To describe with directed networks possible alternative forest harvesting systems;
- b) To compile engineering, economic and time study data on selected logging equipment;

¹ It is suggested that readers unfamiliar with forest harvesting terms consult a standard reference on terminology e.g. [108; 144; 145].

- c) To develop production cost prediction equations for harvesting equipment;
- d) To demonstrate the use of shortest path network analysis as a means of selecting optimal forest harvesting systems; and
- e) To evaluate the sensitivity of the logging system to variations in its operating environment, and so determine optimum operating zones.

1.2 Environment Facing Canadian Loggers

Nadeau [111], Morrison [110], and others [68; 123; 142] have shown a deterioration in the competitiveness of the Canadian forest products industry compared with most other producing countries.

Seventy to eighty percent of the differences in total pulp and paper manufacturing costs between Canadian and American producers has been attributed to high wood costs [142, p. 41]. Although the situation is less critical in the lumber industry, some regions of Canada have competitive disadvantages for the same reason. These high wood costs are attributable to a number of problems within the physical, economic and social environments facing Canadian loggers.

Increasing demand for forest products has resulted in greater harvests as shown in Figure 1, and forced greater utilization of what had earlier been considered stands and species of marginal value.

However, Reed's [138] study of Canada's reserve timber supply concludes that the economically exploitable forests are now almost completely allocated, and only improved utilization and intensified forest management will permit further expansion of the industry.

Reduced average tree size and rapidly rising wages have prompted a trend towards the complete mechanization of forest harvesting operations as a means of raising productivity. Hand saws and horsedrawn sleighs have, for the most part, been replaced by power saws, skidders and other mechanized equipment.

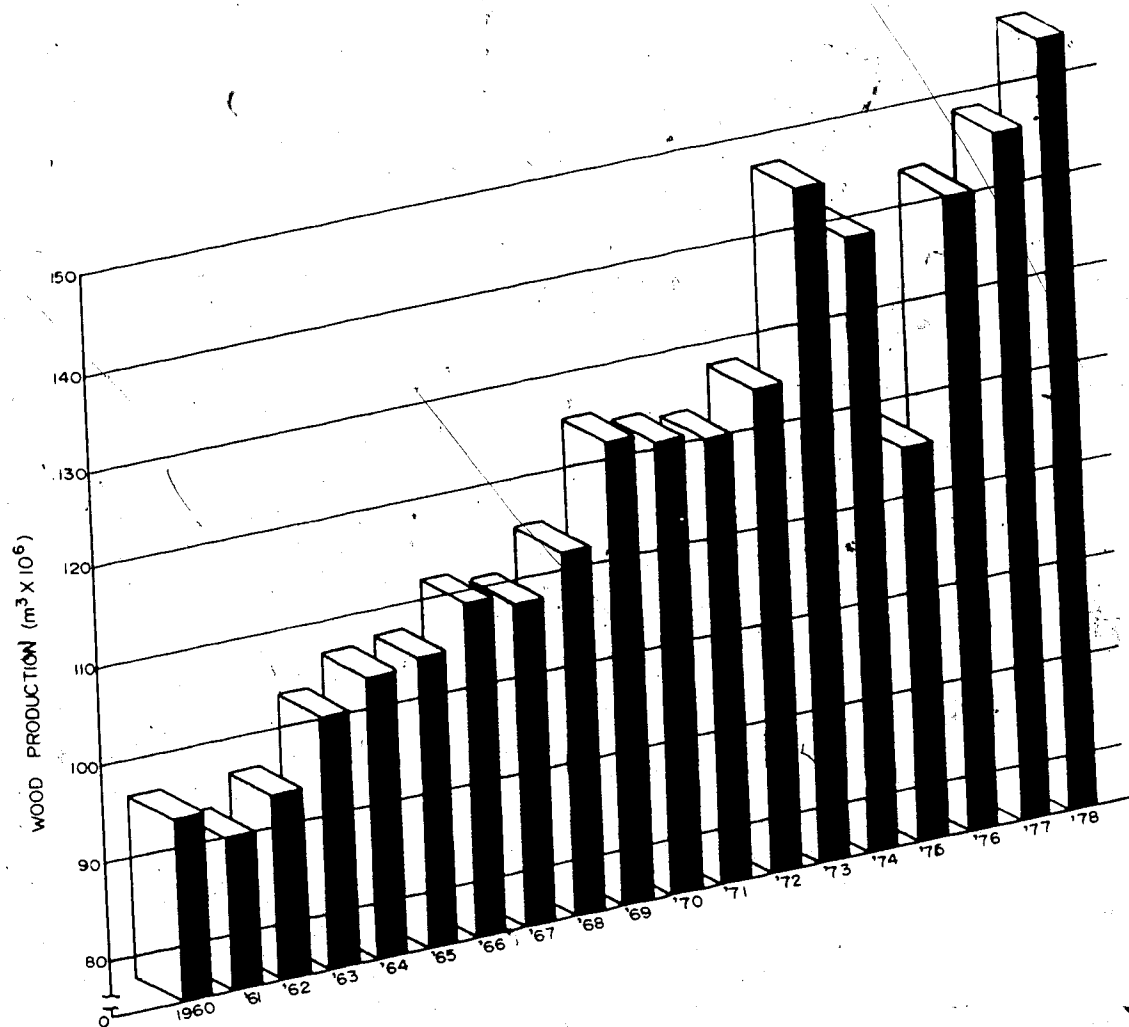


Figure 1. Total forest production in Canada 1960 - 1978 [147; 149].

The urbanization of society reduced the labour supply of an industry which had been labour intensive prior to 1960. The increased labour productivity offered by mechanization became a necessity under these circumstances. Table 1 shows that the average annual productivity of forest workers doubled in the period from 1960 to 1978.

Labour costs also increased during the period, both as a result of inflation and the need for a wage and fringe benefit package to neutralize the urbanization trend. In terms of constant value 1971 dollars², average wages more than doubled from \$4,830 to \$10,039 between 1960 and 1978.

Over the shorter term, the strong inflationary pressures following the energy crisis in 1971 produced dramatic increases in the costs of energy, lubricants and purchased supplies as Figure 2 shows.

These factors combined to produce the equivalent of a 325% increase in the total cost per cubic metre on a current dollar basis between 1960 and 1978 as shown in Figure 3. On an absolute basis, average unit costs rose at an average annual rate of over 2% during the period.

² Constant value 1971 dollars were used to remove the inflationary effects during the period. Various price indices have been applied to some cost figures as outlined in Appendix A.

Table 1. Annual Size, Productivity and Average Wage for the Labour Force Employed in Canadian Logging 1960 - 1978 [147; 149].

YEAR	LABOUR FORCE		PRODUCTIVITY		AVERAGE WAGE	
	SIZE	% CHANGE	M ³ /MAN	% CHANGE	1971 \$	% CHANGE
1960	55000	-	1696	-	4830	-
1961	55420	+ 0.8	1622	- 4.3	5357	+10.9
1962	55790	+ 0.7	1655	+ 2.6	5277	- 1.5
1963	53921	- 3.4	1849	+11.1	5771	+ 9.4
1964	55882	+ 3.6	1838	- 0.6	5983	+ 3.7
1965	53992	- 3.4	1920	+ 4.5	6312	+ 5.5
1966	54317	+ 0.6	2002	+ 4.3	6686	+ 5.9
1967	51004	- 6.1	2110	+ 5.4	7068	+ 5.7
1968	45187	-11.4	2489	+18.0	7434	+ 5.2
1969	46847	+ 3.7	2602	+ 4.6	7758	+ 4.4
1970	44814	- 4.3	2710	+ 4.1	7916	+ 2.0
1971	40126	-10.5	2982	+10.0	8562	+ 8.2
1972	40363	+ 0.6	3075	+ 3.1	9032	+ 5.5
1973	49573	+22.8	2900	- 5.7	9177	+ 1.6
1974	50733	+ 2.3	2718	- 6.3	9478	+ 3.3
1975	45533	-10.2	2532	- 6.9	9325	- 1.6
1976	42185	- 7.4	3298	+30.3	10169	+ 9.1
1977	41804	- 0.9	3475	+ 5.4	10316	+ 1.5
1978	45944	+ 9.5	3393	- 2.4	10039	- 2.7

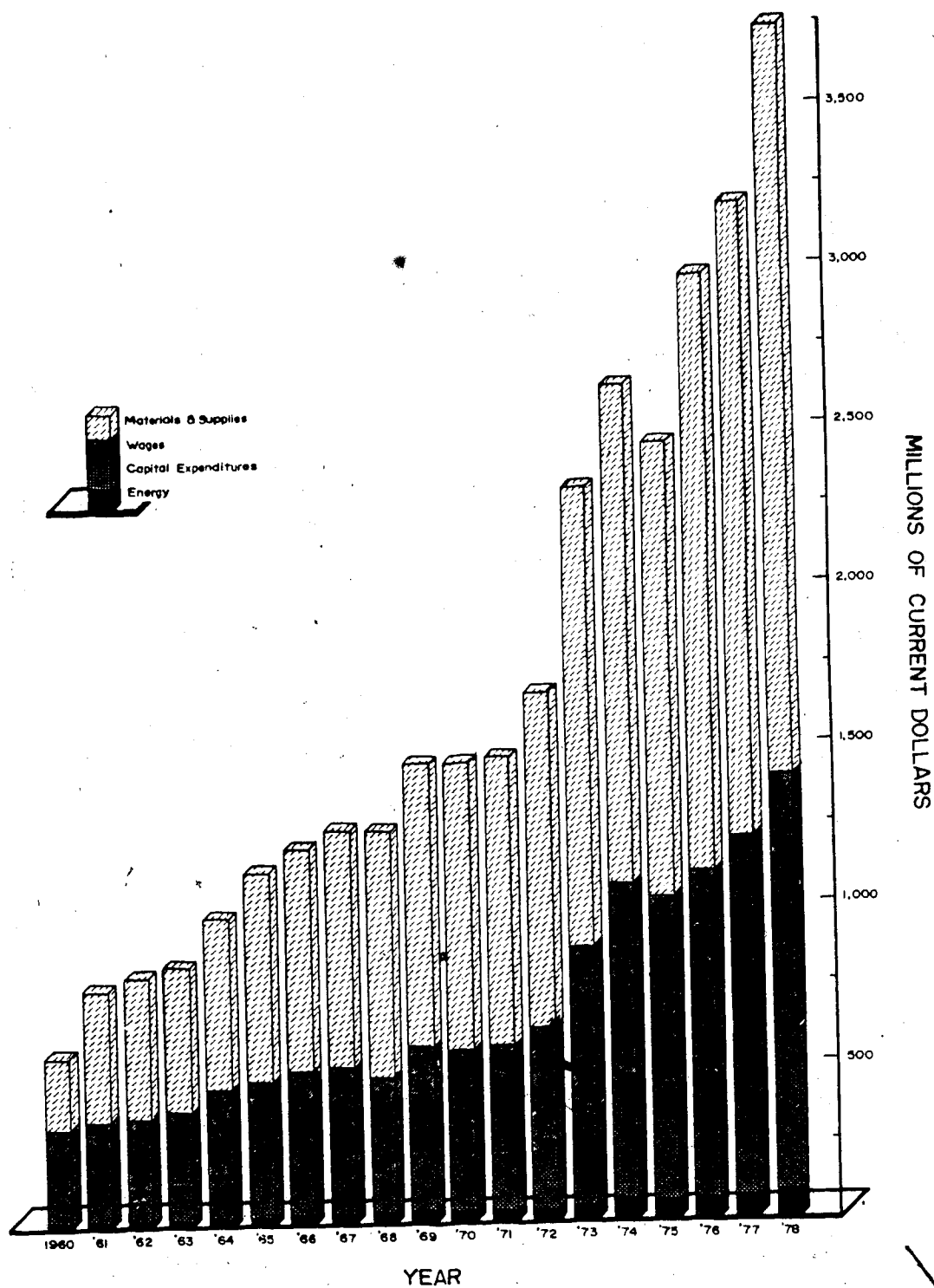


Figure 2. Breakdown of total logging costs in Canada 1960 - 1978
[147; 149; 150].

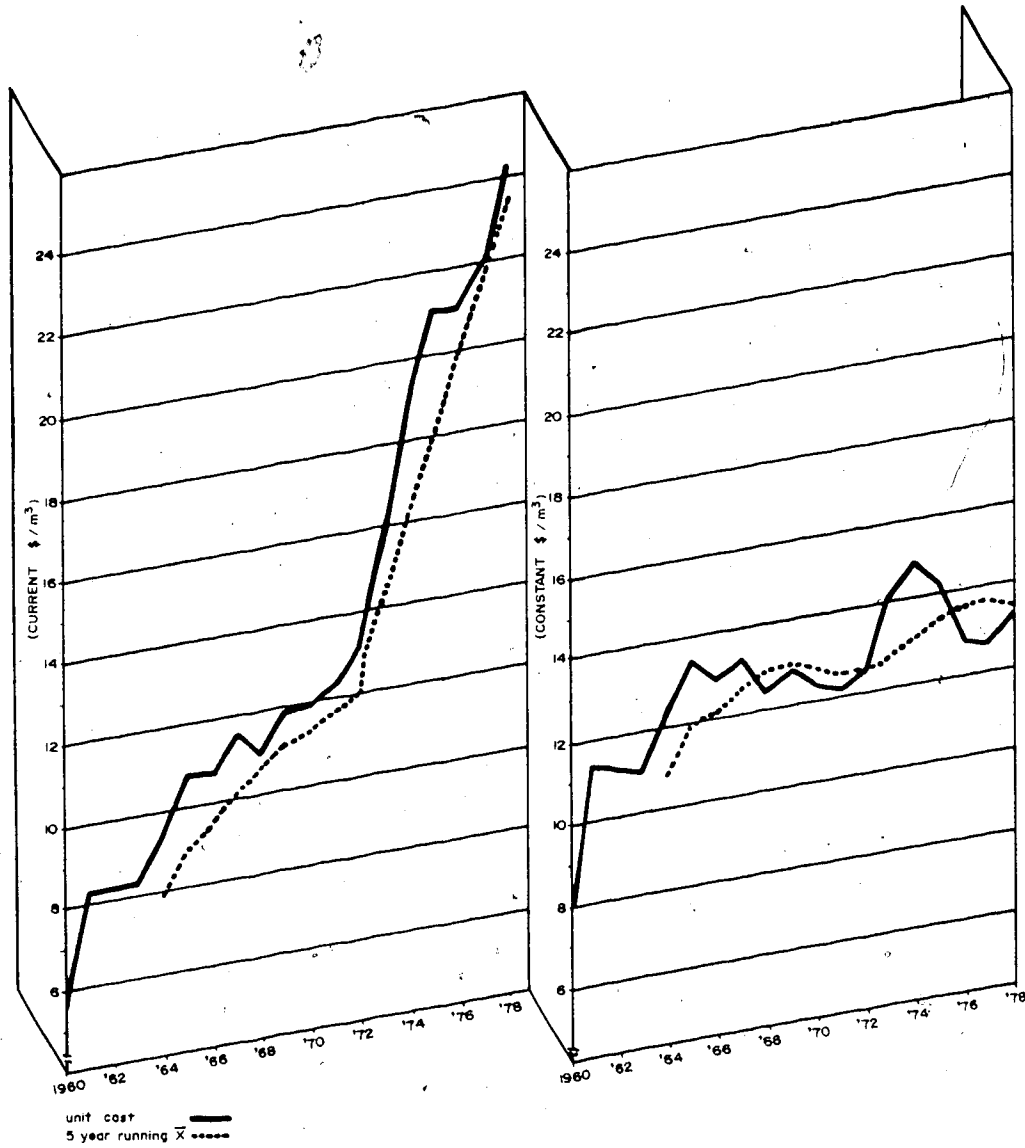


Figure 3.. Unit wood costs in current and constant 1971 dollars per cubic meter in Canada 1960 - 1978 [147; 149; 150].

Although mechanization has solved some of the problems associated with labour, it has created many of its own. The complexity of logging machines has increased the necessity for the training of woodlands employees. Higher demands for skilled labour has often placed the industry in direct competition with urban employers for trained personnel. With mechanization, machine maintenance has become an increasingly important area of concern. Organizational restructuring and the development of new infra-structures became necessary to maintain and control logging machines.

Moreover, the sheer magnitude of the multi-million dollar investments in the capital assets required for large-scale harvesting operations has become a major problem. The size of the actual investment varies with the degree of mechanization and the amount of wood cut, but as Figure 4 shows, capital expenditures have risen. The ratio of capital-to-labour input costs increased by 20% in constant dollars between 1960 and 1978. This suggests that the doubling of man-year productivity shown in Table 1 is the result of a substitution of capital for labour during the period.

To measure the relative effectiveness of these production factors, a comparison of the productivity indices for capital and labour expenditures³ is made in Table 2. During the time frame, capital productivity decreased slightly, while there was a compensating marginal increase in labour productivity.

³ The productivity indices were calculated using the equation

$$\text{Index} = \frac{\text{Production}}{\text{Expenditures}} \times \frac{\text{Implicit Price Index}}{100}$$

using expenditures on capital, labour and a combination of both.

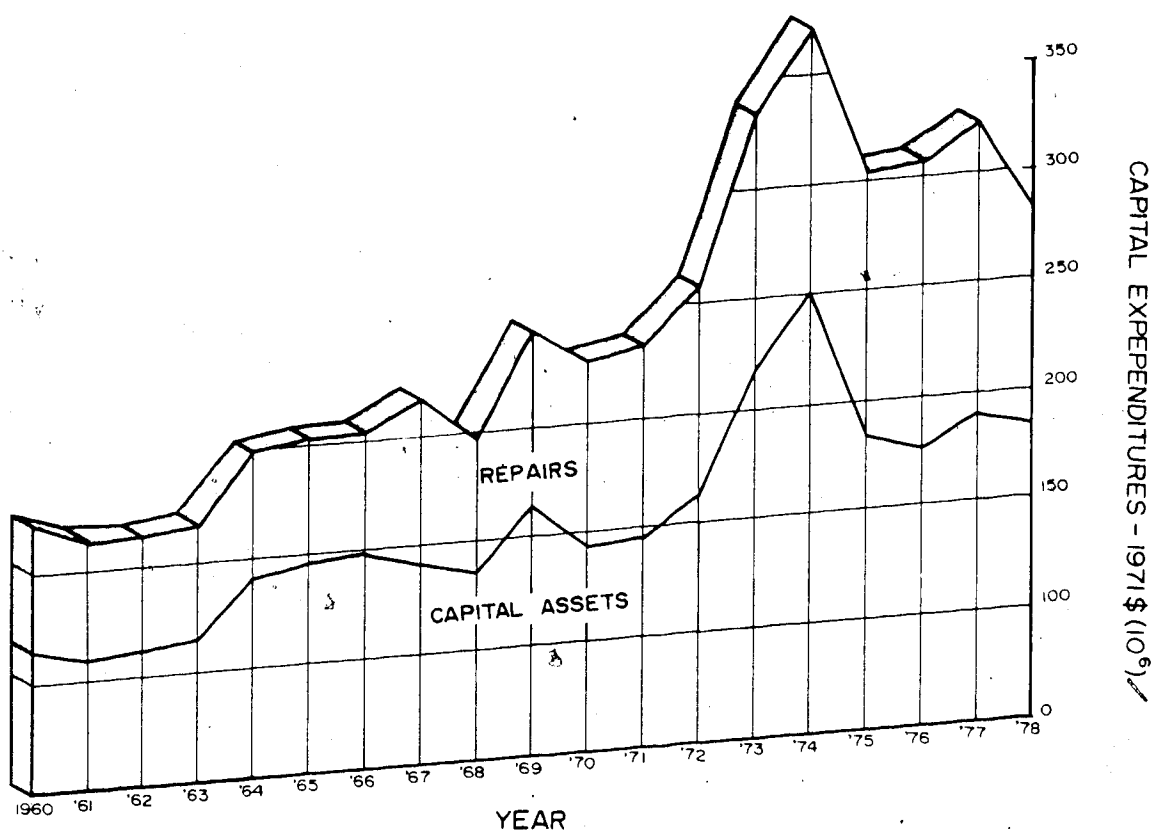


Figure 4. Total capital invested by the Canadian forest products industry in logging construction, equipment and repairs between 1960 - 1978 [150].

Table 2. Canadian Logging Productivity Indices for Capital and Labour 1960 - 1978 [147; 149].

YEAR	CAPITAL PRODUCTIVITY		LABOUR PRODUCTIVITY		COMBINED PRODUCTIVITY	
	INDEX	PACP ¹	INDEX	PACP	INDEX	PACP
1960	0.649	-	0.335	-	0.221	-
1961	0.678	+4.5	0.292	-12.8	0.204	-7.7
1962	0.661	+0.9	0.304	-4.7	0.209	-2.8
1963	0.704	+2.7	0.310	-2.6	0.215	-0.9
1964	0.543	-4.4	0.299	-2.8	0.193	-3.3
1965	0.543	-3.5	0.299	-2.2	0.193	-2.7
1966	0.557	-2.5	0.297	-2.0	0.196	-2.0
1967	0.592	-1.3	0.296	-1.8	0.197	-1.6
1968	0.739	+1.6	0.330	-0.2	0.228	+0.4
1969	0.620	-0.5	0.330	-0.2	0.215	-0.3
1970	0.680	+0.5	0.341	+0.2	0.227	+0.3
1971	0.680	+0.4	0.341	+0.2	0.227	+0.2
1972	0.602	-0.6	0.341	+0.1	0.217	-0.2
1973	0.542	-1.4	0.318	+0.4	0.200	-0.8
1974	0.455	-2.5	0.297	-0.9	0.180	-1.5
1975	0.476	-2.1	0.292	-0.9	0.181	-1.3
1976	0.595	-0.6	0.356	+0.4	0.223	0.0
1977	0.624	-0.2	0.359	+0.4	0.220	0.0
1978	0.565	-0.8	0.352	+0.3	0.217	-0.1

¹ Percent Annual Change in Productivity = $PACP = ((P_t/P_0)^{1/t} - 1) \times 100$
where t is the number of years between initial period and period t, P₀ is the productivity index in the initial period, and P_t is the productivity index in period t.

However since capital was being substituted for labour, the combination of these two factors gives a more accurate estimate of productivity. This approach indicates that a 0.1% annual decrease in the overall productivity of the Canadian logging industry occurred between 1960 and 1978. While new technologies were twice introduced into the industry during these years (skidders and harvesting equipment), they had no major impact on over-all productivity. This supports Morrison's conclusion that "neither capital nor labour were used effectively" in the transition from a labour intensive to a capital intensive industry [110, p. vi].

The net result of this stable productivity has been rises in wood costs to the point where United States producers generally enjoy a lower material costs than all Canadian production regions other than Interior British Columbia [123, p. II-26].

This has been a main contributing factor to low the profitability that threatens the availability of capital in the future. Since the threat of shortages, small tree sizes and relative inaccessibility compared to competitors will continue if not worsen in the future, one of the main problems now confronting the Canadian logging industry involves improving the productivity of capital and labour expenditures. This research investigates a method which aids woodlands management personnel in the analysis and select of systems most likely to improve productivity.

A brief outline of the basic forestry harvesting systems and their component subsystems follows.

1.3 Forest Harvesting Systems

Nadler's general definition of any system [112, p. 41] as the specified and organized conditions for the elements of function, inputs, outputs, sequence, environment, physical catalyst, and human agents detailed for each element in physical, rate, control, and state dimensions clearly applies to harvesting systems.

These elements relate to forest harvesting systems as follows. The function is to harvest and transport a quantity of wood fibre to some location for additional processing at minimal cost. Large quantities of trees and energy are the system's main inputs. The output of a logging operation is wood fibre at the consuming mill's site. Between the system's inputs and outputs, the operation follows a sequence of processing steps. The conditions within the forest, society and the economy are the environment in which the system operates. The physical catalysts, which aid the conversion of inputs to outputs, are the various logging machines. Woodlands workers and management are the human agents associated with the system. Thus forest harvesting operations are akin to other systems. As such, systems analysis is one method of analyzing logging systems and identifying the optimal system.

There are five distinct general categories of forest harvesting systems:

- 1.3.1 multiple-length,
- 1.3.2 tree-length,
- 1.3.3 full-tree,
- 1.3.4 whole-tree, and
- 1.3.5 chipwood.

Figure 5 illustrates the historical use of the different systems in Eastern Canada. Note that the basis of comparison is wood form upon delivery to roadside, rather than form upon delivery to the mill as used elsewhere in this thesis.

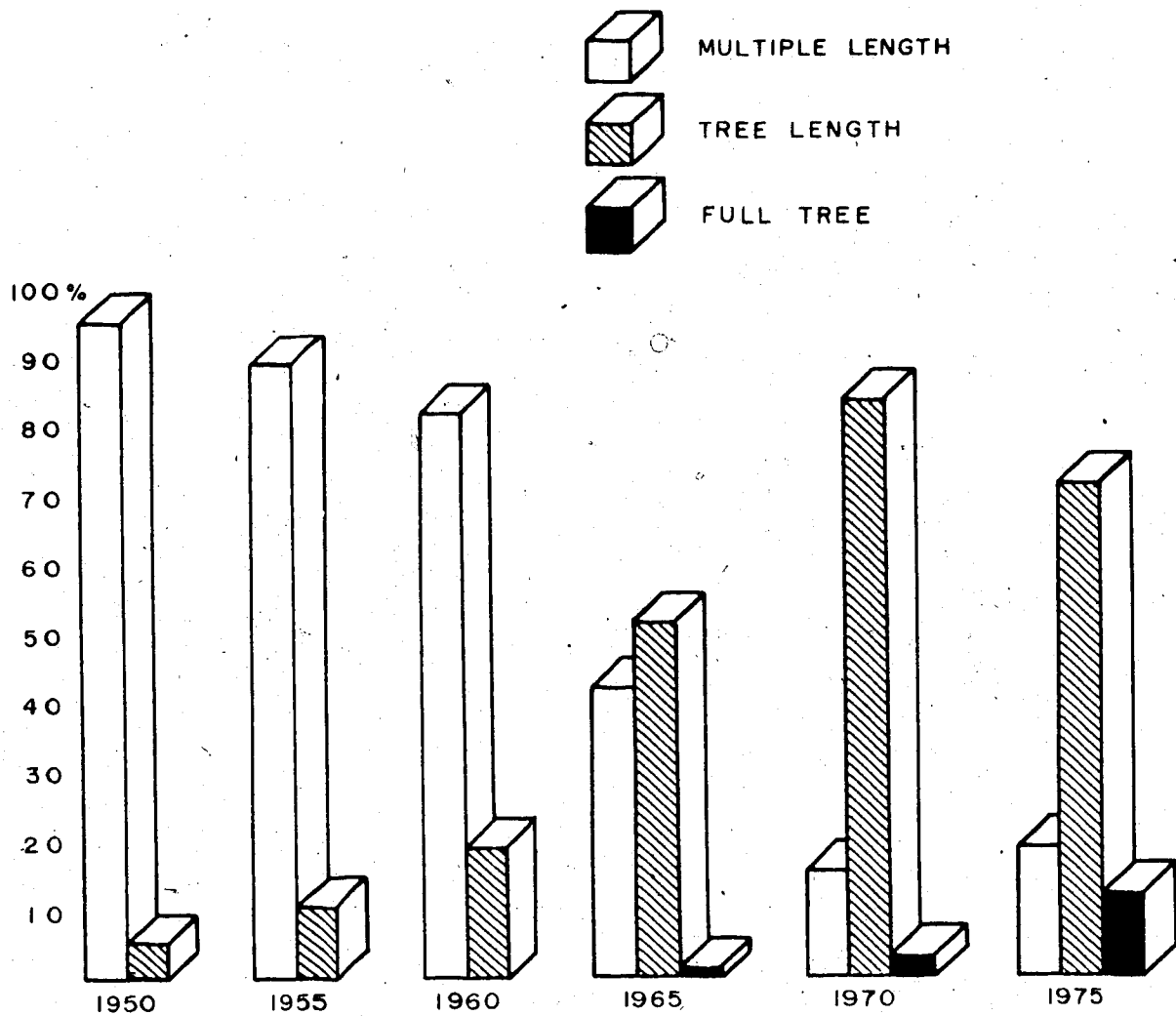


Figure 5. Historical use of different forest harvesting systems in Eastern Canada [104, p. 5].

1.3.1 Multiple-Length Harvesting Systems

Multiple-length harvesting systems involve the production and transport of logs of less than the merchantable height of the tree to the processing mill. Generally if the logs are over three meters in length, the system is called longwood, and if under three meters, shortwood. Both types involve the same basic operations but with some differences due to the log length. The main subsystems are as follows:

- a) felling of the tree,
- b) bolt preparation i.e. limbing, topping, and bucking,
- c) transportation of wood from the stump to a central point,
- d) loading,
- e) transportation to the processing mill, and
- f) unloading.

The sequence of the subsystems is variable, with the possibility of the transportation from stump to landing and bolt preparation subsystems being interchanged. It is also common to have bolt preparation disunited, with for example limbing and topping done at the stump, and bucking at the landing.

Historically in Canada, the multiple-length system has been the primary method of harvesting wood fibre. The ease of handling with short material when technology was less developed, the requirements of groundwood pulp mill equipment, the delivery to the mill of only "acceptable" portions of the tree, and legislated limits on the widths and lengths of truck loads were the major justifications for the continued usage of the system. Technological advances in the last 25 years have largely negated these advantages.

1.3.2 Tree-Length Harvesting Systems

A tree-length system produces and transports wood in logs equal in length to the merchantable height of the tree. The actual length varies with the forest environment, tree species' characteristics and the merchantability limits, but the transported logs usually exceed 12 meters in length and rarely are longer than 18 meters. This system involves the same subsystems as the multiple-length system, but the bolt preparation stage consists only of limbing and topping.

1.3.3 Full-Tree Harvesting Systems

Full-tree logging results in the delivery of a felled tree with the limbs largely intact to the processing plant. The bolt preparation subsystem is completely removed.

1.3.4 Whole-Tree Harvesting Systems

The whole or complete-tree harvesting system involves the harvesting of all wood fibre within the tree, from roots to branches. There are potential problems with nutrient cycling, soil erosion and regeneration associated with the system, so it remains largely unused in Canada. However, Keays [71; 72; 73; 74; 75] suggested that the system has great potential for some products, since the utilization of the total wood fibre produced by the tree could be increased by as much as forty percent for most Canadian species.

1.3.5 Chipwood Harvesting Systems

Chipwood harvesting systems deliver wood chips to the consuming mill. The chipping of trees in various forms is possible, but the inclusion of tree bark with the chips creates problems with the pulp quality with present pulping processes. The system's output are also unsuitable for utilization in lumber and veneer mills, so the

potential usage of the system is limited to pulp and particle board products. The purest form of this system would be chipping of the whole-tree at the stump, and subsequently transporting wood chips to the mill.

Having described the basic forest harvesting systems, the literature covering different techniques which have been applied to the analysis of these systems will be reviewed in the next section.

2. LITERATURE REVIEW

In the past three decades, the trend in forest harvesting research has been away from the study of single machines to the study of groups of machines combined into systems. Prior to the mid-1960's, most studies investigated harvesting as single entities, although it was often recognized that many situations involved several activities. Since that time, the systems approach, studying problems as a collection of activities which interact, has become increasingly common.

Although many analytical techniques have been used to analyze harvesting machines and systems, the application of a particular technique has often not been limited to one use. For example, a simulation model could be developed for designing a system, and could also be used for planning and control purposes once the system existed. As such, the techniques described in the literature have been separated into their primary area of usage as follows:

- 2.1 Determining Machine Productivity
- 2.2 Planning and Controlling Logging Operations
- 2.3 Designing Logging Machines and Systems
- 2.4 Synthesis

2.1 Determining Machine Productivity

Most analyses of logging machines and systems used time study data, alone or in conjunction with various measurements of the operating environment, to determine machine productivity and cycle times. However, data analysis has become increasingly complex. Simple statistics such as means and standard deviations have been replaced by multiple regression and time series analysis. In recent years, operations research models using probability distributions for time elements have become common.

The main objective of most early studies was the determination of productivity and the influence of environmental factors on it. Research such as that by McCraw [100], Bennett et al. [8], Dibblee [35] and Harvey [63], concentrated on detailed time studies of wheeled skidders. Results of these studies indicated that about 60% of the variation in productivity could be explained by easily measured variables such as load volume and skidding distance. Several authors e.g. [101; 9; 27] attempted to improve the accuracy of predictions by including such factors as surface roughness, slope, brush density and ground bearing strength but with little success. Variable skidding crew motivation, changes in their physical effort (rating) in response to work conditions, and interaction between all these factors caused measurement problems.

More recent studies of skidding operations have been unable to improve the accuracy of these early prediction equations. Studies as recent as 1976 by Matthes et al. [98] explained about 65% of the productivity variation using a six variable multiple regression equation. In comparison, McCraw's and Hallet's studies [101] made

during the 1960's, used three variables to explain 55% of the variation. Cottell et al. [27; 28] had accuracies of 80% and more using equations with two independent variables and shift-level data.

Kroger's study [77] is an exception to these relatively low accuracies. He reports coefficients of multiple determination exceeding 94%. However, his models are quite complex and their data requirements make them of questionable value for practical uses. The trade-off between accuracy and usefulness has led many researchers to avoid complex productivity prediction equations with higher accuracy since the numerical skills among those using the equations were frequently poor and problems with measuring factors such as brush density and surface roughness consistently.

In more recent years, both detailed and gross time-study procedures have been used for logging machine studies. The machine evaluation studies made by Skogsarbeten (Swedish Logging Research Foundation), the American Pulpwood Association, the Pulp and Paper Research Institute of Canada (PAPRICAN), and the Forest Engineering Research Institute of Canada (FERIC) use short-term (3 to 5 day) detailed studies to prepare productivity estimates [19; 128; 84; 46]. Other organizations around the world use similar techniques for the same purpose, e.g. [10; 12; 60].

Folkema [47] and others at FERIC have used gross time study procedures in conjunction with time recording instruments, i.e. Servis recorders, to determine long-term machine time data, productivity and causes of machine downtime.

The failure of the early researchers to quantify the unexplained variation led to the development of gross-data procedures which used shift-level or day-long periods as the basis of prediction. Productivity estimates with sufficient accuracy for production control, planning and budgeting, and in some cases greater accuracy than detailed studies, were found to be obtainable using these gross data procedures [28; 158]. Detailed time-element studies have been reserved for method studies aimed at improving work techniques, the evaluation of new machines, and for determining the probability distributions and regression equations used in simulation models.

Two conclusions are apparent from the studies chiefly concerned with determining the productivity of logging machines and systems: machine and system performance has a stochastic nature, and the interactions between system components were usually not studied.

2.2 Planning and Controlling Logging Operations

The results of many early time studies were intended for use in the planning and control of logging operations. Cunia [31] and Lussier [91] used statistical data gathered from time studies of equipment and crew performance to prepare production standards and control charts, and as a basis for budgeting and the evaluation of future systems.

2.2.1 Nomograms

Many authors have avoided the problem of low numeracy among potential users by providing nomograms for productivity and cost calculations, e.g. Ager [1], and Legault [85]. The productivity curves are usually established using regression equations developed from time studies. Costing models of various types have been used for determining operating cost of the equipment.

The so-called "Weak Link" analyzer developed by Baumgras and Martin [6] uses nomograms to aid loggers in analyzing their harvesting systems. The productivity and costing nomograms presented for the felling, skidding and transportation subsystems represent a complete systems approach. The production nomograms are limited to conditions in the Appalachian region of the United States, but the approach is adaptable.

The economic analysis of 20 logging systems used in Quebec made by Conseillers en gestion des forêts (COGEF) contains nomograms for adjusting the observed productivity of logging machines [55]. Logging chance was classed by degree of difficulty i.e. easy, medium and inexploitable, and combined with operator and task characteristics to create an adjustment factor. Although intuitively the curves appear reasonable, quantitative support is absent.

2.2.2 Differential Calculus

Probably the earliest application of a comprehensive mathematical analysis to the planning of timber harvesting operations was Matthew's treatment of road and landing spacing [99]. His approach used the method of equal areas to derive the average skidding distance for regularly shaped areas like circles, triangles and rectangles. The average skidding distance was used in a break-even analysis which equated variable skidding costs and road construction costs to determine optimal road and landing spacings.

Several other approaches have been developed for investigating the optimal spacing problem. Lussier [92] revised Matthew's work, recognizing the influence of terrain conditions on skidding productivity. Suddarth and Herrick [153] developed formulae based on integral calculus for the average skid distance. Their work demonstrated that Matthew's average skid distance formula for a rectangle was incorrect. Lysons and Mann [93] showed that Matthews' formula for circle wedge shapes was also in error.

All these approaches assume that the cutting block has a regular shape, two-way skidding to the landing is possible, variable skidding costs are equal from both sides, and that stand density is constant throughout the cut block. In practice, none of these assumptions is valid. Additionally, topographic features and soil conditions, such as streams, muskegs and cliffs, may prohibit positioning the landing in the central location, and increase the actual skidding operation; rather than reduce productivity.

Peters and Burke [126] extended the integral calculus approach to irregularly shaped areas, using a procedure requiring a digitizer. Peters [126] also formulated a generalized, direct solution method which uses Matthew's expression for total harvesting cost and the integral form for average skidding distance. The results showed that a necessary condition for minimum costs is that variable skidding costs equal road costs plus twice landing costs.

Donnelly [37] developed a program for a hand-held programmable calculator for calculating average skidding distance for any shape of cut-block. His method is simpler than the digitizing system of Peters and Burke, op. cit. and includes variable stand density.

Carter et al. [23] approached the optimum road layout problem using calculus on a fuller treatment of road building costs than is used in the road and landing spacing studies of the previously mentioned authors.

2.2.3 Mathematical Programming

In the last 15 years, operations research tools have been applied to logging problems by many researchers. Harvesting and regeneration activities were scheduled using a linear programming model by Curtis [32], but logging entered the calculations only as costs.

Donnelly [38] used linear programming to determine the optimum combination of machines subject to restraints on such factors as volume, species composition, labour supply and equipment.

Lonner [90] used linear programming to minimize storage and transportation costs for one year plans of wood transportation activities. A heuristic model is used to allocate trucks and loaders to individual landings.

More recently, Newnham [118; 119] developed a computer model for preparing annual harvesting plans. Linear programming is used to allocate constrained resources of wood and machines, so that mill demands are met throughout the year at minimum cost.

A two-part methodology for planning cable harvesting areas and assigning equipment to them was developed by Dykstra [40]. Stand, topographic and environmental restraints are combined with the mechanics of cable yarding systems to develop feasible alternatives and the harvesting costs for each block in a planning area. An integer programming algorithm is used to design optimum blocks and to allocate yarding equipment to minimize costs.

The main problems with linear programming for harvest planning are that:

- a) variables are assumed to be continuous,
- b) machine interactions are not considered,
- c) tableaux small enough for convenient solution but large enough for accuracy are difficult to formulate, and
- d) variables must be deterministic.

Various mathematical programming methods i.e. integer, and non-linear programming, can lessen the importance of the first three problems, but have not been widely used. The latter problem continues to restrict use of this technique.

2.2.4 Simulation

The inability of mathematical programming techniques to describe the stochastic relationships common in harvesting operations is probably the greatest single cause of the rise simulation as the most popular operations research technique for investigating harvesting machines and systems. However, applications of these techniques have also had problems. In many studies, the scope of the system investigated was either too restricted or too general to permit proper evaluation of the total harvesting system.

For example, a simulation model presented by Gillam [61] models the movement of wood through a watershed, but does not discuss how the wood gets to the water. Other simulation models such as those by Leaf and Alexander [83], and by Bare [5], treat harvesting as only one cost variable in a comprehensive forest management model.

The complete harvesting system model was not modelled because of the nature of many harvesting operations and the overall study objectives. On many harvesting operations, the storage interval at the primary landing is sufficiently long to justify the separation of the harvesting system into subsystems without invalidating the model. In large scale models, harvesting is only one activity in the forest's growth cycle.

Corcoran's paper [26] was one of the first to describe a complete harvesting system simulation model. However, the model was prepared to illustrate the suitability of the simulation language GPSS/360, and does not appear to have been utilized for other purposes.

GASP II was used as the programming language by Johnson and Biller [11; 70] to model several alternative systems. More significant however, is that the model was validated by comparing predicted and

observed results. Like most simulation models, time elements were described using statistical distributions.

Martin's Timber Harvesting and Transport Simulator differs in that regression equations in conjunction with their standard errors were used to predict cycle times [96]. No special simulation language was used.

The flexibility of all these models is limited. A more general model was developed by the American Pulpwood Association's Harvesting Research Project [152], and subsequently expanded by researchers at Virginia Polytechnical Institute and State University [120]. Six different systems can be simulated by this model in five different stands. The intent of the model was to evaluate the effects of the systems' components balances and stand conditions on overall productivity. Stand conditions were not intrinsic however, since production rates are fixed outside the model.

Bonita [13] developed a simulation model for coastal British Columbia. His model, designed for evaluating and comparing existing or potential operating policies and determining equipment requirements, was validated.

2.2.5 Network Analysis

Mandt [94; 95] determined the shortest route between two points in a road network using a hand calculation procedure for network analysis. Wood from different cutting areas was allocated between alternative mills by minimizing the travel time between the cutting area and the mill.

Ransing [136; 137] discussed the use of critical path analysis in the planning of a forest road construction project. Martin [97] designed a computer program for analyzing PERT networks which could be used for planning such projects.

A report by Carson and Dykstra [22] describes several computer programs for finding the shortest path through a transportation network from a landing to a destination. A programmable desktop calculator with digitizer was used to develop the network. An algorithm which finds the shortest path from any initial node to all other nodes is used to determine the best transportation route.

Applications of network analysis have been limited to areas related to planning and preparing for the actual harvest rather than analyzing alternative systems.

2.2.6 Production Functions

Multiple regression equations for various system components are converted to a probability density function for the complete system in a model developed by Watson and Matthes [155]. The model is based on the assumption that the system's productivity equals the minimum productivity of the components for any level of production.

2.2.7 Decision Trees

Woodland [157] used a decision tree as a machine costing model. He proposed that probability estimates for different events be prepared and probability weighted "expected" values be used in return on investment calculations and risk analysis. The decision to purchase a machine or system was to be made based on these expected returns.

2.2.8 Others

A heuristic algorithm was developed by Carlsson [21] to prepare logging plans over different planning horizons in Sweden. The short-term plans are basically cutting schedules that maximize the utilization of available machines and labour. Areas with constraints on logging activities are scheduled for cutting when the constraint's effects can be minimized for the one-year plan. Individual areas are allocated to specific years in the 5-year plans.

Gibson and Egging [59; 41] formulated models for selecting the optimal landing location from several specified alternatives. Topographic influences on the production function and physiographical constraints are incorporated in the model. But the unit centroids used to represent the cut-blocks are inaccurate representatives, since all wood from each block is assumed to be transported from the block's geometric centre to the landing. This appears not to recognize that features which are constraining at the centre, may not apply to the complete block, thus raising average skidding distance and costs.

2.3 Designing Logging Machines and Systems

Several approaches have been applied to the design of logging machines and systems. Some of these approaches, particularly reliability theory, are exclusively design approaches. However, the differentiation between planning and control models, and those applied to design is imprecise, especially with stochastic simulation models. Frequently these models can be and have been used for both purposes. Thus for the purposes of this discussion, an attempt has been made to differentiate between each model's primary objectives while recognizing the model may have other uses.

2.3.1 Reliability Theory

Two authors have used reliability theory to justify their approaches to logging equipment design. Kurelek's papers [78; 79] compare several multi-function machines with systems composed of single-function machines. The improved man-day productivity, lack of interdependence between machines, better materials handling characteristics, and the redundancy of some components led Kurelek to conclude that multi-function machines have inherent productivity and cost advantages over single-function machines.

On the other hand, Mellgren [105] concluded that there are no significant differences in the potential wood production costs^a between different machine systems. He also suggested that single-function machines are more competitive under adverse terrain conditions and in stands of large trees since machine size becomes a limiting factor.

The conflict between these authors' conclusions arises because of their treatment of machine availability. Kurelek and Mellgren generally agree on the reliability of different machine types, but Kurelek's cost calculations do not use these reliability figures. Both authors emphasize that the competence of the mechanical support organization controls whether or not an operation can be successfully mechanized.

A more recent paper by Mellgren [106] suggests that improved reliability is necessary in multi-function machines if the logging industry is to profit from their advantages. His results suggest that machines with two or three functions provide the best trade-off between the advantages of multi-function equipment and the problem of reliability as machine complexity increases.

2.3.2 Systems Comparison Methodologies

A methodology for analyzing logging systems was developed at Skogsarbeten in the mid-sixties [64]. The time required to complete various elements is estimated using either time study and/or design specifications, summed and converted to hourly production estimates. A more complete machine classification and expansion of this methodology was prepared by McCraw and Silversides [102] for use in North American conditions. The effects of operators on productivity through personnel delays and training, and the interference between machines are not included in these productivity estimates.

Boyd and Novak [15] used the competence of the support organization as the basis of a procedure for evaluating machine concepts and systems. Eighty-four logging systems were compared at four assumed levels of performance which reflected organizational competence. However, this approach assumed that all machines are susceptible to the same variability in performance and availability.

2.3.3 Simulation

Both deterministic and stochastic simulation models have been used for designing harvesting machines and systems. Levesque [86] developed a deterministic model of a logging truck based on Newtonian physics relationships to select truck components and to determine travel time estimates. Garner and Cooper [58] used a similar model based on rotational rather than distance relationships to investigate the effects of reducing the aerodynamic drag of logging trucks.

The Vehicle Mission Simulator described by Gustafson and Schneck [62] is another deterministic model used for design purposes. Vehicle speeds for specified load, soil and slope conditions are calculated for the vehicle by solving the force and moment equations [124]. The model is used to select optimum components such as power-trains and tires when designing machines.

Fiske and Fridley [44] developed a model for selecting skidding equipment based on traction characteristics. The model selects the skidder or crawler tractor which produces the lowest costs for specific terrain, load sizes and skidding distances.

Newnham [115; 116; 117] has developed several models for use in designing better harvesting machinery. The harvesting of individual trees is modelled to estimate productivity. However, the detailed stand data required for the model was not commonly available, limiting the models' potential usefulness. Terrain effects on machine behaviour were not modelled.

Other models used a combination of stochastic and deterministic relationships. Damon and Johnson [33] adapted earlier work by Almquist [3] in the modelling of logging machines. Probability distributions were used to generate the sizes and locations of trees. Time elements were calculated using deterministic relationships on such factors as boom length and extension speed. The model was used to determine the optimum specifications for a thinning machine.

Winsauer and Underwood [156] described a stochastic model for estimating the productivity of a "topwood" harvester. Unlike most of the design models, results of the simulation runs were validated and found to be in close agreement with observed results.

Several authors have attacked the problems of subsystem and system design using simulation. Routhier's stochastic model of the trucking subsystem [140] is suitable for both design and planning purposes. Garner [57] validated the model and illustrated its use with results from several applications.

Larsson [80] discussed a simulation model for analyzing alternative trucking systems for design purposes. Regression equations from time studies are used to estimate elemental times.

A simulation model for evaluating a hot logging system using shortwood harvesters and tractor-trailers was developed by Newman [113]. Results indicated that savings in delivered wood costs were possible over cold logging systems, but no validation of results was reported.

Chip harvesting systems have been simulated by Johnson and Biller [69], and by Bradley et al. [16; 17; 18]. Johnson's and Biller's SAPLOS model was developed for use in determining the best equipment mix for a chipping operation. Bradley's simulator, which was validated, was designed to estimate harvesting costs under a range of stand conditions and to determine the best equipment mix. Both models are stochastic.

2.3.4 Queueing Theory

Analytical methods based on the idle time distributions of ~~machine~~ components in series were used by Meng [107] as the basis of methodology for evaluating design changes. It is assumed that both components are operating simultaneously.

2.3.5 Network Analysis

An adaption of network analysis, known as line balancing was used by Corcoran [25] to determine the optimum balance of components in a harvesting system.

2.4 Synthesis

The literature survey indicates that many analytical techniques have been used to study foresting harvesting machines and systems. Simulation has become the most widely discussed analytical technique. However, widespread use had not followed, suggesting that simulation's primary disadvantages, model complexity and inability to determine optimal solutions directly, are restraining for potential users.

Most researchers recognized the interdependence of all harvesting activities, but subsystems have generally been modelled. Such an approach would be reasonable if the model was intended for use in controlling existing harvesting systems. However, most models were developed to assist in systems design and operations planning, tasks which demand consideration of many alternatives.

Since none of the techniques applied to date appear to have met the needs of woodlands management, trial of other techniques appear justified.

3. INVESTIGATIVE METHODOLOGY

The basic problem which this research considers is that theoretically every forest harvesting system operates under different physical, economic and social conditions. Thus conceivably, there could be a very large number of system designs, each of which might be optimal for some specific combination of environmental conditions.

Network diagrams which graphically represent the sequence of events involved in completing some task can be used to describe alternative methods. Various adaptations of this approach have been used to design agricultural systems, but no reference was found to its application to selecting forest harvesting systems.

Preston [134; 135] adapted the critical path method (CPM) so that both time and cost variables were evaluated simultaneously in applications to the layout and operation of piggeries and to select optimal irrigation systems. Coupland and Halyk [30] used network analysis to evaluate forage harvesting systems. A simulation model was used to select alternative paths through a network of forage handling alternatives by Lievers [87].

A computer program (SPNA) initially developed by Preston [133] for selecting the shortest path through a network, was adapted by Lievers [88] to rank all paths through the network. Ogilvie et al. [121] used SPNA to evaluate manure handling systems for swine and dairy cattle.

Safley and Price [141], and Burney et al. [20] have used different versions of the network approach to analyze alternative manure handling systems.

The shortest path network approach to system design was selected for this research because of the following advantages apparent from the literature:

- a) alternative combinations and sequences of equipment can be easily outlined in network form,
- b) many alternatives can be quickly and cheaply evaluated,
- c) optimal and near-optimal system designs are identified for more intensive study if desired,
- d) non-linear functions can be used, and
- e) sensitivity analysis can be readily undertaken.

Alternative approaches such as simulation and mathematical programming do not have all these advantages.

The methodology which follows uses shortest path network analysis to assist the forest harvesting system designer identify the optimal system for his conditions. Alternative combinations of logging equipment are compared on a common basis to permit the selection of the least-cost system or systems. The procedures used will be described under the following subsections:

- 3.1 Preparation of the Network
- 3.2 Establishment of Activity Durations
- 3.3 Shortest Paths Network Analysis Program

3.1 Preparation of the Network

A network is a graphical model which defines the sequence of events and activities between some initial state and some concluding state. An event is the identifiable point at which some defined state exists, and is denoted on a network diagram by a circle or "sausage", called a node. An activity, represented on the graph by an arrow, is an operation which is required to reach some defined state, and is called a branch, an arc or a link. An activity having no quantity associated with it but needed to maintain a logical sequence, is represented by a dashed arrow called a dummy. Dummies are also required for uniqueness and to avoid ambiguity when there are several alternative activities between two nodes. The network is the graph produced by connecting sequential events with arcs representing the activities involved in producing the change in state.

Figure 6 illustrates a generalized network diagram for alternative tree-length harvesting systems. The initial state in the tree-length system was assumed to be the tree standing in the forest. Several alternative operations and transportation activities convert from a standing tree into a tree-length log, transferring it from the stump to some intermediate landing and thence onto the processing plant. Along the way, it may or may not be temporarily stored. The unloaded tree at the mill represents the final state and node.

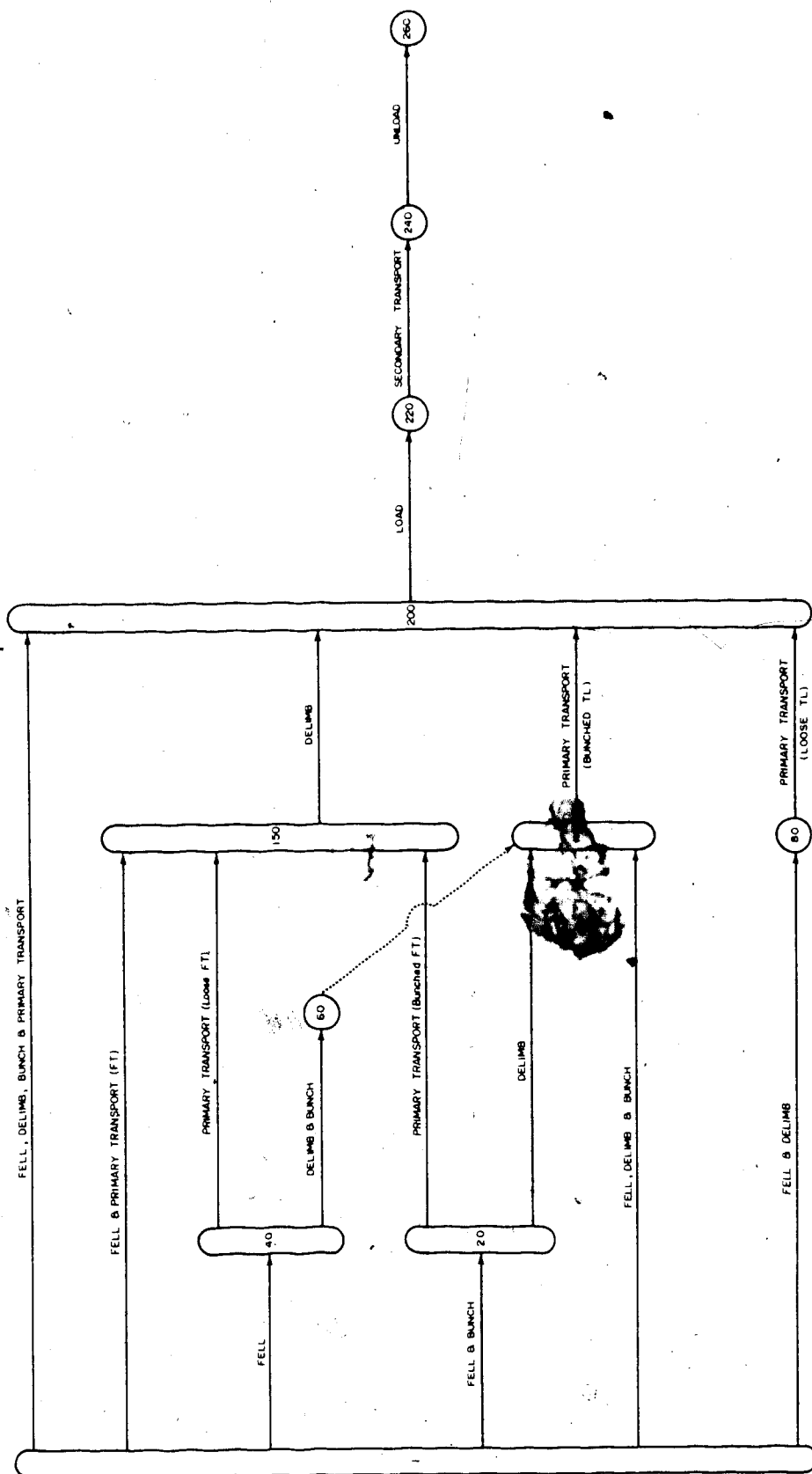


Figure 6. General network diagram of alternative activities in tree-length harvesting systems.

Because of network size and the mass of data required to describe all alternative systems, this research was limited to a tree-length harvesting system as it could be applied in Eastern Canada. As such, the "optimal" system in the remainder of this thesis is the least-cost tree-length harvesting system which might not be optimal if all alternative systems were considered. However, shortest path network analysis is a general technique and can be easily adapted for use with different networks and inputs for other systems.

Figure 7 shows an expansion of the general network diagram outlining the alternative machines and subsystems which can perform the various operation and transport activities of the tree-length system.

Three assumptions were made to reduce the network's complexity while preparing the expanded network:

- a) truck transportation is the only method available for moving the wood from landing to mill. Since the mode of transportation is usually predetermined by the availability of alternatives e.g. railroads, rivers, and road systems, and most wood is trucked for some distance in Canada, this is a reasonable simplification;
- b) hot-logging systems, where some equipment would off-load onto trucks are infeasible. Interference problems between machines have prohibited use of hot-logging systems in most areas; and

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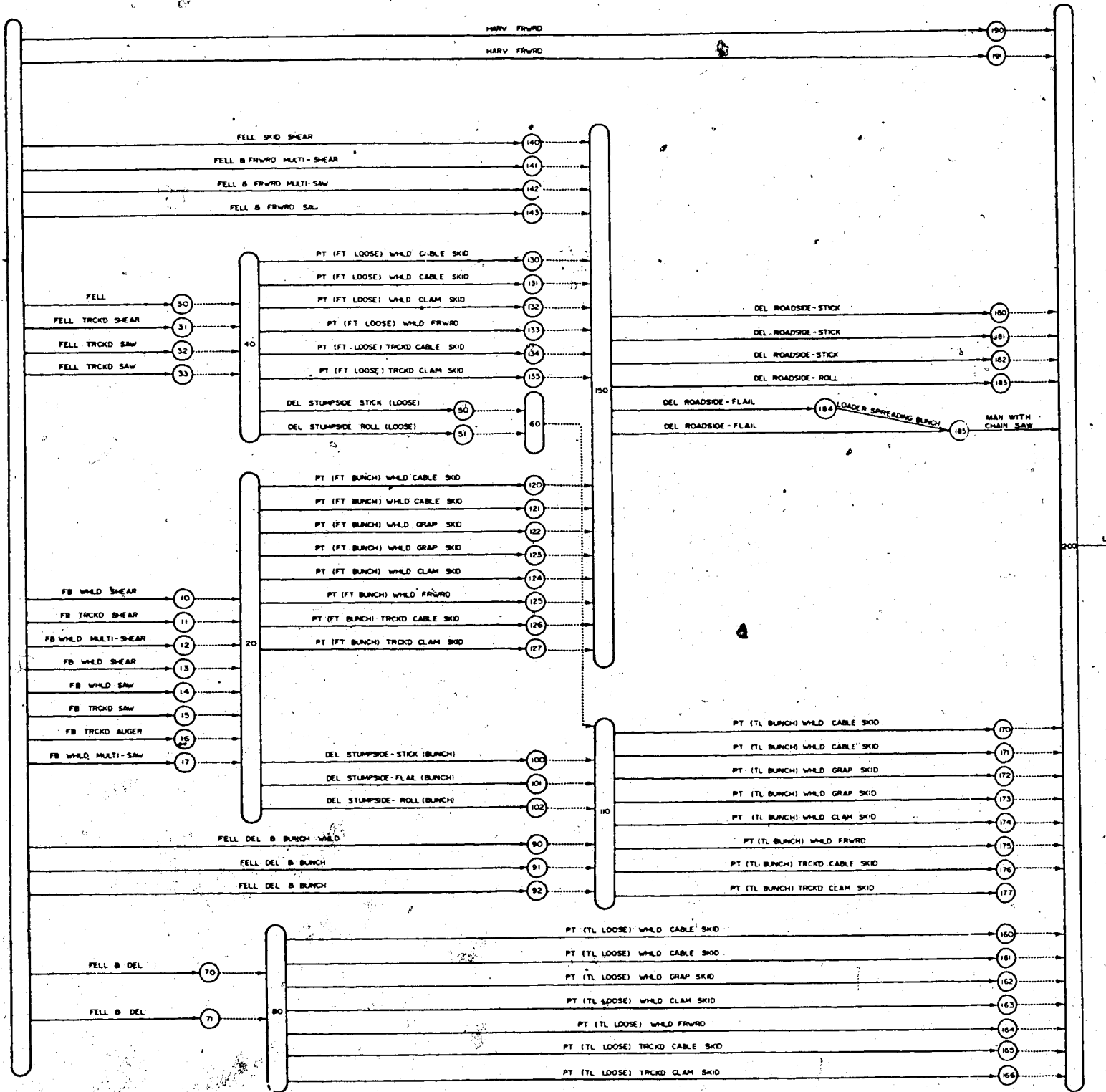
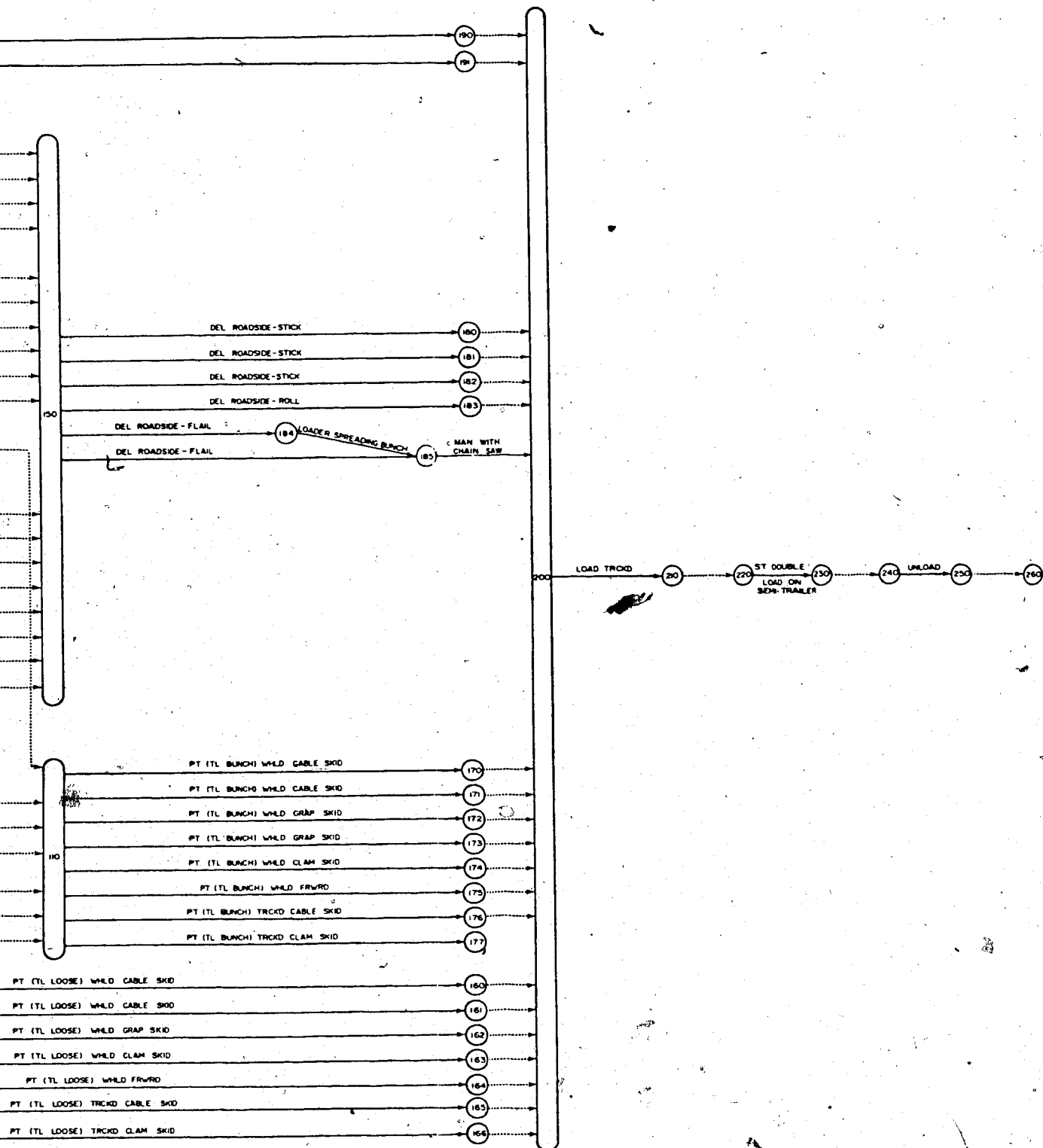


Figure 7: Expanded network diagram of alternative tree-length harvesting systems.

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alternative tree-length harvesting systems.

- c) temporary storage activities usually have durations less than a week so that no interest charges are added to production costs in lieu of the capital tied-up in uncompleted products. Lengthy storage between activities is common only between the harvesting and transportation subsystems. This delay varies from a few days to as much as a year depending on the specific operation. All systems are likely to have a delay of similar duration at this point.

3.2 Establishment of Activity Durations

Each arc in the network diagram of the alternative systems shown in Figure 7 was assigned a duration. In this analysis, activity durations were measured as wood cost (CW) expressed as a cost per cubic metre of wood produced.

The general relationship for the duration of any activity reflects the economics and productivity of the machinery and labour involved in the activity.

$$CW = \frac{HCOST}{HPROD} \quad (1)$$

where: CW = wood cost for the activity (\$/m³)

HCOST = hourly costs for the machinery and labour used in the activity (\$/productive machine hour)

HPROD = hourly productivity of the machinery and labour used in the activity (m³/productive machine hour).

The derivation of the equations used to estimate the hourly costs and productivity for the activities are discussed in the next two sections.

The duration of each activity measured in dollars per cubic metre of wood produced were calculated using equation 1 from the estimates of hourly costs and productivity.

3.2.1 Cost Prediction Equations

A costing method based on optimal economic machine life was used to predict equipment costs on a before-tax basis. This approach was selected because the tendency for maintenance costs to increase and for productivity to decrease as a machine ages, results in an economic life that is often shorter than the physical life.

The prediction of logging equipment costs considered the following items:

- a) purchase price,
- b) machine life,
- c) salvage value,
- d) cost of capital (interest rate),
- e) insurance costs,
- f) licensing costs,
- g) labour costs,
- h) fuel, lubricant and hydraulic oil costs,
- i) maintenance costs, and
- j) machine utilization.

Costing models used previously in studies of logging machines and systems have faults related to their treatment of capital costs. The straight write-off approach used by Boyd and Novak [15] makes no charge for invested capital and assumes no salvage value. The method used in PAPRICAN's and FERIC's machine evaluation studies e.g. [128; 85], write-off plus interest on half the investment, assumes no salvage value and equal annual interest charges. The widely used straight-line write-off plus interest on the average investment e.g. [6; 24; 154] fails to recognize compound interest effects. All these methods assume an equal

annual write-off fixed by an estimate of recovery period which is usually defined as the machine's "useful" life.

This research used a capital recovery with return approach to calculate capital costs. In comparison, the straight-line write-off plus interest on the average investment, the most accurate of the previously discussed costing methods, provides capital cost estimates which are about 11% low for a 10 year recovery period and a 12% interest rate. The capital costs (CC) expressed in annual equivalent dollars per productive machine hour (PMH) were calculated using the formula

$$CC_j = \frac{(PP - SV_j) CRF + SV_j \times I}{SHY \times U} \quad (2)$$

where: CC_j = capital costs in year "j" (\$/PMH)

PP = purchase price (\$)

SV_j = salvage value in year "j"

CRF = capital-recovery factor = $\frac{I(1 + I)^j}{(1 + I)^j - 1}$

I = interest rate (decimal %)

SHY = scheduled hours yearly (scheduled machine hours)

U = utilization (decimal %).

A machine's salvage value is a measure of the remaining utility in the machine. Value is lost over time as the efficiency of the machine decreases. For example, an engine reaches its maximum efficiency following a short run-in period after which its overall efficiency declines as the cylinder walls, pistons and rings wear. The machine always maintains some value if only as scrap metal though the costs of disposal may negate any salvage value.

For this analysis, a machine's value was assumed to decrease at an annual rate of 30%. The salvage value of a machine in year "j" (SV_j) was estimated to be

$$SV_j = PP (1 - 0.30)^j \quad (3)$$

The remaining costs of harvesting equipment consists of both fixed and variable cost items. Licensing, insurance and to a lesser extent operator wages are fixed and are incurred whether or not the machine operates. The variable costs of fuel, oils and lubricants, and repairs are dependent on the number of hours worked by the machine. All these costs were converted to a productive machine hour basis.

Insurance costs (INC), an expenditure for protection against damage to the machine, were assumed to be a constant 3% of the machine's residual value annually.

$$INC = \frac{0.03 \times SV_j}{SHY \times U} \quad (4)$$

Licensing costs (LC) were included only for the truck and trailer in this analysis. This cost was fixed at \$1700 per annum based on the vehicle registration fees of the province of Ontario. Other equipment would not usually be licensed for highway travel.

$$LC = \frac{\$1700}{SHY \times U} \quad (5)$$

Both operator wages and fringe benefits based on a recent union contract [4] were included in manpower costs (MC). A fringe benefit factor (FBF) equalling 35% of direct wages was applied. It was assumed that manpower costs would continue to rise at an average rate of 5% annually in constant dollars as they have in the past twenty years. Hourly manpower costs (\$/PMH) were calculated using the equation

$$MC = \frac{W (1 + FBF) \times (1.05)^{j-1}}{U} \quad (6)$$

where: W = operator's wage (\$/scheduled machine hour).

The cost of fuel (FC) is dependent on engine design characteristics, speed and efficiency, fuel density, fuel price and the load factor (LF). The load factor, a measure of the severity of the job and conditions under which the machine is operating, is defined as the actual fuel consumption as a proportion of the maximum capacity of the engine to burn fuel. Sample load factors typical of harvesting equipment are summarized in Table 3. Hourly fuel costs (\$/PMH) were estimated using the following equation.

$$FC = 0.21 \times GP \times LF \times FP \quad (7)$$

where: GP = gross engine power (kW)

FP = fuel price (\$/litre).

It was assumed that fuel consumption occurs only when the machine is producing wood. In reality, some non-productive operating time does occur, but it usually represents less than 3% of scheduled time. As such, its effect on costs is insignificant and affects all machines approximately equally.

Table 3. Sample Load, Hydraulic Complexity and Repair Cost Factors for Various Logging Machines
[24; 154].

EQUIPMENT TYPE	LOAD FACTOR	HYDRAULIC COMPLEXITY FACTOR	REPAIR COST FACTOR
Skidder	0.65	0.15	0.08
Forwarder	0.70	0.40	0.08
Tracked Feller	0.65	0.25	0.10
Feller-Bunches	0.65	0.25	0.11
Feller-Forwarder	0.70	0.40	0.10
Tree-Length Harvester	0.65	0.40	0.12
Stripper Delimber	0.70	0.40	0.10
Flail	0.70	0.25	0.11
Knuckleboom Loader	0.70	0.25	0.08
Tractor-Trailer	0.75	0.15	0.13

The cost of oil and lubricants (OLC) varies with engine power and the capacity and complexity of the hydraulic system. These costs are commonly expressed as a proportion of fuel costs since a strong relationship exists between the unit prices of fuel, oils and lubricants.

$$OLC = FC \times HCF \quad (8)$$

where: HCF = hydraulic complexity factor (see Table 3).

The average hourly repair costs (RC) over a machine's life were estimated using the following equation [24, p. 28-29; 15, p. 5].

$$RC = \frac{PP \times RCF}{1000} \quad (9)$$

where: RCF = repair cost factor (\$/\$1000 of purchase price/PMH).

This cost includes all parts and mechanics' labour. The repair cost factor depends on machine type, operating conditions and the competence of the maintenance organization. Typical values for this factor are shown in Table 3.

A constant repair cost factor was used because long-term patterns of repair costs for logging equipment tend to be constant after adjustment for inflation until the frame fails. Boyd suggests that the reduced repair time with age results from corrective action on problem areas and the build-up of maintenance experience [14, p. 17]. In addition, much of the machine is not as old as the chassis since components are continually replaced during repairs.

Total hourly operating costs (OC) are calculated by summing insurance, licensing, manpower, fuel, oil and lubricant and repair costs.

$$OC = INC + LC + MC + FC + OLC + RC \quad (10)$$

Utilization, that is the proportion of scheduled hours that the machine is actually productive, is dependent upon the mechanical reliability inherent within the machine, and the operational effectiveness of the woodlands organization.

One measure of a machine's mechanical reliability is its availability, that is the portion of total scheduled time in which the machine's mechanical condition permits work. The availability (A) of a machine can be defined as

$$A = \frac{MTBR}{MTBR + MTTR} \quad (11)$$

where: MTBR = mean time between repairs

MTTR = mean time to repair.

Values used in this research for the MTBR of logging equipment were gathered from various long-term studies of machine repair statistics e.g. [51; 65; 132]. Where values were unavailable, estimates were made by combining available information for similar components on other equipment [78; 106].

A mean time to repair (MTTR) of 1.8 hours was assumed determining the mechanical availability [14, p. 17]. The MTTR varies with machine and mechanical characteristics such as accessibility and part complexity, the mechanic's skill and the facilities with which he works, but the 1.8 hour value is typical of most harvesting machines and woodlands maintenance organizations.

Availability is not directly convertible to utilization, since some repairs may be completed outside scheduled hours. Some companies' maintenance policies restrict repairs to scheduled hours, but in many cases 85% of all repair time occurs within scheduled hours [48, p. 4; 49, p. 4].

In addition servicing activities such as fuelling, cleaning, oil changes and preventive maintenance, are required on the machine. The time required for these activities varies with the manufacturer's recommended servicing schedule and on company policy, but is proportional to the machine's productive hours. Typically, 10% of productive hours are spent servicing the machine. Availability thus becomes

$$A = \frac{MTBR}{1.1 \times MTBR + 0.85 \times MTTR} \quad (12)$$

Operational effectiveness (OE) is the other factor which affects the machine utilization. This factor measures the organizational and human controlled performance of the machine.

$$OE = \frac{PMH}{PMH + WM + WP + NMD} \quad (13)$$

where: WM = time spent waiting for mechanic(s) or repair facilities,

WP = time spent waiting for repair parts,

NMD = non-mechanical time delay.

Boyd [14, pp. 50-51] suggested that non-mechanical delay time could be divided into:

- a) Operational lost time, caused by weather or terrain conditions (e.g. warm-up or machine stuck), interference between other machines in the system, waiting for supervisor's instructions, aiding other machines, etc.;
- b) Personal (e.g. operator late, sick, rest allowances); and
- c) In-shift moving (e.g. moving between cut blocks).

Various studies of operational effectiveness have shown it to be extremely variable ranging from 54% [14, p. 26] to 95% [65, p. 4]. Values of operational efficiency appropriate to each machine were used in the analysis.

The product of availability and operational effectiveness is utilization (U).

$$U = A \times OE$$

$$= \frac{MTBR}{1.1 \times MTBR + 0.85 \times MTTR} \times OE \quad (14)$$

The utilization factor was used to convert costs from a scheduled hour to a productive hour basis where necessary.

The sum of the capital and operating costs are the total machine costs. However, since both vary with machine age, the cash flows were converted to a common time basis. The operating costs for each year are discounted and summed, and the total converted to annual equivalent dollars per productive machine hour.

$$EAC_j = CC_j + CRF \times \left(\sum_{k=1}^j OC_k \times (1+i)^{-k} \right) \quad (15)$$

where: EAC_j = equivalent annual cost in year "j" (\$/PMH)

OC_k = operating costs in year "k" (\$/PMH)

Hourly operating costs were measured in constant dollars, so an "inflation-free" interest rate of 12% was used in the analysis.

The machine age which produced the minimum equivalent periodic cost for equation 15 is the optimum economic life [43, pp. 125-147; 139, pp. 90-214]. It was assumed that obsolescence due to technological changes necessitate machine replacement within a maximum of 10 years. If the lowest cost point had not been reached by that point, the optimum life was assumed to be 10 years. The machine hourly cost (HCOST) used to calculate activity durations (equation 1) was the equivalent periodic cost for the machine kept for its optimal life.

$$\text{HCOST} = \text{Minimum}_{j=1 \rightarrow 10} (\text{EAC}_j) \quad (16)$$

3.2.2 Productivity Prediction Equations

The productivity of forest harvesting equipment is dependent on a basic cycle time inherent to the machine which is modified by conditions in the physical environment and by operator performance. As such, a model of productivity is

$$\text{HPRD} = \frac{Q \times 6000}{\text{CT} (1 + \text{EF} + \text{OP})} \quad (17)$$

where: HPRD = hourly productivity (m^3/PMH)

Q = quantity produced per cycle (m^3)

CT = machine cycle time (centiminutes per cycle)

EF = productivity adjustment factor for physical
environmental conditions

OP = productivity adjustment factor for operator performance.

However, the potential usefulness of this model is limited.

Machine design itself fixes the potential zone of application for a piece of harvesting equipment. For example, a feller-buncher can operate only where the slope is less than some critical angle above which the machine will roll over. Similarly a skidder can pull a larger load only while its tractive effort exceeds the forces resisting skidding. Since performance decreases rapidly as these physical limits are reached, machines tend to be used in areas where performance is least affected by physical conditions. Within each zone of application, tree parameters such as stem volume are frequently the only influencing factor.

As previously discussed, quantifying environmental influences has proved to be extremely difficult because of interactions between various conditions, and the variability of the micro-environment. Equipment such as trucks and loaders which operate under relatively constant conditions are the only consistent exception.

Quantifying factors affecting operator performance has proved equally difficult. While many authors e.g. [85] have observed operator effects on cycle times, these differences could frequently be attributed to inexperienced operators. The study of tractor-mounted shears by Cottell et al. [29] was the only study found during the literature review which quantified the impact of factors such as experience, motivation and manual dexterity on operator performance.

The best available predictive equations for machine cycle time have coefficients of multiple determination (R^2) which explain less than 65% of cycle time variation. Frequently only a small portion of the cycle time was variable, with machine design and unmeasured or unused variables producing large constants in the equations. While recognizing the problems involved, this research used the available information on cycle times taken in most cases from various machine evaluation studies.

As such, a simpler model of productivity was used

$$\text{HPROD} = \frac{\text{MV} \times 6000}{\text{CT}} \quad (18)$$

where: MV = merchantable volume per tree (m^3).

The equations for machine cycle time (CT) used in this analysis are summarized in Appendix B. The hourly productivity (HPROD) of each activity was calculated using equation 18.

Since the productivity and most cycle time calculations required various tree parameters, relationships for stump diameter, merchantable tree-length, green weights of tree-lengths and full-trees, and merchantable volume were identified based on tree diameter breast height (DBH). These equations are summarized in Appendix B.2 for the four main softwood species in Eastern Canada.

3.2.3 Example of Activity Duration Calculations

To illustrate how the hourly cost and productivity estimates were related, the activity duration calculation for the arc joining nodes 1 and 142 in Figure 7 follows.

The machine used in this activity is a Koehring KFF feller forwarder. Table 4 summarizes the costing data used in the sample calculation. The general variables apply to all activities. Activity variables are specific to the machine used in the activity.

By substituting the costing variables in Table 4 into equations 2-14, the hourly operating and capital costs shown in Table 5 were calculated. Since the operating costs are a future value, they were converted to an annual equivalent before summation with capital costs to obtain total hourly costs (equation 15).

Table 4. Costing Variables for the Sample Activity Duration Calculation.

General Variables:

Interest Rate (%)	12
Fuel Price (\$/litre)	0.22
Repair Time In-Shift (% of total repair time)	85
Fringe Benefit Factor (% of hourly wage)	35
Insurance Rate Factor (% of unrecovered value)	3
Rate of Lost Utility (% per year)	30

Activity Variables:

Scheduled Hours Yearly (SMH)	3840
Purchase Price (\$)	325 000
Hourly Wage (\$/SMH)	9.66
Gross Power (kW)	257
Load Factor	0.70
Hydraulic Complexity Factor	0.25
Repair Cost Factor	0.10
Mean Time Between Repairs (PMH)	11.8
Operational Effectiveness	0.90
License Cost (\$/yr)	0

Table 5. Equivalent Annual Hourly Cost (\$/PMH) for the Sample Calculation.

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
END OF YEAR NUMBER	HOURLY OPERATING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH FACTOR	PRESENT WORTH OF HOURLY OPERATING COSTS (BxC)	SUM OF PRESENT WORTH OF HOURLY OPERATING COSTS (ED)	CAPITAL RECOVERY FACTOR	EQUIVALENT ANNUAL HOURLY OPERATING COSTS (ExF)	EQUIVALENT ANNUAL HOURLY CAPITAL COST	TOTAL EQUIVALENT ANNUAL HOURLY COST (G+H)
1	63.14	0.8929	56.38	56.38	1.1200	63.14	48.56	117.70
2	63.30	0.7972	50.46	106.84	0.5917	63.22	41.69	104.91
3	63.72	0.7118	45.36	152.20	0.4164	63.37	36.39	99.76
4	64.34	0.6355	40.89	193.08	0.3292	63.56	32.26	95.82
5	65.12	0.5674	36.95	230.03	0.2774	63.81	29.01	92.82
6	66.04	0.5066	33.46	263.49	0.2432	64.08	26.44	90.52
7	67.05	0.4524	30.33	293.82	0.2191	64.38	24.39	88.77
8	68.16	0.4039	27.53	321.35	0.2013	64.69	22.73	87.42
9	69.35	0.3606	25.01	346.36	0.1877	65.01	21.39	86.40
10	70.63	0.3220	22.74	369.10	0.1770	65.33	20.28	85.61

In the example, a minimum cost point was not reached within a 10 year period. Thus, the hourly cost (HCOST) of the activity was equated to the equivalent hourly cost in year 10, \$85.61 per productive machine hour.

Table 6 summarizes the operating variables used to calculate hourly productivity. The values for the weight of full trees and merchantable volume per tree were calculated for average tree size using the tree parameter equations in Appendix B.2 for black spruce.

Table 6. Productivity Variables for the Sample Activity Duration Calculation.

Operating Variables:

Species	Black Spruce
Average Tree Size (DBH in cm)	18.00
Average Primary Transport Distance (meters)	200

Calculated Variables:

Weight of Full Tree (kg)	195.6
Merchantable Volume per Tree (m ³)	0.152

The cycle time per tree (CT) for the Koehring KFF was calculated using the equation [85, p. 5]

$$CT = 49.4 + \frac{(52 + 5.84 \times DIST)}{NT} \quad (19)$$

$$- 7.2 \times (INT (\frac{1135}{3 \times WTFT}) + 1)$$

$$= 42.4 \times MV$$

$$= 52.76 \text{ min/tree}$$

where: DIST = one-way travel distance (200 x 1.4 = 280 m)

NT = number of trees per trip = $INT (\frac{29000}{WTFT}) = 148$

INT = integer function which returns the non-decimal portion of a number

WTFT = weight of full trees (kg)

MV = merchantable volume per tree (m³).

Substituting the cycle time into equation 18 gives the hourly productivity.

$$HPROD = \frac{MV \times 6000}{CT}$$

$$= \frac{0.152 \times 6000}{52.76}$$

$$= 17.3 \text{ m}^3/\text{PMH}$$

Combining the hourly cost and productivity estimates in equation 1 gives the activity's duration.

$$CW = \frac{HCOST}{HPROD}$$

$$= \frac{85.61}{17.3}$$

$$= \$4.96/\text{m}^3$$

3.3 Shortest Path Network Analysis Program

An interactive package of BASIC computer programs entitled LOGNAP, an acronym for LOGing Network Anal^ysis Programs, was developed to analyze a network of alternative systems such as that developed in Section 3.1. The programs define the network, calculate the activity durations and rank a user-specified number of least-cost paths through the network.

The flowchart shown in Figure 8 summarizes the basic logic sequence of LOGNAP. The complete program listing and some explanation of the non-standard features in the particular BASIC interpreter used in the research are contained in Appendix C.

The sections which follow discuss the limitations on the size of network to be analyzed, and algorithms used to renumber nodes and find the shortest paths.

3.3.1 Program Limitations

Five basic parameters are entered to describe the network and control processing:

- a) the number of activities in the network,
- b) the number of nodes in the network,
- c) the number of least-cost paths desired by the user,
- d) an estimate of the maximum number of nodes on any least-cost path, and
- e) the number of sets of variables.

As presently dimensioned, the number of activities and nodes in the network is limited to 250, a maximum of 50 paths can be selected, and a path cannot contain more than 25 nodes.

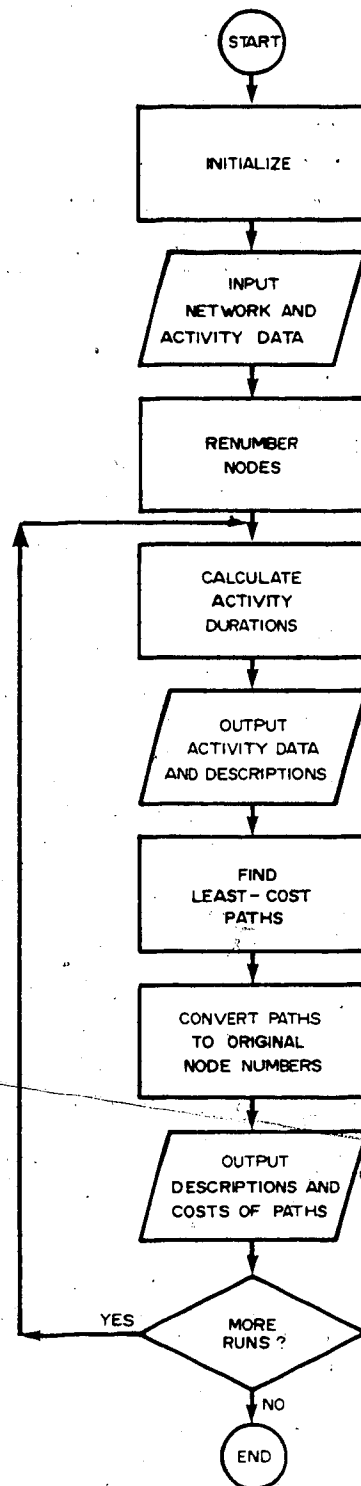


Figure 8. Flowchart outlining the logic sequence of LOGNAP.

3.3.2 Node Renumbering Routine

The subroutine RNUM renumbers the network nodes to satisfy the so-called I-J rule⁴. This was included in LOGNAP to:

- a) simplify the network development process by permitting haphazardly numbered nodes to be used,
- b) facilitate modification of the network as required, and
- c) satisfy the requirements of the shortest path algorithm.

The routine was one adapted by Burney [20] from one developed earlier by Lievers [88].

The nodes of the network are numbered between 1 for the origin, that is the node having no predecessors, and the total number of nodes in the network for the terminus using all numbers between these values.

The following are the main steps in the routine:

- STEP (a) - identify the terminal node number of the network, and set counters.
- STEP (b) - increment activity counter, and test if all activities have been checked. If so, transfer to Step (g).
- STEP (c) - identify an activity having the terminal node, and equate the terminal node of the activity to the highest remaining terminal node number. Note that during the initial pass, the highest remaining terminal node number is the number of nodes in the network.

⁴ The I-J rule requires that the nodes in a network be numbered so that the initial node number of any activity is less than the terminal node of that activity.

STEP (d) - test if the other activities have the same initial node.

A unique initial node implies that no alternative path exists between the initial and terminal nodes of the activity. If the node is not unique, transfer to Step (b).

STEP (e) - decrement the highest remaining initial node number, and set the initial nodes of all activities having that initial node to the highest remaining node number.

STEP (f) - if all initial nodes have been renumbered, go to Step (h).
If not, transfer to Step (b).

STEP (g) - decrement the highest remaining terminal node number, and identify the initial node of the highest remaining uprenumbered activity. Reset activity counter and transfer to Step (b).

STEP (h) - reset the initial nodes to their original values, and establish a key for the renumbered nodes.

3.3 Yen's Algorithm

The shortest paths through the network are determined using an algorithm developed by Yen [159]. This algorithm increases its computational needs linearly with relation to the number of paths sought, whereas other approaches to the shortest path problem, e.g. Lievers [88] increase their computational requirements exponentially.

Yen's algorithm capitalizes on the fact that once the shortest path has been found, the nodes on any sub-optimal path must coincide with at least one node on the previously identified paths. Thus to find the next shortest path, only the shortest deviations from the previously found paths need to be evaluated. The shortest of these candidates is the next best path.

As proposed by Yen, two lists (matrices) are used to store the best paths found so far and the candidate paths respectively. In LOGNAP a modification which reduces the storage requirements has been made to the algorithm. Since only the desired number of paths need to be stored, both lists can be saved in the same matrix. The best paths are stored in the top portion of the matrix and the candidates in the bottom part. As each path is identified, it is inserted in the matrix at the appropriate position from lowest to highest cost and any longer paths are forced down in the stack or even dropped. Upon completion of each iteration, the shortest candidate path is added to the bottom of the permanent list by incrementing a row counter by one.

The basic steps in the algorithm are as follows:

- STEP (a) - find the shortest path through the network. In LOGNAP, the shortest path between any two nodes was found using Elmaghraby's algorithm (see next section).
- STEP (b) - for each subsequent path desired, check if the subpath between each node of the most recently found path and the origin node coincide with a portion of any previously found paths. If so, set the duration of the activity following the match to a large number.
- STEP (c) - find the shortest path around the blockage to the terminal node. This subpath becomes the spur.
- STEP (d) - form a new path by joining the portion of the path behind the blockage, the root, with the spur and add the path to the list of candidates.
- STEP (e) - select the shortest path from the list of candidates and add to the permanent list.
- STEP (f) - continue at Step (b) until the number of desired paths has been found.

Satisfaction of the I-J rule is necessary for Yen's algorithm.

Before the paths are outputted, the original nodes are restored using the key developed in the node renumbering routine.

The formulation of Yen's algorithm used in LOGNAP is based on a program GSPNA developed by Horne [67]. Although GSPNA is less efficient than a second program GMSP also prepared by Horne, storage limitations made it preferable on the computer used in this research. The more efficient GMSP version of the algorithm can be easily adapted for use in LOGNAP if run on a larger computer (>64K of core memory).

3.3.4 Elmaghraby's Algorithm

Numerous algorithms have been developed for finding the shortest path between two specified nodes, e.g. Bellman and Kalaba [7], Dantzig [34], Dijkstra [36], Ford and Fulkerson [54], and Minty [109]. A 1969 review of shortest path algorithms made by Dreyfus [39] concluded that the Dijkstra algorithm was the most efficient at that time. Other shortest path routines have been developed since 1969, e.g. Yen [160] and O'Regan [122], but while efficient, they are not general. Moreover these algorithms are concerned with the shortest path through a directed, cyclic network.

The network developed for this research is directed but contains no loops. The above-mentioned algorithms could be used in this application, but an easier approach exists since the network can be numbered to satisfy the I-J rule. Since only those activities whose initial node equals or exceeds the origin node of the path need to be evaluated, half the number of additions and comparisons is required in an acyclic network compared to a cyclic.

By identifying the optimal predecessor node, the initial node producing the lowest duration, the optimal path can be found by working backwards through the network.

Elmaghraby [42, p. 10] proposed a dynamic programming algorithm for the shortest path through a directed, acyclic network which uses the following relationship:

$$\sigma_j = \min_i (\sigma_i + D_{ij}) \quad (20)$$

where: σ_j = the duration of the shortest path at node j

D_{ij} = the duration of the path between nodes i and j.

The following are the main steps in the formulation of Elmaghraby's algorithm used in LOGNAP:

- STEP (a) - identify the minimum possible terminal number node for an activity. Note that this is the initial node plus one, since the terminal node of an activity must exceed the initial node number to satisfy the I-J rule.
- STEP (b) - set the optimum predecessor to zero and the path cost to infinity.
- STEP (c) - consider each activity to see if its terminal node is the minimum possible, and if its initial node of the activity is not less than the initial node for this path. If not, continue Step (c) for the remaining activities.
- STEP (d) - test if the path length from the initial node to this node is minimal. If so, establish the new minimal path length and optimal predecessor. Continue at Step (c) with the remaining activities.
- STEP (e) - when all activities have been considered, establish a new initial node, and continue at Step (a). When all nodes greater than the initial node of the path have been examined, the length of the shortest path is known.
- STEP (f) - the nodes on the shortest path are found by working backwards from the terminal node to the origin using the optimal predecessors of each node.

4. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

To illustrate the application of shortest path network analysis to the selection of least-cost forest harvesting systems, several LOGNAP runs were made. These runs investigated the optimal and near-optimal harvesting systems under a set of standard environmental conditions. The effects that changes in these conditions had on the systems selected were also studied.

The expanded network diagram shown in Figure 7 was used for the runs. The network consisted of 133 activities and 77 nodes, and had 848 alternative paths. The basic data for the activities comprising the network including initial and final node numbers, activity descriptions, and various costing variables outlined in Section 3.2 are summarized in Appendix D.

The standard environmental conditions common to all activities were separated into economic and operating variables. These standard parameters are summarized in Table 7. Except where noted in the following sections these values for the variables were used.

The sections which follow describe the results of the runs and suggestions for future work.

Table 7. Values of Variables Describing Standard Environmental Conditions Used in the Sample Analysis.

ECONOMIC VARIABLES

Interest Rate (%)	12
Fuel Price (\$/litre)	0.22
Repair Time In-Shift (% of total repair time)	85
Fringe Benefit Factor (% of hourly wage)	35
Insurance Rate Factor (% of unrecovered value)	3
Rate of Lost Utility (%/year)	30

OPERATING VARIABLES

Tree Species	Black Spruce
Average Tree Size (DBH in cm)	18
Stand Density (m ³ /hectare)	100
Average Primary Transport Distance (m)	150
Hauling Distance - Road Class 1 (km)	96
Hauling Distance - Road Class 2 (km)	16
Hauling Distance - Road Class 3 (km)	3
Average Slope (%)	0

4.1 Optimal and Near-Optimal Harvesting Systems

LOGNAP was used to select the 50 least-cost forest harvesting system from the 848 possible alternatives. Appendix E.1 contains the complete computer output for this run.

Fifty paths were selected so as to minimize computing time and storage requirements. It was felt that identifying additional systems beyond this number would provide little benefit other than satisfying curiosity. If needed, the costs of non-selected systems can be calculated using the activity duration data from LOGNAP's output.

On the Hewlett-Packard 9845B mini-computer used for this research, a run time of approximately two hours was required to trace the 50 paths. This relatively long computer run time is attributable to the small size of the computer rather than algorithmic inefficiencies. A test run of LOGNAP on a larger computer, an H.-P. 1000, suggests that run times several hundred times shorter can be attained with the programs..

Results of this run, specifically the range in woods costs within the top 50 systems and the actual systems selected, are discussed in the next two sections.

4.1.1 Wood Costs

Wood cost data for the first 50 least-cost alternative harvesting systems are plotted in Figure 9. The systems are ranked in ascending order based on wood costs measured in dollars per cubic metre of tree-length wood unloaded at the mill site. Note that these costs are based solely on machine rates and do not include such costs as roads, supervision and overheads.

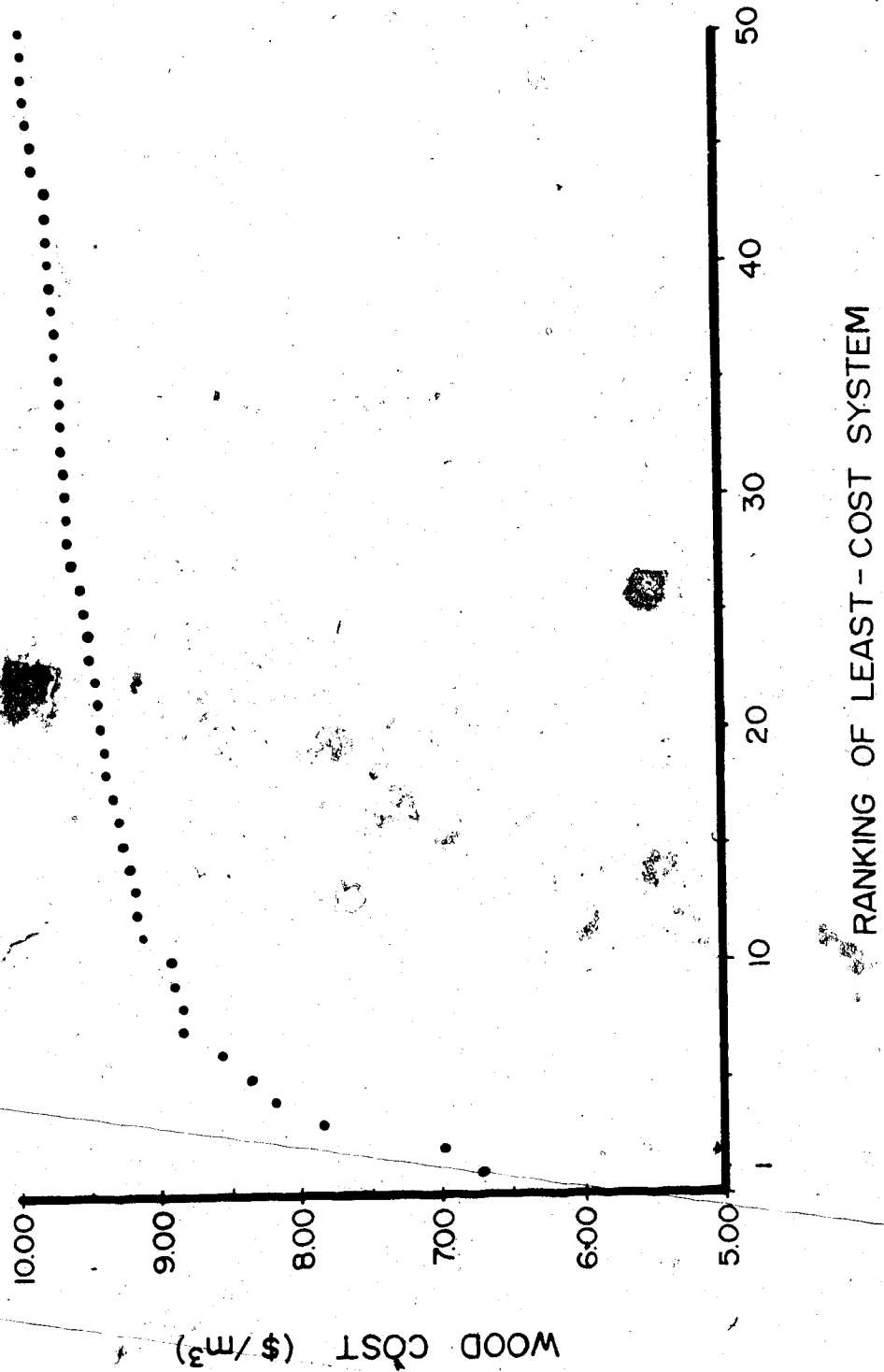


Figure 9. Wood costs for the 50 least-cost alternative harvesting systems.

The cost curve in Figure 9 indicates that the two systems which produced the lowest wood costs are significantly cheaper than those subsequently selected for the standard conditions. The two best systems have wood costs 10 percent lower, about $\$1/\text{m}^3$, less than the third best system. Perhaps more important however is that the range in wood costs between System 10 and System 50 is also about $\$1/\text{m}^3$. A difference of only $\$0.40/\text{m}^3$ existed in the wood costs of System 26 and System 50.

In other words, under the conditions modelled in this run, wood costs are relatively insensitive to the actual system used. The majority of alternative systems are not significantly cheaper than other systems. Figure 10 shows that 80% of the alternative systems provide only about one third of the total difference in wood costs between System 1 and System 50.

Under these circumstances, the utility of shortest path network analysis to identify both optimal and non-optimal is a great advantage. The penalty costs of operating some machines outside their optimum range appear to be so small that a company might be prepared to absorb them rather than make additional capital expenditures. As such identifying the ranking and costs of sub-optimal systems may be of equal importance to finding the least-cost system.

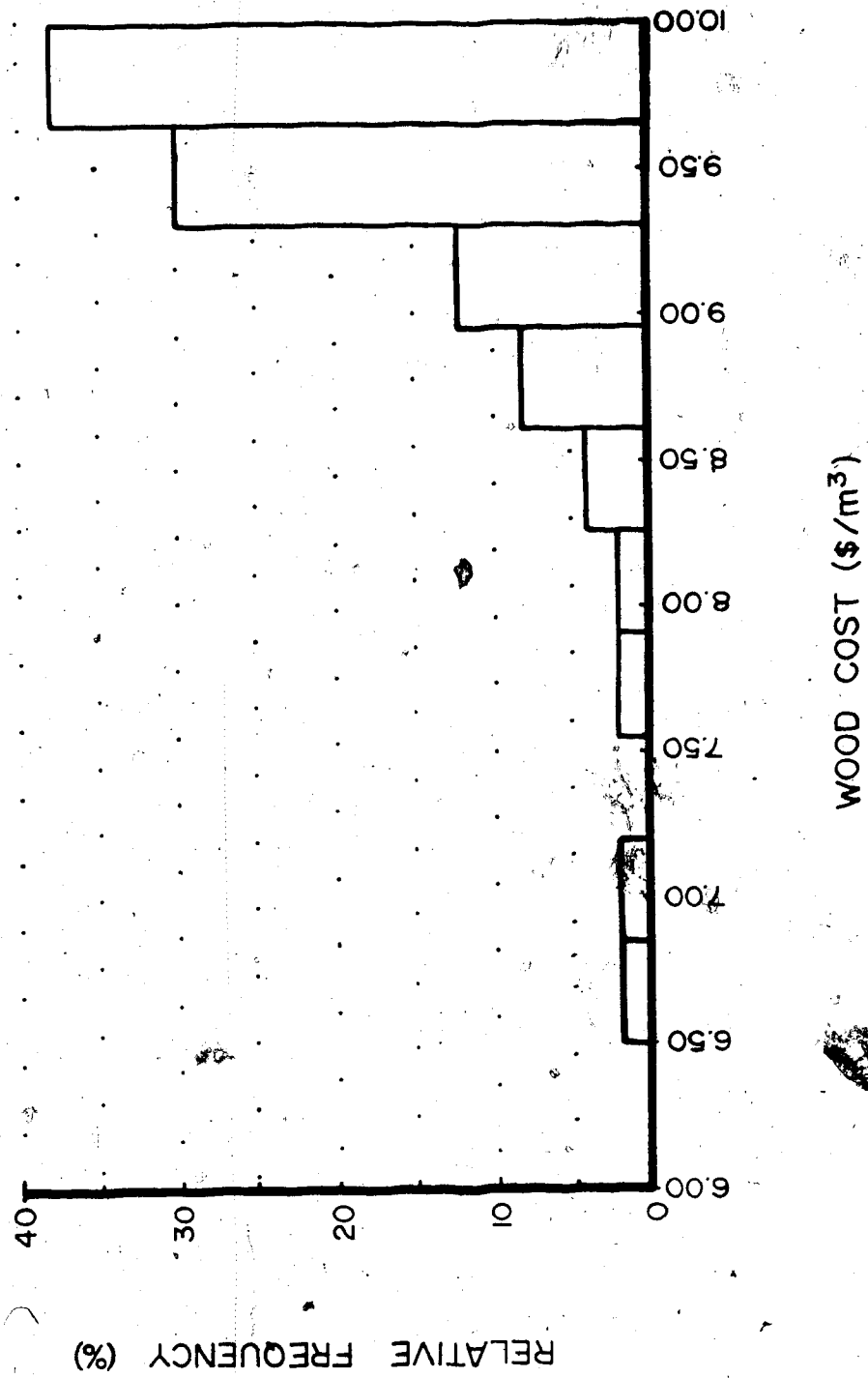


Figure 10. Frequency distribution of wood costs among the 50 least-cost alternative systems.

4.1.2 Systems Selected

Table 8 summarizes the alternative subsystems among the 50 least-cost systems as a means of identifying the types of equipment which offer the best alternatives. Total frequency of selection for each subsystem are located at the bottom of the table. Note that the subsystems which occur between landing and mill have not been included since they are common to all systems.

The majority of selected systems involve the subsystems of felling and bunching, primary transport of bunched full-trees, and delimbing at roadside. No particular piece of equipment appears to be superior for fulfilling the fell and bunch function. Grapple and clam-bunk skidders appeared to be superior for the primary transport stage. Roadside delimbing with flails was clearly superior but the model does not include any penalty costs for poor delimbing quality.

The first five least-cost systems utilize a "swathing" machine presently under development which fells and primary transports combined with roadside flail delimbing. This machine offers significantly lower wood costs than presently available systems under the conditions where the machine can operate. Somewhat surprising was the low ranking of systems using the similar feller-forwarder concept (34th) although the machine has recently enjoyed considerable commercial success.

Table 8. Main Subsystems in the 50 Least-Cost Alternative Harvesting Systems.

SYSTEM RANKING	FELL	FELL & BUNCH	FELL, DELIMB & BUNCH	FELL & DELIMB	FELL & PRIMARY TRANS.	FELL, DEL., BUN. & P.T. DELIMB (STUMPSIDE)	PRIMARY TRANS. (FT BUNCH)	DELIMB & BUNCH (STUMPSIDE)	PRIMARY TRANS. (FT LOOSE)	PRIMARY TRANS. (TL LOOSE)	PRIMARY TRANS. (TL BUNCH)	DELIMB (ROADSIDE)
1												X
2												X
3												X
4												X
5												X
6		X					X					X
7		X					X					X
8		X					X					X
9		X					X					X
10		X					X					X
11		X					X					X
12		X					X					X
13		X					X					X
14		X					X					X
15		X					X					X
16		X					X					X
17		X					X					X
18	X								X			X
19										X		X
20		X					X					X
21		X					X					X
22		X					X					X
23												X
24		X					X					X
25		X					X					X
26		X					X					X
27		X					X					X
28	X							X				X
29		X					X					X
30	X								X			X
31												X
32		X					X					X
33		X					X					X
34							X					X
35		X					X					X
36		X					X					X
37		X					X					X
38	X								X			X
39		X					X					X
40												X
41		X					X					X
42		X					X					X
43		X					X					X
44	X							X				X
45		X					X					X
46												X
47												X
48		X					X					X
49		X					X					X
50		X					X					X
TOTAL	5	33	3	1	8	0	7	26	2	3	1	37

4.2 Sensitivity Analysis

The operating environments of forest harvesting systems are extremely variable. Economic conditions are continually changing. The physical environment is seldom constant even within a cut-block. Other conditions set by management decisions are subject to change.

Given this variable operating environment, identifying the optimal and near-optimal systems is of limited value since the model parameters are fixed for any run. These parameters may be the best estimates of present and future operating conditions, but they remain estimates with uncertainty associated with them. Thus the solution of a practical problem is incomplete without investigating how changes in the operating environment affect the optimal solution.

Sensitivity analysis, the study of how the parameters affect the optimal solution can be undertaken using LOGNAP. To illustrate how sensitivity analysis could be applied, several potentially important parameters, energy prices and tree size, were studied. Sensitivity analysis was also used to determine the optimal operating zones for harvesting systems.

4.2.1 Energy Prices

The effects of energy prices were chosen for evaluation because of their volatile nature and potential scarcity. An analysis of the historical impact of energy expenditures on wood costs suggested that wood costs increase at about half the rate of energy price hikes on a constant dollar basis. This figure was used to account for the impact of different fuel prices on all components of machine costs. Fuel prices were then varied from \$0.165/litre and \$0.44/litre, the

upper figure being approximately double present costs while holding the other standard variables constant. Results of these LOGNAP runs are summarized in Appendix E.2.

The selection sequence of the standard systems was greatly affected by changes in fuel prices. Table 9 compares the selection sequence of alternative harvesting systems at various levels of fuel costs. The systems are numbered based on their ranking under the standard conditions.

While the three least-cost systems maintained their rankings over the range of prices studied, some systems proved to be very sensitive to energy price changes. For example, a manual, "cut and skid" system which ranked 19th under standard conditions was the fourth cheapest system when fuel prices were doubled. A system that was unranked when fuel cost \$0.22/litre was selected eighth when fuels cost \$0.44/litre. Other so-called manual systems showed similar dramatic improvements in their rankings.

The overall effect of a doubling in energy prices was a 67% increase in wood costs for the least-cost system. The overall shape of the system cost curve (Figure 10) remained similar but was shifted upwards with higher energy prices.

Undertaking sensitivity analysis with LOGNAP was easy. Only one equation and one standard variable required changes to determine the effects of energy prices on the selection of the least-cost systems.

Table 9. Changes in the Selection Sequence of the Standard Systems under Different Fuel Prices

Fuel Prices					
25% Lower (\$0.165/L)	Standard (\$0.22/L)	25% Higher (\$0.275/L)	50% Higher (\$0.33/L)	75% Higher (\$0.385/L)	Double (\$0.44/L)
1	1	1	1	1	1
2	2	2	2	2	2
3	3	3	3	3	3
4	4	4	4	4	19
5	5	5	5	19	4
6	6	6	19	5	5
8	7	7	6	6	6
7	8	8	7	7	-
9	9	9	8	18	18
10	10	19	9	9	7
11	11	10	10	8	9
13	12	11	18	10	8
12	13	18	11	-	10
14	14	12	12	12	28
15	15	13	13	11	30
16	16	14	-	28	38
17	17	16	14	30	12
20	18	15	16	38	11
22	19	17	28	13	-
21	20	20	15	16	-

4.2.2 Average Tree Size

One of the most important operating variables affecting system performance is average tree size. It enters activity duration calculations in the cycle time equations for many machines and in the hourly productivity equation (#18). To study the sensitivity of systems selection to this variable, a series of LOGNAP runs were made varying tree diameters at breast height between 12 and 30 centimeters. Results of these runs are summarized in Appendix E.3.

Figure 11 illustrates the observed effects of average tree size on the least-cost system selection. While the swather with roadside flail delimbing remained optimal over most of the range in tree size, a tractor-mounted shear system was the least-cost system with trees greater than 26 cm DBH. This system however, exhibited great sensitivity to average tree size.

A swather-based system with a roll delimeter was optimal with very small trees though very marginally (\$0.01/m³). In actual practice, it is unlikely that this system would be utilized since a stand of trees with a 12 cm diameter is on the borderline of merchantability.

An advantage of the shortest path network analysis approach to system selection is apparant from this example of sensitivity analysis. Prediction equations of non-linear form are easily incorporated into the model without the need for approximation using line segments as mathematical programming approaches would require. Three or four segments would be necessary to accurately describe the cost curve of the tractor-mounted shear system, but only one equation was needed using LOGNAP.

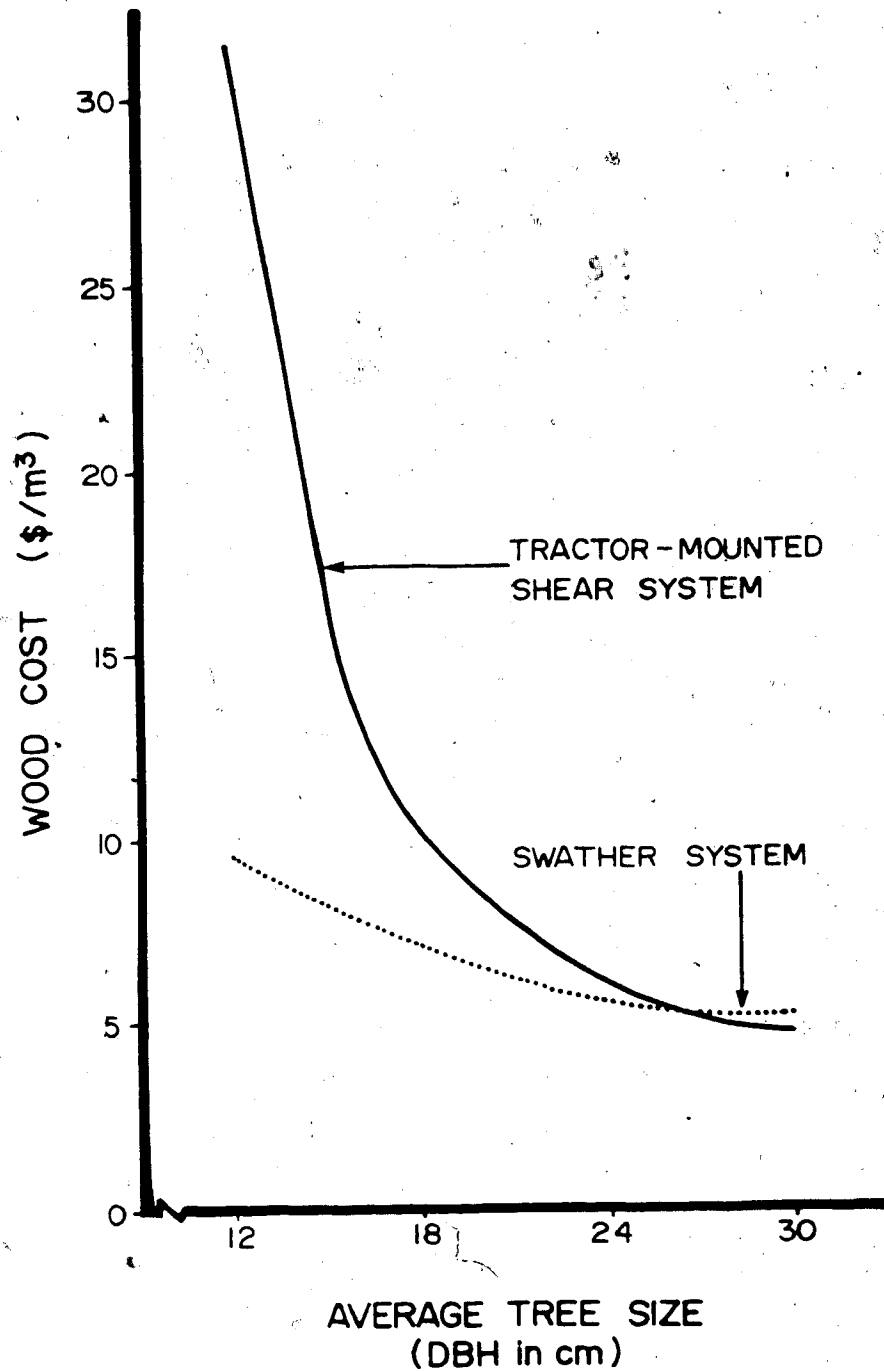


Figure 11. Effects of average tree size on harvesting costs of the least-cost harvesting system.

4.2.3 Optimal Operating Zones

One potential application of sensitivity analysis with LOGNAP is to identify the optimal operating zones for harvesting systems. To illustrate such a use, sensitivity analyses were conducted on a range of average tree sizes and stand densities. These parameters were varied across the range of conditions typically found in Eastern Canada: tree diameters at breast height from 12 to 30 centimeters and stand volumes from 60 to 180 cubic metres/hectare. The results of these LOGNAP runs are summarized in Appendix E.3.

Both stand parameters had a significant impact on the sequence of system selection. Many systems which had not been selected in the previous analyses became optimal or near-optimal. Over the range of parameters examined, wood costs more than doubled. Table 10 summarizes the wood costs for the three systems which became optimal over conditions studied.

Three systems were optimal for practical purposes under some combination of stand density and tree size. A fourth system was optimal with very small trees as discussed in the previous section but will not be considered. The swather-roadside flail system was the least-cost system over much of the range. A tractor-mounted shear with tracked cable skidding and roadside flail delimbing was optimal with large trees and low densities. A manual fell, tracked cable skidder and roadside flail system was the least-cost system with an average tree diameter of 18 cm and a stand density of 60 m³/ha. Figure 12 combines the response surfaces of the three systems. The shaded areas outline the conditions under which each system is optimal.

Table 10. Wood Costs (\$/m³) for the Least-Cost Harvesting Systems Under Varying Stand Volumes and Average Tree Sizes.

			STAND VOLUME (m ³ /ha)			
			60	100	140	180
AVERAGE TREE SIZE (DBH in cm)	12	SWATHER	10.79	9.62	9.12	8.84
	18		7.88	6.71	6.21	5.93
	24		6.78	5.62	5.12	4.84
	30		6.49	5.38	5.19	4.60
	12	TRACTOR-MOUNTED SHEAR, TRACKED CABLE SKID	32.73	31.43	30.64	30.11
	18		10.69	10.27	9.97	9.73
	24		6.16	6.05	5.93	5.83
	30		4.84	4.79	4.74	4.70
	12	MANUAL FELL, TRACKED CABLE SKID	29.82	29.82	29.82	29.82
	18		9.70	9.70	9.70	9.70
	24		6.09	6.09	6.09	6.09
	30		5.15	5.15	5.15	5.15

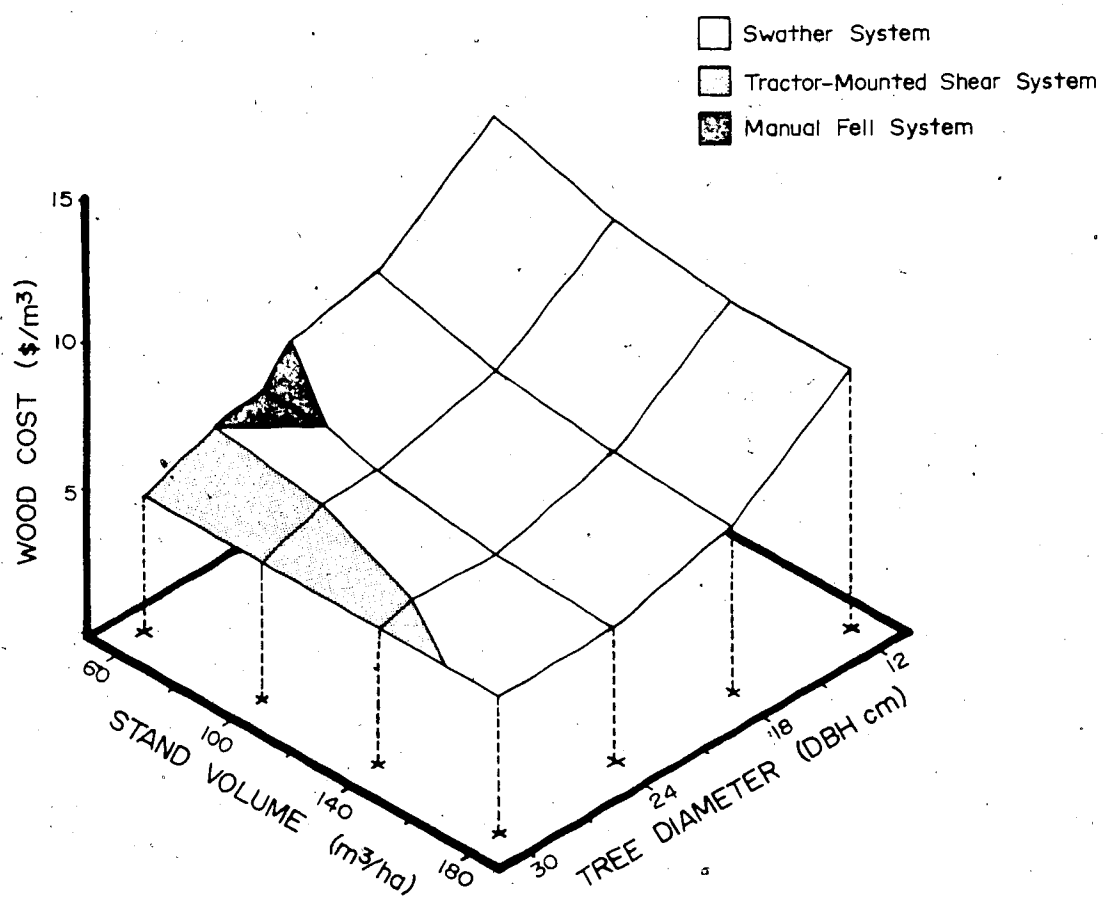


Figure 12. Least-cost harvesting systems under varying stand volumes and average tree sizes.

4.3 Program Modifications and Extensions

Several modifications could be made, to LOGNAP to improve the accuracy and usefulness of the program. The following are some areas for further work.

4.3.1 Costing Models

The costing model used in this research while more realistic than many used in the past e.g. [15] could still be improved. The treatment of equipment salvage values and repair costs in particular need refinement.

The assumption that a machine's salvage value equals what is in effect its undepreciated worth is not realistic in the present used-machinery market. Price escalations, largely due to a high inflation rate, have recently been so rapid that salvage values of equipment trade-ins may equal or exceed the original purchase price. Studies of logging equipment salvage values over time are not available.

A similar situation exists with repair costs. Though some companies can establish long-term repair costs, these are not generally available. This research assumed a long-term average cost for repairs. While this approach gives reasonable estimates of total expenditures, it may not provide a good picture of the actual timing of these costs. With a cash flow-type model, timing is a critical concern.

The development of an after-tax cash model should be considered, although machine costing is presently done on a before-tax basis in the Canadian logging industry. This approach would provide a better approximation of the company's actual cash flow.

The programming of several alternative costing models so that users could select the approach they wish to use may be desirable.

Cash flow models might also incorporate estimates of future costs for things such as energy and inflation.

4.3.2 Productivity Equations

While the equations used to predict productivity represent the best available information, they were frequently found to be deficient. In most cases for example, no relationship had been established for slope or soil conditions though such must exist and exercise a major influence on the system selected. Most machine studies do not examine sufficient stand and terrain conditions to quantify the impact of these variables on cycle times.

In other cases the equations used were taken from studies of prototype machines and old models. Whether these relationships apply to present equipment is debatable. Certainly the establishment of accurate relationships between cycle times and various operating conditions is necessary to minimize the selection of non-optimal systems.

An alternative would be to model the physical relationships involved with a working machine and derive cycle time estimates by calculation rather than from observation.

4.3.3 Data Set Edit Routine

No changes were made in the basic data set during the sample application. As presently programmed, such changes could only be made by complete re-entry of the data using the INPUT program. A routine for editing the data set would be a useful addition to LOGNAP. This would permit the updating of purchase prices and labour rates, and evaluation of the impact of machine specific variables on systems selection.

4.3.4 Uncertain Activity Durations

To compensate for imprecise costing and productivity estimates, uncertainty could be incorporated into the estimates of activity duration. A probability distribution for the estimated cost of each activity using optimistic, likely and pessimistic estimates of duration as is done with PERT could be established. The expected cost and a variance measure for any system could then be obtained. If a large variance is associated with the shortest path, or only small differences exist in the length of the shortest and sub-shortest paths, improved system selection might be achieved by considering risk and minimizing the uncertainty.

4.3.5 Negative Activity Durations

One advantage of Yen's algorithm is that the concept of a negative activity duration can be handled. This would permit compensation for non-equivalent activities to be included within the network.

For example shear damage to tree butts may produce a significant loss of value (10-15%) for fibre destined for lumber [50], but little loss in value if intended for pulping. Penalizing shearing equipment using a negative duration would place both the equipment and product on an equivalent base. Similarly an expanded network of all types of harvesting systems could be prepared with a compensating activities to place all systems to a common basis. Limbing quality is another area where the concept of penalty costs could be incorporated.

4.3.6 Optimal Operating Layouts

Comparisons made with LOGNAP at present are based on all systems operating under the same logging layouts. While this may be necessary for selecting systems for particular situations, costs when all equipment is operating under optimal layouts can be useful particularly for planning purposes.

The treatment of average primary transport distance in the present model illustrates the problem. A constant distance was assumed for all primary transport equipment. However if this distance is not optimal for a particular machine, any system using that machine could produce wood at a lower cost with appropriate layout changes. At the same time, road costs could be incorporated in the model.

Modification of the program to permit selection of systems operating under optimal layouts is desirable.

4.3.7 System Balancing

LOGNAP identifies the equipment which would produce the lowest cost wood. It does not consider the problem of how many of each machine type is necessary to meet organizational goals. Further work could incorporate the optimal system in a mixed-integer mathematical programming model which balances the system within overall company objectives. Several forest harvesting simulators which are capable of modeling most systems e.g. [69; 152] could also be utilized to balance the system.

5. SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS

Alternative methods of delivering tree-length wood to a processing plant were outlined as a directed, acrylic network diagram. Completed operations were represented by nodes in the network. Arcs joining the nodes described possible sequences of activities for fulfilling the system's function.

The duration of each activity, measured in dollars per cubic metre of wood produced, was estimated using the hourly costs and productivity of the equipment and labour involved. Hourly costs were calculated on an annual equivalent basis using a before-tax cash flow model of capital and operating costs. Productivity estimates cycle-time prediction equations derived from time studies, and parameters such as tree and load sizes to characterize the operating environment and the equipment.

A package of computer programs was developed to select the optimal (least-cost) and near-optimal systems using shortest path network analysis. The systems were identified using Yen's algorithm [159] to find a specified number of shortest paths. The shortest distance and nodes on a path between some node and the network's terminal node were found using a dynamic programming algorithm proposed by Elmaghraby [42].

Of the alternatives modelled, those systems using a feller-forwarder based on the swathing principle produced the lowest wood cost under most conditions. A system consisting of a swather and flail delimbing at roadside was the least-cost system over a wide range of energy prices, tree sizes and stand volumes. A tractor-

mounted shear system produced the lowest cost wood under conditions of low stand volume and large tree size. The widely used manual felling system was the least-cost system with trees diameters of about 24 cm and low stand volumes.

Shortest path network analysis proved to be an excellent means of identifying least-cost forest harvesting systems. A network diagram in itself is a useful aid to visualizing the sequence of activities and overlooked alternatives for meeting a system's function. Given the small differences observed between the wood costs of most systems, the identification of more than the least-cost system is highly desirable. Sensitivity analysis is easily and quickly completed.

Perhaps the greatest advantage of shortest path network analysis is that a great number of alternatives can be defined in terms of standard estimating equations, minimizing the time spent defining the problem and maximizing the understanding of non-technical personnel.

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APPENDIX A

PRICE INDICES USED TO DEFLATE COST STATISTICS

A.1 Consumer Price Index

The Consumer Price Index (CPI) is applied to total annual wages, so that employee earnings can be compared on an equal buying-power basis over the time frame. CPI values for 1960 to 1978 are tabulated in Table A.1. These values were applied to calculate the "Average Wage" column in Table 1.

A.2 Forestry Machinery and Equipment Index

The Forestry Machinery and Equipment Index (FMEI) is applied to capital expenditures on logging activities to permit the comparison of capital investments made at different times on an equal basis. FMEI values are tabulated in Table A.1. These values were used to equate the capital expenditures in Figure 4.

A.3 Implicit Price Indices for Gross National Product

The Implicit Price Indices (IPI) permit the comparison of costs composed of many indirectly related items. The effects of all variables included in the Gross National Product are averaged, permitting unrelated costs to be compared on a common basis. IPI values are tabulated in Table A.1. These values were applied to standardize wood costs in Figure 3, and the productivity indices in Table 2.

Table A.1. Price Indices for the Years 1960 to 1978 [146; 148; 151].

YEAR	CONSUMER PRICE INDEX	FORESTRY MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT INDEX	IMPLICIT PRICE INDEX
1960	74.3	83.6	71.0
1961	75.0	84.8	72.4
1962	75.9	87.3	73.4
1963	77.2	90.4	74.8
1964	78.6	96.4	76.6
1965	80.5	100.7	79.1
1966	83.5	101.0	82.6
1967	86.5	94.6	85.9
1968	90.0	91.5	88.7
1969	94.1	94.2	92.6
1970	97.2	97.4	96.9
1971	100.0	100.0	100.0
1972	104.8	102.8	104.8
1973	112.7	107.1	113.4
1974	125.0	122.2	129.4
1975	138.5	142.2	148.8
1976	148.9	149.0	163.3
1977	160.8	161.7	171.4
1978	175.2	180.7	182.3

APPENDIX B

EQUATIONS USED TO CALCULATE CYCLE TIMES

B.1 Formulae for Common Variables

Percentage of grapple area occupied by full-tree stems [82].

$$\text{PACKINGFT (decimal \%)} = 0.188 + 0.0213 \times \text{DSH (cm)}$$

Percentage of grapple area occupied by tree-length stems [82].

$$\text{PACKINGTL (decimal \%)} = 0.440 + 0.0213 \times \text{DSH (cm)}$$

Average travel distance (DIST)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{DIST (m)} &= \text{Wander Factor} \times \text{Average Primary Transport Distance (m)} \\ &= 1.4 \times \text{APTD} \end{aligned}$$

Number of trees per hectare (NTPH)

$$\text{NTPH} = \frac{\text{Merchantable Volume per Hectare (m}^3\text{/ha)}}{\text{Merchantable Volume per Tree (m}^3\text{)}}$$

Machine payload [154; pp. 60-64]

$$\text{Payload} = \frac{T (\text{TE} - R \times \text{TW})}{\text{FS} - T \times R \times P}$$

where: T = traction coefficient

TE = tractive effort (kg)

FS = skidding coefficient

R = rolling resistance coefficient

TW = tare weight (kg)

P = proportion of payload supported by skidder

Number of trees per cycle

$$\text{NT} = \frac{\text{Payload (kg)}}{\text{Weight per Tree (kg)}}$$

or

$$\text{Integer } \left(\frac{\text{Rated Boom Capacity at Maximum Reach (kg)}}{3 \times \text{Weight per Tree (kg)}} \right)$$

or

$$\text{Integer } \left(\frac{4 \times \text{Grapple Area (cm}^2\text{)} \times \text{PACKING}}{\pi \times \text{DBH}^2 \text{ (cm)}} \right)$$

B.2 Equations for Various Tree Parameters

Regression equations for the tree parameters needed in the cycle time prediction equations are contained in Tables B.1 through B.5 for the four main softwood species of Eastern Canada.

Table B.1. Regression Equations for Calculating Stump Diameter (15 cm height) [2, p. 8-11].

Jack Pine (<u>Pinus banksiana</u> Lamb.)	$DSH_{pj} = DBH + 0.230 \times DBH$	$r^2 = 0.995$
Black Spruce (<u>Picea mariana</u> (Mill.) B.S.P.)	$DSH_{sb} = DBH + 0.253 \times DBH$	$r^2 = 0.996$
White Spruce (<u>Picea glauca</u> (Moench) Voss.)	$DSH_{sw} = DBH + 0.269 \times DBH$	$r^2 = 0.993$
Balsam Fir (<u>Abies balsamea</u> (L.) Mill.)	$DSH_{fb} = DBH + 0.230 \times DBH$	$r^2 = 0.997$

Table B.2. Regression Equations for Calculating Merchantable Tree Length (m) [76, p. 68].

Jack Pine	$ML_{pj} = 9.745 \times DBH^{0.228}$	$r^2 = 0.648$
Black Spruce	$ML_{sb} = 0.819 \times DBH^{0.918}$	$r^2 = 0.790$
White Spruce	$ML_{sw} = 1.687 \times DBH^{0.704}$	$r^2 = 0.855$
Balsam Fir	$ML_{fb} = 0.855 \times DBH^{0.870}$	$r^2 = 0.765$

Table B.3. Regression Equations for Calculating Green Weights (kg) of Tree-Lengths [76, p. 64].

Jack Pine	$WTTL_{pj} = 0.217 \times DBH^{2.301}$	$r^2 = 0.978$
Black Spruce	$WTTL_{sb} = 0.153 \times DBH^{2.345}$	$r^2 = 0.952$
White Spruce	$WTTL_{sw} = 0.111 \times DBH^{2.425}$	$r^2 = 0.983$
Balsam Fir	$WTTL_{fb} = 0.063 \times DBH^{2.650}$	$r^2 = 0.963$

Table B.4. Regression Equations for Calculating Green Weights (kg) of Full-Trees [76, p. 64].

Jack Pine	$WTFT_{pj} = 0.346 \times DBH^{2.214}$	$r^2 = 0.977$
Black Spruce	$WTFT_{sb} = 0.330 \times DBH^{2.209}$	$r^2 = 0.955$
White Spruce	$WTFT_{sw} = 0.331 \times DBH^{2.217}$	$r^2 = 0.984$
Balsam Fir	$WTFT_{fb} = 0.215 \times DBH^{2.382}$	$r^2 = 0.968$

Table B.5. Regression Equations for Calculating Merchantable Tree Volume (m^3) [76, p. 66].

Jack Pine	$MV_{pj} = 1.8 \times 10^{-4} \times DBH^{2.406}$	$r^2 = 0.981$
Black Spruce	$MV_{sb} = 1.1 \times 10^{-4} \times DBH^{2.502}$	$r^2 = 0.947$
White Spruce	$MV_{sw} = 0.9 \times 10^{-4} \times DBH^{2.547}$	$r^2 = 0.979$
Balsam Fir	$MV_{fb} = 1.1 \times 10^{-4} \times DBH^{2.515}$	$r^2 = 0.968$

B.3 Cycle Time Equations

1. Feller-buncher, wheeled, shear - Forano BJ-20 [131]

$$CT(1) = 50 + 212 \times MV$$

2. Feller-buncher, tracked, shear - Drott 40 [127]

$$CT(2) = 40 + 21.2 \times MV$$

3. Feller-buncher, multiple-tree shear - Koehring KFB4 [85]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{1135}{3 \times WTFT} \right) + 1$$

$$CT(3) = 49.4 - 7.2 \times NT + 42.4 \times MV$$

4. Feller-buncher wheeled, shear - Melroe Bobcat 1075

$$CT(4) = 43 + \frac{3460}{NTPH}$$

5. Feller-buncher, wheeled, saw - Kockums 880 [10; 46]

$$CT(5) = 40 \times e^{(DBH/1065)}$$

6. Feller-buncher, tracked, saw - Drott 40 [50; 127]

$$CT(6) = 40 + 113 \times MV$$

7. Feller-buncher, tracked, auger - Drott 40 [51; 127]

$$CT(7) = 40 + 113 \times MV$$

8. Feller-buncher, wheeled, multiple-tree saw - Hydro-Ax Swather

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{1600}{3 \times WTFT} \right) + 1$$

$$CT(8) = 70 + 0.70 \times \text{SLOPE} - 7 \times NT$$

9.-16. Dummies

17. Fell - man with chain saw [154]

$$CT(17) = 0.650 \times DBH^{1.81}$$

18. Fell, tracked shear - Caterpillar D6 [29]

$$CT(18) = \frac{6000}{95.46 + 0.085 \times NTPH}$$

19. Fell, tracked saw - FMC 200 with feller-director [84]

$$CT(19) = 60 + 116.5 \times MV$$

20. Fell, tracked saw - Caterpillar D6 [29]

$$CT(20) = \frac{6000}{90 + 0.085 \times MV}$$

- 21.-24. Dummies

25. Delimb stumpside (loose) - Logma T-310 [129]

$$CT(25) = 27 + \frac{22725}{NTPH} + 24.7 \times MV$$

26. Delimb stumpside (loose) - Drott 40 with roll delimber [45]

$$CT(26) = 53 + 14 \times MV$$

- 27.-29. Dummies

30. Fell and delimb - man with chain saw [154]

$$CT(30) = 0.55 \times DBH^{1.81} + 0.17 \times DBH^{2.42}$$

31. Fell and delimb - John Deere 743 [49]

$$CT(31) = 58 + 0.86 \times ML$$

- 32.-33. Dummies

34. Fell, delimb and bunch - Timberjack TJ-30 [130]

$$CT(34) = 66 - 0.60 \times SLOPE + 102.4 \times MV$$

35. Fell, delimb and bunch - Koehring KFB4 with Timmins head [85; 45]

$$CT(35) = 66.4 + 14 \times MV$$

36. Fell, delimb and bunch - Drott 40 with Timmins head [45; 47]

$$CT(36) = 62 + 98 \times MV$$

- 37.-39. Dummies

40. Delimb stumpside (bunched) - Logma T-310 [129]

$$CT(40) = 35 + 102.4 \times MV$$

41. Delimb stumpside (bunched) - GLFP/NESCO flail [66]

$$CT(41) = 40$$

42. Delimb stumpside (bunched) - Drott 40 with Timmins head [45]

$$CT(42) = 30 + 38.5 \times MV$$

- 43.-45. Dummies

46. Primary transport (bunched full trees), wheeled, cable skidder - John Deere 540 [56]

$$\text{Payload} = \frac{0.55 (6375 - 0.50 \times 7580)}{0.65 - 0.55 \times 0.5 \times 0.5} = 2775 \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{NT} = \text{INT} \left(\frac{2775}{\text{WTFT}} \right)$$

$$\text{CT}(46) = 32 + 229 \times \text{MV} + \frac{200 + 2.5 \times \text{DIST}}{\text{NT}}$$

47. Primary transport (bunched full trees), wheeled, cable skidder - John Deere 740 [56]

$$\text{Payload} = \frac{0.55 (11365 - 0.50 \times 12135)}{0.65 - 0.55 \times 0.5 \times 0.5} = 5685 \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{NT} = \text{INT} \left(\frac{5685}{\text{WTFT}} \right)$$

$$\text{CT}(47) = 32 + 229 \times \text{MV} + \frac{200 + 2.5 \times \text{DIST}}{\text{NT}}$$

48. Primary transport (bunched full-trees), wheeled, grapple skidder - John Deere 540 [19]

$$\text{NT} = \text{INT} \left(\frac{4 \times 8082 \times \text{PACKINGFT}}{\pi \times \text{DBH}^2} \right)$$

$$\text{CT}(48) = 22.6 \times \text{MV} + \frac{322 + 2.5 \times \text{DIST}}{\text{NT}}$$

49. Primary transport (bunched full-trees), wheeled, grapple skidder - John Deere 740 [19]

$$\text{NT} = \text{INT} \left(\frac{4 \times 13935 \times \text{PACKINGFT}}{\pi \times \text{DBH}^2} \right)$$

$$\text{CT}(49) = 22.6 \times \text{MV} + \frac{400 + 2.5 \times \text{DIST}}{\text{NT}}$$

50. Primary Transport (bunched full-trees), wheeled, clam skidder - Timberjack 520 [128]

$$\text{NT} = \text{INT} \left(\frac{4 \times 32515 \times \text{PACKINGFT}}{\pi \times \text{DBH}^2} \right)$$

$$\text{CT}(50) = 162 \times \text{MV} + \frac{328 + 2.85 \times \text{DIST}}{\text{NT}}$$

51. Primary Transport (bunched full-trees), wheeled, forwarder - Koehring KF2 [85; 48; 65]

$$\text{NT} = \text{INT} \left(\frac{29000}{\text{WTFT}} \right)$$

$$\text{CT}(51) = 35 + \frac{52 + 5.84 \times \text{DIST}}{\text{NT}}$$

52. Primary Transport (bunched full-trees), tracked, cable skidder - FMC 200 [84; 132]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{6200}{WTFT} \right)$$

$$CT(52) = \frac{1200 + 2.36 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

53. Primary Transport (bunched full-trees), tracked, clam skidder - FMC 200 [84; 132]

$$NT = \left(\frac{4 \times 13285 \times \text{PACKINGFT}}{\pi \times \text{DBH}^2} \right)$$

$$CT(53) = \frac{1050 + 2.36 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

- 54.-61. Dummies

62. Primary Transport (loose full-trees), wheeled, cable skidder - John Deere 540 [56]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{2775}{WTFT} \right)$$

$$CT(62) = 40 + 229 \times \text{MV} + \frac{257 + 2.5 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

63. Primary Transport (loose full-trees), wheeled, cable skidder - John Deere 740 [56]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{5686}{WTFT} \right)$$

$$CT(63) = 40 + 229 \times \text{MV} + \frac{257 + 2.5 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

64. Primary Transport (loose full-trees), wheeled, clam skidder - Timberjack 520 [128]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{4 \times 32515 \times \text{PACKINGFT}}{\pi \times \text{DBH}^2} \right)$$

$$CT(64) = 200 \times \text{MV} + \frac{600 + 2.85 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

65. Primary Transport (loose full-trees), wheeled forwarder - Koehring KF2 [85]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{29000}{WTFT} \right)$$

$$CT(65) = 55 + \frac{52 + 5.84 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

66. Primary Transport (loose full-trees), tracked, cable skidder - FMC 200 [84; 132]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{6200}{WTFT} \right)$$

$$CT(66) = \frac{1350 + 2.36 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

67. Primary Transport (loose full-trees), tracked, clam skidder - FMC 200 [84; 132]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{4 \times 13285 \times \text{PACKINGFT}}{\pi \times \text{DBH}^2} \right)$$

$$CT(67) = \frac{1300 + 2.36 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

- 68.-73. Dummies

74. Fell and Primary Transport, shear, skid - Timberjack 520 with head [128; 45]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{4 \times 32515 \times \text{PACKINGFT}}{\pi \times \text{DBH}^2} \right)$$

$$CT(74) = 50 + \frac{1000 + 2.85 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

75. Fell and Primary Transport, multiple-tree shear, forward - Koehring KFF [85; 48; 65]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{29000}{WTFT} \right)$$

$$CT(75) = 49.4 + \frac{52 + 5.84 \times \text{DIST}}{NT} + 42.4 \times \text{MV}$$

$$- 7.2 \times \left(\text{INT} \left(\frac{1135}{3 \times \text{WTFT}} \right) + 1 \right)$$

76. Fell and Primary Transport, multiple-tree saw, forward - Koehring KFF [85]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{29000}{WTFT} \right)$$

$$CT(76) = 49.4 + \frac{52 + 5.84 \times \text{DIST}}{NT} + 55 \times \text{MV}$$

$$- 7.2 \times \left(\text{INT} \left(\frac{1135}{3 \times \text{WTFT}} \right) + 1 \right)$$

77. Fell and Primary Transport, saw, forward - PAPCO Swather

$$CT(77) = 10000 / (1.02 \times \text{NTPH})$$

78.-81. Dummies

82. Primary Transport (loose tree-lengths), wheeled, cable skidder - John Deere 540 [56]

$$\text{Payload} = \frac{0.55 (6375 - 0.50 \times 7580)}{0.55 - 0.55 \times 0.50 \times 0.60} = 3690 \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{NT} = \text{INT} \left(\frac{3690}{\text{WTTL}} \right)$$

$$\text{CT}(82) = 30 + 229 \times \text{MV} + \frac{257 + 2.5 \times \text{DIST}}{\text{NT}}$$

83. Primary Transport (loose tree-lengths), wheeled cable skidder - John Deere 740 [56]

$$\text{Payload} = \frac{0.55 (11365 - 0.50 \times 12135)}{0.55 - 0.55 \times 0.50 \times 0.60} = 7570 \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{NT} = \text{INT} \left(\frac{7570}{\text{WTTL}} \right)$$

$$\text{CT}(83) = 30 + 229 \times \text{MV} + \frac{257 + 2.5 \times \text{DIST}}{\text{NT}}$$

84. Primary Transport (loose tree-lengths), wheeled grapple skidder - John Deere 540 [19]

$$\text{NT} = \text{INT} \left(\frac{4 \times 8082 \times \text{PACKINGTL}}{\pi \times \text{DBH}^2} \right)$$

$$\text{CT}(84) = 22.6 \times \text{MV} + \frac{600 + 2.5 \times \text{DIST}}{\text{NT}}$$

85. Primary Transport (loose tree-lengths), wheeled, clam skidder - Timberjack 520 [128]

$$\text{NT} = \text{INT} \left(\frac{4 \times 32515 \times \text{PACKINGTL}}{\pi \times \text{DBH}^2} \right)$$

$$\text{CT}(85) = 175 \times \text{MV} + \frac{600 + 2.85 \times \text{DIST}}{\text{NT}}$$

86. Primary Transport (loose tree-lengths), wheeled forwarder - Koehring KF2 [85]

$$\text{NT} = \text{INT} \left(\frac{29000}{\text{WTTL}} \right)$$

$$\text{CT}(86) = 55 + \frac{52 + 5.84 \times \text{DIST}}{\text{NT}}$$

87. Primary Transport (loose tree-lengths), tracked, cable skidder -
FMC 200 [84; 132]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{6200}{WTTL} \right)$$

$$CT(87) = \frac{1350 + 2.36 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

88. Primary Transport (loose tree-lengths), tracked, clam skidder -
FMC 200 [84; 132]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{4 \times 13285 \times \text{PACKINGTL}}{\pi \times \text{DBH}^2} \right)$$

$$CT(88) = \frac{1300 + 2.36 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

- 89.-95. Dummies

96. Primary Transport (bunched tree-lengths), wheeled, cable skidder -
John Deere 540 [56]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{3690}{WTTL} \right)$$

$$CT(96) = 30 + 229 \times \text{MV} + \frac{200 + 2.5 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

97. Primary Transport (bunched tree-lengths), wheeled, cable skidder -
John Deere 740 [56]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{7570}{WTTL} \right)$$

$$CT(97) = 30 + 229 \times \text{MV} + \frac{200 + 2.5 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

98. Primary Transport (bunched tree-lengths), wheeled, grapple skidder -
John Deere 540 [56]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{4 \times 8082 \times \text{PACKINGTL}}{\pi \times \text{DBH}^2} \right)$$

$$CT(98) = 22.6 \times \text{MV} + \frac{322 + 2.5 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

99. Primary Transport (bunched tree-lengths), wheeled, grapple skidder -
John Deere 740 [56]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{4 \times 13935 \times \text{PACKINGTL}}{\pi \times \text{DBH}^2} \right)$$

$$CT(99) = 22.6 \times \text{MV} + \frac{400 + 2.5 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

100. Primary Transport (bunched tree-lengths), wheeled, clam skidder - Timberjack 520 [128]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{4 \times 32515 \times \text{PACKINGTL}}{\pi \times \text{DBH}^2} \right)$$

$$CT(100) = 162 \times MV + \frac{328 + 2.85 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

101. Primary Transport (bunched tree-lengths), wheeled forwarder - Koehring KF2 [85]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{29000}{\text{WTTL}} \right)$$

$$CT(101) = 35 + \frac{52 + 5.84 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

102. Primary Transport (bunched tree-lengths), tracked, cable skidder - FMC 200 [84; 132]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{6200}{\text{WTTL}} \right)$$

$$CT(102) = \frac{1200 + 2.36 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

103. Primary Transport (bunched tree-lengths), tracked, clam skidder - FMC 200 [84; 132]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{4 \times 13285 \times \text{PACKINGTL}}{\pi \times \text{DBH}^2} \right)$$

$$CT(103) = \frac{1050 + 2.36 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

- 104.-111. Dummies

112. Delimb roadside - Logma T-310 [129]

$$CT(112) = 38 + 10.6 \times MV$$

113. Delimb roadside - Harricana [52]

$$CT(113) = 45$$

114. Delimb roadside - Koehring KBL

$$CT(114) = 50$$

115. Delimb roadside - Drott 40 with Timmins roll delimber [47]

$$CT(115) = 20 + 49.4 \times MV$$

116. Delimb roadside - Hydro Ax 500 flail [53]

$$CT(116) = 18$$

117. Delimb roadside - Hydro Ax flail system [53]

$$CT(117) = 20$$

118.-121. Dummies

122. Loader spreading bunch for delimbing - Tanguay 14030 [53]

$$CT(122) = 20$$

123. Delimbing touch-up - man with chain saw

$$CT(123) = 15$$

124. Harvest and primary transport - Koehring KTL [85]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{20000}{WTTL} \right)$$

$$CT(124) = 75 + \frac{52 + 5.84 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

125. Harvest and primary transport - Koehring KFF with Timmins head [47; 85]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{25000}{WTTL} \right)$$

$$CT(125) = 54 + 49 \times MV + \frac{300 + 5.84 \times \text{DIST}}{NT}$$

126.-127. Dummies

128. Load, tracked - Caterpillar 235 [81]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{4 \times 1000 \times \text{PACKINGTL}}{\pi \times \text{DBH}^2} \right)$$

$$CT(128) = \frac{47.7}{NT}$$

129. Dummy

130. Secondary transport, double load on semi-trailer [81]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{41000}{WTTL} \right)$$

$$CT(130) = \frac{190 + 86 \times \text{DISTRCL} + 144 \times \text{DISTRCL2} + 355 \times \text{DISTRCL3}}{NT}$$

131. Dummy

132. Unload - Rago Wagner [81]

$$NT = \text{INT} \left(\frac{41000}{WTTL} \right)$$

$$CT(132) = \frac{300}{NT}$$

133. Dummy

APPENDIX C

COMPUTER PROGRAMS

C.1 Program Listings

The programs contained in this appendix make up LOGNAP. Internal storage limitations of the Hewlett-Packard 9845B computer used in this work required that LOGNAP be broken into four segments.

The first program called "MAIN" is the master control program controlling the branching to the other modules, renumbering the nodes to satisfy the I-J rule, and outputting the final shortest path information.

The second program entitled "INPUT" is used to input and store the basic network description and costing information in a file. On the particular installation used in this work, data was stored on a floppy disk.

The third program called "ACTDUR" calculates the hourly cost at optimal machine life and hourly productivity for each activity. These values are used to calculate activity durations. All three values are outputted with a description of each activity for each set of standard variables. The cycle time equations contained in subroutine "PROD" are for the network used in this work.

The final program is "GSPNA". The programmed versions of Yen's and Elmaghraby's algorithms are contained in this routine.

MAIN.

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10 *****
20 LOGGING NETWORK ANALYSIS PROGRAM - MAIN
30 *****
40 Developed by G.J. Garner (1979) from work by T.A. Preston (1966),
50 K.W. Lievers (1974), and G.J. Horne (1978).
60 *****
70 Variables used in program MAIN.
80 AKI -Array of dimension Np which contains the costs of the Kp least
90 cost paths. AKI(I) is the cost of the Ith least-cost path.
100 Device$-Code for the mass storage device containing the network data.
110 File$-Name of file containing the network data.
120 Icr -Array of dimension Nn containing the key to the renumbering of
130 the nodes. Icr(I) is the original node number corresponding to
140 the renumbered node I.
150 Ix -Array of dimension Nn containing the original origin node
160 numbers. Ix(I) is the original terminal node for activity I.
170 Js -Array of dimension Np which stores the number of nodes in each
180 path in List A. Js(I) is the number of nodes in the Ith least-
190 cost path.
200 Jx -Array of dimension Nn containing the original terminal node
210 numbers. Jx(I) is the original terminal node for activity I.
220 K1 -Matrix of dimension (Np,Mp) containing the node numbers of the
230 path sequences in both Lists A and B. K1(I,J) is the node
240 number of the Jth node in the Ith least-cost path found to date.
250 Ks1 -Matrix of dimensions (Np,Mp) which is the least-cost paths in
260 terms of the original node numbers. Ks1(I,J) is the original
270 node number of the Jth node in the Ith least-cost path.
280 Mn -User inputted scaler which is the user's best estimate of the
290 maximum number of nodes in any of the Np least-cost paths.
300 Na -User inputted scaler which is the number of activities in the
310 network.
320 Nn -User inputted scaler which is the number of nodes in the network
330 Np -User inputted scaler which is the number of least-cost paths
340 desired.
350 Nsv -User inputted scaler which is the number of sets of variables.

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360 ! *****
370 OPTION BASE 1
380 COM Na,Nn,Mn,Np,Nsv,Num,File$(61),Device$(61)
390 COM Ix(250),Jx(250),Ic(250),Jc(250),Icr(250)
400 COM Akl(50),Ar(250),Js(50),Kh(25),INTEGER K1(50,25)
410 DIM Ksl(50,30),B$(1)(50)
420 ! Input and output basic network parameters.
430 Answer$="MAYBE"
440 INPUT "Has the basic network data been stored (YES/NO)?",Answer$
450 Answer$=UPC$(TRIM$(Answer$))
460 IF Answer$(1,1)="Y" THEN 490
470 IF Answer$(1,1)<>"N" THEN 440
480 LOAD "INPUT",10
490 Target1: Np=1
500 INPUT "How many least-cost paths are to be traced?",Np
510 Np=INT(Np)
520 IF Np<=50 THEN 570
530 BEEP
540 DISP "Maximum of 50 paths can be traced - TRY AGAIN."
550 WAIT 3000
560 GOTO 500
570 Nsv=1
580 INPUT "How many sets of variables are to be run?",Nsv
590 Nsv=INT(Nsv)
600 IF Answer$(1,1)="Y" THEN GOSUB Check_file
610 ASSIGN #1 TO File$&Device$
620 READ #1,I,Na,Nn,Mn
630 ! Input the nodes defining each activity and its description.
640 FOR I=1 TO Na
650 READ #1,I+1,Ix(I),Jx(I)
660 NEXT I
670 ASSIGN * TO #1
680 ! Renumber the nodes to conform to the I<J rule.
690 DISP "RENUMBERING NODES"
700 GOSUB Rnum

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710 ! Make runs for the various sets of "Q" variables.
720 Num=1
730 ! Calculate the activity durations and output the initial and final
740 ! nodes (unrenumbered), description and duration of each activity,
750 ! and find the Np least-cost paths through the network.
760 More_sets: DISP "ACCESSING ACTDUR."
770 LOAD "ACTDUR",10
780 ! Determine the least-cost paths in terms of the original inputted node
790 ! numbers.
800 Target2: MAT Ks1=ZER
810 FOR I=1 TO Np
820   FOR J=1 TO Mn
830     IF K1(I,J)=0 THEN 860
840     Ks1(I,J)=Icr(K1(I,J))
850   NEXT J
860 NEXT I
870 ! Output descriptions and costs of the Np least-cost paths.
880 DISP "OUTPUTTING PATHS"
890 PRINTER IS 7,4,WIDTH(132)
900 PRINT CHR$(27)&"&16d51p51F"
910 I=0
920 Top: GOSUB Heading
930 Output: I=I+1
940 PRINT USING "#,8X,2D,6X,3D,2D,5X",I,Ak1(I)
950 FOR J=1 TO Js(I)
960   PRINT USING "#,3D,2A",Ks1(I,J)," "
970 NEXT J
980 PRINT
990 IF (I MOD 25=0) AND (I<Np) THEN Top
1000 IF I MOD 5=0 THEN PRINT
1010 IF I<Np THEN Output
1020 PRINTER IS 16
1030 IF Num=Nsv THEN End
1040   Num=Num+1
1050   GOTO More_sets

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1060 End: DISP "RUN(S) COMPLETED."
1070 STOP
1080 END
1090 Heading: PRINT PAGE, LIN(7); SPA(36), "SHORTEST PATHS THROUGH NETWORK"
1100 PRINT SPA(48); "RUN #"; Num, LIN(2)
1110 PRINT SPA(7); "PATH TOTAL "; SPA(29); "NODES ON PATH"
1120 PRINT SPA(6); "NUMBER COST"
1130 PRINT SPA(6); RPT$("-" , 90); LIN(1)
1140 RETURN
1150 Check_file: ! THIS ROUTINE VERIFIES THE EXISTANCE OF THE DATA FILE.
1160 LINPUT "Enter mass storage unit specifier (eg. F8).", Device$
1170 Device$=TRIM$(Device$)
1180 IF Device$(1,1)<>"": THEN Device$=":&Device$
1190 DISP "Place storage medium in device "; Device$; ". Press CONT."
1200 PAUSE
1210 Name: LINPUT "Enter name of file to be used.", File$
1220 Length=LEN(File$)
1230 IF Length<6 THEN File$(1,6)=File$(1,Length)&RPT$(" ", 6-Length)
1240 ASSIGN #1 TO File$(1,6)&Device$, N
1250 ASSIGN * TO #1
1260 ON N+1 GOTO Okay, No_file, Return1
1270 No_file: DISP "File "; File$; " does not exist. Try again."
1280 BEEP
1290 WAIT 3000
1300 GOTO Name
1310 Return1: CAT TO B$(*), File$, 1
1320 IF B$(1)18,1)= "*" THEN RETURN
1330 DISP "File "; File$; " is a PROG-type file. Try again."
1340 BEEP
1350 WAIT 3000
1360 GOTO Name
1370 Okay: RETURN
1380 Rnum: ! NODE RENUMBERING ROUTINE - RNUM
1390 ! *****
1400 ! This routine rennumbers the nodes to satisfy the I<J rule, so that the

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1410 ! initial node number Ic(I) is less than the terminal node number Jc(I)
1420 ! for all activities.
1430 ! *****
1440 ! Variables used in routine RNUM.
1450 ! I1 -Scaler used to set-up array Icr.
1460 ! Ic -Array of dimension Na containing the renumbered origin nodes.
1470 ! Ic(I) is the renumbered origin node of activity I.
1480 ! Itest-Scaler used to test if other activities have the same initial
1490 ! node.
1500 ! Jc -Array of dimension Na containing the renumbered terminal nodes.
1510 ! Jc(I) is the renumbered terminal node of activity I.
1520 ! J1 -Scaler equal to the terminal node of the highest unrenumbered
1530 ! activity.
1540 ! L -Scaler used as a counter for finding the highest unrenumbered
1550 ! terminal node.
1560 ! N1 -Scaler equal to the highest unrenumbered terminal node.
1570 ! N2 -Scaler equal to the highest unrenumbered origin node.
1580 ! *****
1590 ! Zero array Ic, and initialize.
1600 MAT IC=ZER
1610 N1=N2=Nn
1620 J1=Jx(Na)
1630 ! Set terminal nodes of all activities ending at the highest remaining
1640 ! node number to that node number.
1650 L=0
1660 L=L+1
1670 IF L>Na THEN 1880
1680 IF Jx(L)<>J1 THEN 1690
1690 Jc(L)=N1
1700 ! Test if other activities have the same initial node.
1710 Itest=Ix(L)
1720 Ix(L)=-Ix(L)
1730 FOR K=1 TO Na
1740 IF Ix(K)=Itest THEN 1660
1750 NEXT K

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1760 ! Decrease N2 to the highest remaining initial node number. Set new
1770 ! initial node numbers for activities having that initial node.
1780 N2=N2-1
1790 Ic(L)=N2
1800 FOR K=1 TO Na
1810 IF Ic(K)=Ix(L) THEN Ic(K)=N2
1820 NEXT K
1830 ! Check if all initial nodes have been set.
1840 IF N2-1=0 THEN 1950
1850 GOTO 1660
1860 ! Decrease N1 to highest remaining terminal node number, and set J1 equal
1870 ! to initial node of highest remaining unrenumbered activity.
1880 N1=N1-1
1890 FOR K=1 TO Na
1900 IF Ic(K)<N1 THEN 1930
1910 J1=-Ix(K)
1920 GOTO 1650
1930 NEXT K
1940 ! Reset inputted initial node numbers to positive.
1950 MAT Ix=Ix*(-1)
1960 ! Form key for the renumbered nodes.
1970 FOR K=1 TO Na
1980 Icr(Jc(K))=Jx(K)
1990 NEXT K
2000 Icr(1)=1
2010 RETURN
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340 *****
350 *****

      ACTIVITY DATA INPUT PROGRAM - INPUT
      *****
      ! This program is for inputting, outputting and storing network parameter
      ! and activity data for use in other segments of MAIN.
      *****
      OPTION BASE 1
      PRINTER IS 16
      COM Na,Mn,Np,Nsv,Num,File#161,Device#161
      COM Ix(250),Jx(250),Ic(250),Jc(250),Icr(250)
      COM Ak1(50),At(250),Js(50),Kh(25),INTEGER K1(50,25)
      DIM B$(1)1501,Des$(250)1401,Marg$(1)1401,Shy(250),Pp(250),W(250)
      DIM Gp(250),Lf(250),Hcf(250),Rcf(250),Mtbr(250),Oe(250),A1c(250)
      Na=Nn=Mn=Np=Nsv=Correct=0
      Activities: INPUT "Enter # of activities in the network.",Na
      Na=INT(Na)
      IF Na<=250 THEN 200
      GOSUB Too_many
      GOTO Activities
      IF Correct>0 THEN Check
      Number_nodes: INPUT "Enter # of nodes in the network.",Nn
      Nn=INT(Nn)
      IF Nn<=250 THEN 260
      GOSUB Too_many
      GOTO Number_nodes
      IF Correct>0 THEN Check
      Max_nodes: INPUT "Estimate max. # of nodes on a path through network.",Mn
      Mn=INT(Mn)
      IF Mn<=25 THEN 320
      GOSUB Too_many
      GOTO Max_nodes
      Check: GOSUB Param1
      Answer$="MAYBE"
      INPUT "Is the above information correct (YES/NO)?",Answer$
      Answer$=UPC$(TRIM$(Answer$))

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360 IF Answer$(1,1)="Y" THEN Store
370 IF Answer$(1,1)="N" THEN Fix
380   GOSUB Wrong
390   GOTO 340
400 Too_Many: BEEP
410 DISP "Entered value exceeds the maximum permitted."
420 WAIT 2500
430 RETURN
440 Fix: INPUT "Enter # of the network parameter to be corrected.",Correct
450 IF (Correct<1) OR (Correct>3) THEN 440
460   ON INT(Correct) GOTO Activities,Number_nodes,Max_nodes
470 Store: GOSUB Check_file
480 IF N<>0 THEN CREATE File$&Device$,1+Na,140
490 ASSIGN #1 TO File$&Device$
500 PRINT #1,1;Na,Nn,Mn
510 ASSIGN #1 TO *
520 Enter_activity: ! INPUT, CORRECT AND SAVE ACTIVITY DATA
530 PRINTER IS 16
540 FOR I=1 TO Na
550   PRINT PAGE,TAB(24),"DATA FOR ACTIVITY # -";I;LIN(3)
560   DISP "Initial node of activity #";I;
570   INPUT Ix(I)
580   PRINT "Initial node of activity .....";Ix(I)
590   DISP "Final node of activity #";I;
600   INPUT Jx(I)
610   PRINT "Final node of activity .....";Jx(I)
620   DISP "Description of activity ";I;" (Max. 40 characters)";
630   INPUT Des$(I)
640   PRINT "Activity description .....";Des$(I)
650   IF UPC$(TRIM$(Des$(I)))="DUMMY" THEN 840
660   DISP "Scheduled Hours Yearly, Purchase Price, and Hourly Wage";
670   INPUT Shy(I),Pp(I),W(I)
680   PRINT "Scheduled Hours Yearly (SMH) .....";Shy(I)
690   PRINT "Purchase Price ($)" .....";Pp(I)
700   PRINT "Hourly Wage ($/SMH) ." .....";W(I)

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INPUT

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710 DISP "Gross Engine Power, Load Factor, and Hydraulic Complexity
      Factor";
720 INPUT Gp(I),Lf(I),Hcf(I)
730 PRINT "Gross Engine Power (kW) .....";Gp(I)
740 PRINT "Load Factor .....";Lf(I)
750 PRINT "Hydraulic Complexity Factor .....";Hcf(I)
760 DISP "Repair Cost Factor, Mean Time Between Repairs, and Operational
      Efficiency";
770 INPUT Rcf(I),Mtbr(I),Oe(I)
780 PRINT "Repair Cost Factor ($/$1000 Pp/PMH) .....";Rcf(I)
790 PRINT "Mean Time Between Repairs (PMH) .....";Mtbr(I)
800 PRINT "Operational Efficiency (%)" .....";Oe(I)
810 DISP "Licensing Cost";
820 INPUT Alc(I)
830 PRINT "Licensing Cost ($/year) .....";Alc(I)
840 INPUT "Is the above information correct (YES/NO)?" ,Answer$
850 Answer$=UPC$(TRIM$(Answer$))
860 IF Answer$(1,1)="Y" THEN 900
870 IF Answer$(1,1)="N" THEN 550
880 GOSUB Wrong
890 GOTO 840
900 NEXT I
910 DISP "OUTPUTTING NETWORK PARAMETERS AND ACTIVITY DATA"
920 OVERLAP
930 PRINTER IS 7,4,WIDTH(132)
940 PRINT CHR$(27)&"&16d51p51F"
950 Page=2
960 GOSUB Param
970 Page=Page+1
980 GOSUB Heading
990 FOR I=1 TO Na
1000 PRINT USING 1260;I,Ix(I),Jx(I),Des$(I)
1010 IF I MOD 5=0 THEN PRINT USING 1240
1020 IF I MOD 20<>0 THEN 1060
1030 PRINT USING 1250

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1040      Page=Page+1
1050      GOSUB Heading
1060      NEXT I
1070      PRINT USING 1250
1080      ASSIGN #1 TO File$Device$
1090      READ #1,2
1100      Page=Page+1
1110      GOSUB Print_out
1120      FOR I=1 TO Na
1130          PRINT USING 1290,I,Shy(I),Pp(I),W(I),Gp(I),Lf(I),Hcf(I),Rcf(I),Mtbr(I),
              Oe(I),Alc(I)
1140          IF I MOD 5=0 THEN PRINT
1150          IF I MOD 20=0 THEN GOSUB Print_out
1160          PRINT #1,I+1,Ix(I),Jx(I),Des$(I),Shy(I),Pp(I),W(I),Gp(I),Lf(I),Hcf(I),
              Rcf(I),Mtbr(I),Oe(I),Alc(I)
1170      NEXT I
1180      PRINT PAGE,PAGE
1190      ASSIGN #1 TO *
1200      PRINTER IS 16
1210      DISP "RETURNING TO MAIN."
1220      LOAD "MAIN",Target1
1230      END
1240      IMAGE 12X,4("1",10X),34X,"1"
1250      IMAGE 13X,77("-")
1260      IMAGE 12X,"1",3(3X,4D,3X,"1"),2X,40A,2X,"1"
1270      IMAGE 26X,50A,3D
1280      IMAGE //,44X,"COST VARIABLES",//
1290      IMAGE 7X,4D,7X,4D,5X,6D,4X,2D,2D,3X,3D,3(4X,Z,2D),4X,2D,D,4X,Z,2D,4X,4D
1300      Param: PRINT PAGE,LIN(6),TAB(75);"APPENDIX D";SPA(4);"PAGE -";Page
1310      Param1: PRINT LIN(2);TAB(40);"BASIC NETWORK PARAMETERS";LIN(2)
1320      PRINT USING 1270;"1. Number of activities in the network .....";Na
1330      PRINT USING 1270;"2. Number of nodes in the network .....";Nn
1340      PRINT USING 1270;"3. Estimated maximum number of nodes on a path .....";Mn
1350      RETURN
1360      Heading: PRINT PAGE,LIN(7),TAB(75);"APPENDIX D";SPA(4);"PAGE -";Page

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1370 PRINT LIN(2);TAB(45);"ACTIVITY DATA";LIN(2)
1380 Marq$=RPT$(" ",12)
1390 PRINT USING 1250
1400 PRINT Marq$;"1 ACTIVITY 1 INITIAL 1 FINAL 1";SPA(18);"ACTIVITY";SPA(
18);"1"
1410 PRINT Marq$;"1 NUMBER 1 MODE 1";SPA(17);"DESCRIPTION";
SPA(16);"1"
1420 PRINT USING 1250
1430 PRINT USING 1240
1440 RETURN
1450 Print_out: PRINT PAGE,LIN(7);TAB(75);"APPENDIX D";SPA(4);"PAGE -";Page
1460 Page=Page+1
1470 PRINT USING 1280
1480 PRINT SPA(5);"ACTIVITY SCHEDULED PURCHASE HOURLY GROSS LOAD
HYD.C. REPAIR MTBR OPER. LICENSE"
1490 PRINT SPA(5);" NUMBER HOURS PRICE WAGE POWER FACTOR
FACTOR FACTOR EFFEC COST"
1500 PRINT SPA(5);RPT$("---",92),LIN(1)
1510 RETURN
1520 Check_file: ! VERIFY DATA FILE'S EXISTANCE
1530 INPUT "Enter mass storage unit specifier (eg. F8).",Device$
1540 Device$=UPC$(TRIM$(Device$))
1550 IF Device$(1,1)<>" " THEN Device$=" "&Device$
1560 DISP "Place storage medium in device ";Device$;" Press CONT."
1570 PAUSE
1580 Name: INPUT "Enter name of file to be used.",File$
1590 Length=LEN(File$)
1600 IF Length<6 THEN File$=File$(1,Length)&RPT$(" ",6-Length)
1610 ASSIGN #1 TO File$&Device$,N
1620 Branch: ON N+1 GOTO Okay,No_file,Return2
1630 Okay: DISP "File ";File$;" exists. Over-write file (YES/NO)";
INPUT Answer$
1640 Answer$=UPC$(TRIM$(Answer$))
1650 IF Answer$(1,1)="Y" THEN RETURN
1660 IF Answer$(1,1)="N" THEN Name
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1680      GOSUB Wrong
1690      GOTO Okay
1700 No_file: DISP "File ";File$;" does not exist. Create file (YES/NO)";
1710      INPUT Answer$
1720      Answer$=UPC$(TRIM$(Answer$))
1730      IF Answer$(1,1)="Y" THEN RETURN
1740      IF Answer$(1,1)="N" THEN Name
1750      GOSUB Wrong
1760      GOTO No_file
1770 Return2: CAT TO B$(*);File$,1
1780      IF B$(1)18,11="*" THEN Protected
1790      BEEP
1800      DISP "File ";File$;" is a PROC-type file. Try again.";
1810      WAIT 3000
1820      GOTO Name
1830 Protected: DISP "File ";File$;" is protected. What is the protect code";
1840      INPUT Protect$
1850      ASSIGN #1 TO File$&Device$,N,Protect$
1860      GOTO Branch
1870 Wrong: BEEP
1880      DISP "Improper response - TRY AGAIN!"
1890      WAIT 3000
1900      RETURN
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10 *****
20 ! ACTIVITY DURATION CALCULATING PROGRAM - ACTDUR *****
30 ! *****
40 ! This program calculates the activity durations ($/m) based on the
50 ! cost and productivity data calculated in subroutines COST and PROD,
60 ! and then stores them in array At.
70 ! *****
80 OPTION BASE 1
90 COM Na,Nn,Mn,Np,Nsv,Num,File$(61),Device$(61)
100 COM Ix(250),Jx(250),Ic(250),Jc(250),Icr(250)
110 COM Ak1(50),At(250),Js(50),Kh(25),INTEGER K1(50,25)
120 DIM Stcv(6),Stcv$(6)[46],Stov(8),Stov$(8)[46],Hcost(250),Hprod(250)
130 DIM Des$(250)[40]
140 Answer$="MAYBE"
150 ! Enter standard variables for this run.
160 PRINTER IS 16
170 Stcv$(1)="Interest Rate (%)"
180 Stcv$(2)="Fuel Price ($/liter)"
190 Stcv$(3)="Repair Time In-Shift (% of total repair time)"
200 Stcv$(4)="Fringe Benefit Factor (% of hourly wage)"
210 Stcv$(5)="Insurance Rate Factor (% of unrecovered value)"
220 Stcv$(6)="Rate of Lost Utility (%)"
230 CALL Enter(6,Stcv$(*),Stcv$(*))
240 CALL List(6,Stcv$(*),Stcv$(*),",",1,Num)
250 CALL Correct(Answer$)
260 IF Answer$(1,1)="Y" THEN 300
270 INPUT "Enter correction: variable #, and value, or press CONT.",I,
    Stcv(I)
280 PRINT PAGE
290 GOTO 240
300 Stov$(1)="Species (Pj=1,Sb=2,Sw=3,Fb=4)"
310 Stov$(2)="Average Tree Size (DBH in cm)"
320 Stov$(3)="Stand Volume (m^3/hectare)"
330 Stov$(4)="Average Primary Transport Distance (meters)"
340 Stov$(5)="Hauling Distance - Road Class 1 (km)"

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350 Stov$(6)="Hauling Distance - Road Class 2 (km)"
360 Stov$(7)="Hauling Distance - Road Class 3 (km)"
370 Stov$(8)="Average Slope (%)"
380 PRINT PAGE
390 CALL Enter(8,Stov$(*),Stov$(*))
400 CALL List(8,Stov$(*),Stov$(*),"",3,Num)
410 CALL Correct(Answer$)
420 IF Answer$(1,1)="Y" THEN 460
430 INPUT "Enter correction: variable $, and value, or press CONT.",I,
      Stov(I)
440 PRINT PAGE
450 GOTO 400
460 OVERLAP
470 PRINTER IS 7,4,WIDTH(132)
480 PRINT CHR$(27)&"&16d51p51f"
490 CALL List(6,Stov$(*),Stov$(*),RPT$(" ",19),2,Num)
500 CALL List(8,Stov$(*),Stov$(*),RPT$(" ",19),3,Num)
510 PRINTER IS 16
520 PRINT PAGE
530 ! Calculate activity costs ($/PMH) at optimal machine life.
540 CALL Cost(Stov$(*),Hcost(*),Des$(*))
550 ! Calculate activity productivity (m^3/PMH)
560 CALL Prod(Stov$(*),Hprod(*))
570 ! Calculate and output activity durations ($/m^3)
580 FOR I=1 TO Na
590 IF Hprod(I)<>0 THEN At(I)=Hcost(I)/Hprod(I)
600 IF Hprod(I)=0 THEN At(I)=0
610 NEXT I
620 CALL Output(Des$(*),Hcost(*),Hprod(*),At(*),Na,Num)
630 DISP "ACCESSING GSPNA."
640 LOAD "GSPNA",10
650 END
660 SUB Cost(Stov$(*),Hcost(*),Des$(*))
670 ! *****
680 ! This subroutine calculates the hourly cost ($/PMH) in constant dollar

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690 ! terms for a machine kept for its optimal machine life. Optimal life
700 ! is defined as the life which minimizes the total hourly costs with the
710 ! assumption that technological change limits machine life to a maximum
720 ! of 10 years.
730 ! *****
740 ! Variables used in subroutine COST not used in MAIN.
750 ! Aec -Scaler equalling the total annual equivalent costs.
760 ! Aecc -Scaler equalling the annual equivalent capital costs.
770 ! Aeoc -Scaler equalling the annual equivalent operating costs.
780 ! Alc -Annual licensing cost of the machine.
790 ! Apin -Array of dimension 10 containing the capital recovery factor.
800 ! Apin(I) is the factor for year I and interest rate "Interest".
810 ! Fc -Fuel costs ($/PMH).
820 ! Gp -Gross engine power (kW) of the machine.
830 ! Hcf -Hydraulic complexity of the machine.
840 ! Hcost-Array of dimension 10. Hcost(I) is the annual equivalent hourly
850 ! cost for the machine used in activity I at its optimal life.
860 ! Inc -Insurance costs ($/PMH).
870 ! Lc -Licensing costs ($/PMH).
880 ! Lf -Average engine load factor of the machine.
890 ! Mc -Manpower costs ($/PMH).
900 ! Mtbr -Mean time between repairs for the machine.
910 ! Oc -Scaler equalling the hourly operating costs ($/PMH).
920 ! Oe -Operational effectiveness of the machine.
930 ! Olc -Oil and lubricant costs ($/PMH).
940 ! Om1 -Scaler used to identify the optimal machine life.
950 ! Phy -Scaler equal to the number of productive hours yearly.
960 ! Pp -Purchase price of the machine.
970 ! Rc -Repair costs including both parts and labour ($/PMH).
980 ! Rcf -Repair cost factor for the machine.
990 ! Shy -Scheduled hours yearly for the machine.
1000 ! Spvoc-Scaler equalling the sum of the present value of the operating
1010 ! costs.
1020 ! Stcv -Array of dimension 6 which contains the standard cost variables
1030 ! used in calculating costs for all machines. Stcv(1) is the

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1040 interest rate (%). Stcv(2) is the fuel price ($/l). Stcv(3)
1050 if the repair time in-shift (% of total repair time). Stcv(4)
1060 is the fringe benefit factor (% of hourly wage). Stcv(5) is the
1070 insurance rate factor (% of unrecovered value). Stcv(6) is the
1080 depreciation rate (%).
1090 -Utilization.
1100 -Employee's wage ($/SMH).
1110 *****
1120 OPTION BASE 1
1130 COM Na,Nn,Mn,Np,Nsv,Num,File$(6),Device$(6)
1140 COM Ix(250),Jx(250),Ic(250),Jc(250),Icr(250)
1150 COM Ak1(50),At(250),Js(50),Kh(25),INTEGER K1(50,25)
1160 DIM Sv(10),Aec(10),Apin(10)
1170 ! Input cost variables for each activity.
1180 ASSIGN #1,TO File$&Devices ! Open data file.
1190 READ #1,2 ! Position to second record.
1200 Interest=Stcv(1)/100
1210 OVERLAP
1220 FOR I=1 TO Na
1230 READ #1,I+1,A,B,Des$(I),Shy,Pp,W,Gp,Lf,Hcf,Rcf,Mtbr,Oe,Alc
1240 ! Calculate components of the total cost for each activity. Note that if
1250 ! Shy=0, the activity costs are set to Pp. If Pp=0, then there are only
1260 ! labour costs. Otherwise the cost equations are used.
1270 IF Shy<>0 THEN 1300
1280 Hcost(I)=Pp
1290 GOTO 1610
1300 IF Pp<>0 THEN 1330
1310 Hcost(I)=(1+Stcv(4)/100)*W
1320 GOTO 1610
1330 U=Mtbr/(1.1*Mtbr+Stcv(3)/100*1.8)*Oe
1340 Phy=Shy*W
1350 Lc=Alc/Phy
1360 Fc=.21*Gp*Lf*Stcv(2)
1370 OIc=Fc*Hcf
1380 Rc=Pp*Rcf/1000

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1390 C=Lc+Fc+Olc+Rc
1400 ! Calculate salvage value, manpower costs, insurance cost based on the
1410 ! salvage value for the year, capital and operating costs on an annual
1420 ! equivalent basis, and optimal machine life.
1430 A1=Stcv(5)/100/Phy
1440 Oml=1
1450 Spvoc=0
1460 FOR J=1 TO 10
1470   Mc=W*(1+Stcv(4)/100)*1.05^(J-1)/U
1480   Sv(J)=Pp*(1-Stcv(6)/100)^J
1490   Inc=Sv(J)*A1
1500   Oc=C+Inc+Mc
1510   Spvoc=Spvoc+Oc/(1+Interest)^J
1520   Apin(J)=Interest*(1+Interest)^J/((1+Interest)^J-1)
1530   Aecc=((Pp-Sv(J))*Apin(J)+Sv(J)*Interest)/Phy
1540   Aeoc=Spvoc*Apin(J)
1550   Aec(J)=Aeccc+Aeoc
1560   IF J=1 THEN 1580
1570   IF Aec(J)<=Aec(J-1) THEN Oml=J
1580 NEXT J
1590 ! Set-up array Hcost with activity costs.
1600 Hcost(I)=Aec(Oml)
1610 NEXT I
1620 ASSIGN #1 TO *
1630 SUBEND
1640 SUB Prod(Stov(*),Upmh(*))
1650 ! *****
1660 ! This subroutine calculates the hourly productivity (m^3/PMH) for the
1670 ! activities in the network.
1680 ! *****
1690 ! Variables used in subroutine PROD not used in MAIN.
1700 ! Ct -Array of dimension Na containing the activity cycle times (cmin)
1710 ! Dbh -Scaler equalling the diameter breast height (cm).
1720 ! M1 -Scaler equalling the merchantable length of the tree (m).
1730 ! Mvpt -Scaler equalling the merchantable volume per tree (m^3).

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1740 ! Nt -Scaler equalling the number of trees that can be accumulated.
1750 ! Ntph -Scaler equalling the number of trees per hectare.
1760 ! Vpmh -Array of dimension Na containing the hourly productivity for
1770 !         for the activity.
1780 ! Wtft -Scaler equalling the green full-tree weight (kg).
1790 ! Wttl -Scaler equalling the green tree-length weight (kg).
1800 ! *****
1810 ! OPTION BASE 1
1820 ! COM Na,Nn,Mn,Np,Nsv,Num,File$(61),Device$(61)
1830 ! COM Ix(250),Jx(250),Jc(250),Jc(250),Icr(250)
1840 ! COM Ak1(50),At(250),Js(50),Kh(25),INTEGER K1(50,25)
1850 ! DIM Ct(250)
1860 ! Input basic stand parameters.
1870 ! Dbh=Stov(2)
1880 ! ON Stov(1) GOTO Jack_pine,Black_spruce,White_spruce,Balsam_fir
1890 ! Jack_pine: ! Calculate tree characteristics using regression equations.
1900 ! Mvpt=1.8/10^4*Dbh^2.406 ! R^2=0.981
1910 ! Wtft=.346*Dbh^2.214 ! R^2=0.977
1920 ! Wttl=.217*Dbh^2.301 ! R^2=0.978
1930 ! M1=9.745*Dbh^2.228 ! R^2=0.648
1940 ! Dsh=Dbh+.230*Dbh ! R^2=0.995
1950 ! GOTO 2160
1960 ! Black_spruce: ! Calculate tree characteristics using regression equations.
1970 ! Mvpt=1.1/10^4*Dbh^2.502 ! R^2=0.947
1980 ! Wtft=.330*Dbh^2.209 ! R^2=0.955
1990 ! Wttl=.153*Dbh^2.345 ! R^2=0.952
2000 ! M1=.819*Dbh^2.918 ! R^2=0.790
2010 ! Dsh=Dbh+.253*Dbh ! R^2=0.996
2020 ! GOTO 2160
2030 ! White_spruce: ! Calculate tree characteristics using regression equations.
2040 ! Mvpt=.9/10^4*Dbh^2.547 ! R^2=0.979
2050 ! Wtft=.331*Dbh^2.217 ! R^2=0.984
2060 ! Wttl=.111*Dbh^2.425 ! R^2=0.983
2070 ! M1=1.687*Dbh^2.704 ! R^2=0.855
2080 ! Dsh=Dbh+.269*Dbh ! R^2=0.993

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2090  GOTO 2160
2100  Balsam_fir: ! Calculate tree characteristics using regression equations.
2110  Mvpt=1.8/10^4*Dbh^2.515 ! R^2=0.968
2120  Wtft=.215*Dbh^2.382 ! R^2=0.968
2130  Wttl=.063*Dbh^2.650 ! R^2=0.963
2140  Ml=.855*Dbh^1.870 ! R^2=0.785
2150  Dsh=Dbh+.230*Dbh ! R^2=0.997
2160  Packingft=.188+.0213*Dsh
2170  Packingttl=.440+.0213*Dsh
2180  Dist=1.4*Stov(4)
2190  Ntph=Stov(3)/Mvpt
2200  Ct(1)=50+21.2*Mvpt
2210  Ct(2)=40+21.2*Mvpt
2220  Nt=INT(1135/3/Wtft)+1
2230  Ct(3)=49.4-7.2*Nt+42.4*Mvpt
2240  Ct(4)=43+3460/Ntph
2250  Ct(5)=40*EXP(Dbh/1065)
2260  Ct(6)=40+113*Mvpt
2270  Ct(7)=40+113*Mvpt
2280  Nt=INT(1600/3/Wtft)+1
2290  Ct(8)=70+.70*Stov(8)-7*Nt
2300  Ct(17)=.65*Dbh^1.81
2310  Ct(18)=6000/(95.46+.085*Ntph)
2320  Ct(19)=60+116.5*Mvpt
2330  Ct(20)=6000/(90+.085*Ntph)
2340  Ct(25)=27+22725/Ntph+24.7*Mvpt
2350  Ct(26)=53+14*Mvpt
2360  Ct(30)=.55*Dbh^1.81+.17*Dbh^2.42
2370  Ct(31)=58+.86*Ml
2380  Ct(34)=66-.60*Stov(8)+102.4*Mvpt
2390  Ct(35)=66.4+14*Mvpt
2400  Ct(36)=62+98*Mvpt
2410  Ct(40)=35+102.4*Mvpt
2420  Ct(41)=40
2430  Ct(42)=30+38.5*Mvpt

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2440 Nt=INT(2775/Wtft)
2450 Ct(46)=32+229*Mvpt+(200+2.5*Dist)/Nt
2460 Nt=INT(5685/Wtft)
2470 Ct(47)=32+229*Mvpt+(200+2.5*Dist)/Nt
2480 Nt=INT(4*8082*Packingft/PI/Dbh^2)
2490 Ct(48)=22.6*Mvpt+(322+2.5*Dist)/Nt
2500 Nt=INT(4*13935*Packingft/PI/Dbh^2)
2510 Ct(49)=22.6*Mvpt+(400+2.5*Dist)/Nt
2520 Nt=INT(4*32515*Packingft/PI/Dbh^2)
2530 Ct(50)=162*Mvpt+(328+2.85*Dist)/Nt
2540 Nt=INT(29000/Wtft)
2550 Ct(51)=35+(52+5.84*Dist)/Nt
2560 Nt=INT(6200/Wtft)
2570 Ct(52)=(1200+2.36*Dist)/Nt
2580 Nt=INT(4*13285*Packingft/PI/Dbh^2)
2590 Ct(53)=(1050+2.36*Dist)/Nt
2600 Nt=INT(2775/Wtft)
2610 Ct(62)=40+229*Mvpt+(257+2.5*Dist)/Nt
2620 Nt=INT(5685/Wtft)
2630 Ct(63)=40+229*Mvpt+(257+2.5*Dist)/Nt
2640 Nt=INT(4*32515*Packingft/PI/Dbh^2)
2650 Ct(64)=200*Mvpt+(600+2.85*Dist)/Nt
2660 Nt=INT(29000/Wtft)
2670 Ct(65)=55+(52+5.84*Dist)/Nt
2680 Nt=INT(6200/Nt)
2690 Ct(66)=(1350+2.36*Dist)/Nt
2700 Nt=INT(4*13285*Packingft/PI/Dbh^2)
2710 Ct(67)=(1300+2.36*Dist)/Nt
2720 Nt=INT(4*32515*Packingft/PI/Dbh^2)
2730 Ct(74)=50+(1000+2.85*Dist)/Nt
2740 Nt=INT(29000/Wtft)
2750 Ct(75)=49.4-7.2*(INT(1135/3/Wtft)+1)+42.4*Mvpt+(52+5.84*Dist)/Nt
2760 Nt=INT(29000/Wtft)
2770 Ct(76)=49.4-7.2*(INT(1135/3/Wtft)+1)+55*Mvpt+(52+5.84*Dist)/Nt
2780 Ct(77)=10000/(1.02*Ntph)

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2790 Nt=INT(3690/Wttl)
2800 Ct(82)=30+229*Mvpt+(257+2.5*Dist)/Nt
2810 Nt=INT(7570/Wttl)
2820 Ct(83)=30+229*Mvpt+(257+2.5*Dist)/Nt
2830 Nt=INT(4*8082*Packingt1/PI/Dbh^2)
2840 Ct(84)=22.6*Mvpt+(600+2.5*Dist)/Nt
2850 Nt=INT(4*32515*Packingt1/PI/Dbh^2)
2860 Ct(85)=175*Mvpt+(600+2.85*Dist)/Nt
2870 Nt=INT(29000/Wttl)
2880 Ct(86)=55+(52+5.84*Dist)/Nt
2890 Nt=INT(6200/Wttl)
2900 Ct(87)=(1350+2.36*Dist)/Nt
2910 Nt=INT(4*13285*Packingt1/PI/Dbh^2)
2920 Ct(88)=(1300+2.36*Dist)/Nt
2930 Nt=INT(3690/Wttl)
2940 Ct(96)=30+229*Mvpt+(200+2.5*Dist)/Nt
2950 Nt=INT(7570/Wttl)
2960 Ct(97)=30+229*Mvpt+(200+2.5*Dist)/Nt
2970 Nt=INT(4*8082*Packingt1/PI/Dbh^2)
2980 Ct(98)=22.6*Mvpt+(322+2.5*Dist)/Nt
2990 Nt=INT(4*13935*Packingt1/PI/Dbh^2)
3000 Ct(99)=22.6*Mvpt+(400+2.5*Dist)/Nt
3010 Nt=INT(4*32515*Packingt1/PI/Dbh^2)
3020 Ct(100)=162*Mvpt+(328+2.85*Dist)/Nt
3030 Nt=INT(29000/Wttl)
3040 Ct(101)=35+(52+5.84*Dist)/Nt
3050 Nt=INT(6200/Wttl)
3060 Ct(102)=(1200+2.36*Dist)/Nt
3070 Nt=INT(4*13282*Packingt1/PI/Dbh^2)
3080 Ct(103)=(1050+2.36*Dist)/Nt
3090 Ct(112)=38+10.6*Mvpt
3100 Ct(113)=45
3110 Ct(114)=50
3120 Ct(115)=20+49.4*Mvpt
3130 Ct(116)=18

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3140 Ct(117)=20
3150 Ct(122)=20
3160 Ct(123)=15
3170 Nt=INT(20000/Wtt1)
3180 Ct(124)=75+(52+5.84*Dist)/Nt
3190 Nt=INT(25000/Wtt1)
3200 Ct(125)=54+49*Mvpt+(300+5.84*Dist)/Nt
3210 Nt=INT(4*1000*Packingt1/PI/Dbh^2)
3220 Ct(128)=47.7/Nt
3230 Nt=INT(41000/Wtt1)
3240 Ct(130)=(1900+86*Stov(5)+144*Stov(6)+355*Stov(7))/Nt
3250 Nt=INT(41000/Wtt1)
3260 Ct(132)=300/Nt
3270 FOR I=1 TO Na
3280 IF Ct(I)<>0 THEN Vpmh(I)=6000*Mvpt/Ct(I)
3290 IF Ct(I)=0 THEN Vpmh(I)=0
3300 NEXT I
3310 SUBEND
3320 Wrong: BEEP
3330 DISP "Improper response - TRY AGAIN!"
3340 WAIT 3000
3350 RETURN
3360 SUB Enter(N,Stv(*),Stv(*))
3370 FOR I=1 TO N
3380 DISP Stv(I);
3390 INPUT Stv(I)
3400 NEXT I
3410 SUBEND
3420 SUB Correct(Answer$)
3430 INPUT "Is the above information correct (YES/NO)?",Answer$
3440 Answer$=UPC$(TRIM$(Answer$))
3450 IF (Answer$[1,1]<>"Y") OR (Answer$[1,1]<>"N") THEN SUBEXIT
3460 GOSUB Wrong
3470 GOTO 3430
3480 SUBEND

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3490 SUB List(N,Stv$(*),Stv(*),Marg$,X,M)
3500 DIM String$(52)
3510 IF X=1 THEN PRINT PAGE,SPA(17); "STANDARD VARIABLES FOR RUN";M,LIN(3);
      "ECONOMIC VARIABLES: ",LIN(1)
3520 IF X=2 THEN PRINT PAGE,LIN(9),Marg$;SPA(17); "STANDARD VARIABLES FOR RUN";
      M,LIN(3);Marg$; "ECONOMIC VARIABLES: ",LIN(1)
3530 IF X=3 THEN PRINT Marg$; "OPERATING VARIABLES: ",LIN(1)
3540 FOR I=1 TO N
3550   String$=Stv$(I)&" "&RPT$( " ",50-LEN(Stv$(I)))
3560   PRINT USING "K,2X,D,2X,51A,DDZ,DD";Marg$;I;String$;Stv(I)
3570   NEXT I
3580   PRINT LIN(1)
3590 SUBEND
3600 SUB Output(Des$(*),Hcost(*),Hprod(*),At(*),Na,Num)
3610   PRINTER IS 7,4,WIDTH(132)
3620   PRINT CHR$(27)&"&16d51p51f"
3630   I=0
3640   PRINT PAGE,LIN(9);SPA(37); "ACTIVITY DURATIONS FOR RUN";Num,LIN(3)
3650   PRINT SPA(11); "ACTIVITY   HOURLY   HOURLY   WOOD";SPA(15); "ACTIVITY
      DESCRIPTION"
3660   PRINT SPA(11); "   NUMBER   COST   PRODUCTION   COST"
3670   PRINT SPA(23); "($/PMH)   (m^3/PMH)   ($/m^3)"
3680   PRINT SPA(11);RPT$( " ",85),LIN(1)
3690   I=I+1
3700   PRINT USING 3710;I,Hcost(I),Hprod(I),At(I),Des$(I)
3710   IMAGE 15X,3D,5X,3D,2D,3X,4D,2D,3X,DDZ,2D,5X,40A
3720   IF I=Na THEN 3770
3730   IF I MOD 5>0 THEN 3690
3740   PRINT
3750   IF I MOD 20=0 THEN 3640
3760   GOTO 3690
3770   PRINTER IS 16
3780 SUBEND

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10 *****
20 'GENERAL SHORTEST PATH NETWORK ANALYSIS PROGRAM - GSPNA
30 *****
40 This program determines the Np shortest paths through the network and
50 stores them in matrix K1 using Yen's algorithm. The shortest paths are
60 determined by successively examining deviations from the J shortest
70 paths for J=1,2,3,...,Np-1.
80 *****
90 Variables used in GSPNA not used in MAIN.
100 AKT --Dummy scaler used to temporarily store a variable from AK1.
110 ATP --Array of dimension Na containing the permanent record of the
120 activity costs. The array At is restored to its original values
130 at the beginning of each iteration by equating it to ATP.
140 Bnew --Scaler equal to the total cost of the latest generated path.
150 ICQ --Scaler used in the comparison of the newly generated path's cost
160 with the stored path costs in List B in Step II of the algorithm.
170 ID --Flag which equals 0 if the newly generated path differs from
180 stored paths. ID equals 1 if the path is not new.
190 IN --Scaler which takes the value I+1 when in Step I(A) the cost of
200 activity I is set to infinity.
210 IQ --Flag used in Step I(A) for comparing subpaths. IQ equals 1 if
220 the first I nodes of the most recent path in List A coincide in
230 sequence with the first I nodes of path J in List A. Otherwise
240 IQ equals zero.
250 I5,I6--Scalers representing the node sequence in the (k-1)st best path.
260 They are used in the calculation of the root of a deviation from
270 this path.
280 JA,Jb--Scalers used to denote sequential node numbers in calculating
290 the root and subpath for the latest deviation determined in
300 Step I(B).
310 JK --Scaler set equal to J1-1 for subpath checking in Step I(A).
320 J1 --Scaler containing the number of nodes in the path just added to
330 List A.
340 JJ1 --Scaler equalling the number of nodes in the most recent path
350 added to List B.

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360 ! Ka -Scaler used to identify activities when calculating the cost of
370 ! the root of the most recent addition to List A.
380 ! Kh -Array of dimensions Mn containing the sequence of nodes in the
390 ! spur of the most recently determined path. Kh is produced by
400 ! subroutine SmSp.
410 ! Kr -Array of dimension Mn containing the node numbers of the most
420 ! recently generated path -- a candidate for List B.
430 ! Kt -Array of dimension Mn which temporarily stores a path being
440 ! inserted into List B.
450 ! K2 -Scaler set equal to K-1 to denote the most recent addition to
460 ! List A in the search for deviations in Step I(A).
470 ! R -Scaler equalling the cost of the root of the path found in Step
480 ! I(B).
490 ! S -Scaler equalling the cost of the spur of the path found in Step
500 ! I(R). S is produced in subroutine SmSp.
510 ! *****
520 ! OPTION BASE 1
530 ! COM Na,Nn,Mn,Np,Nsv,Num,File$(61),Devices$(61)
540 ! COM Ix(250),Jx(250),Ic(250),Jc(250),Icr(250)
550 ! COM Ak1(50),At(250),Js(50),Kh(25),INTEGER K1(50,25)
560 ! DIM Atp(250),Kr(25),Kt(25)
570 ! Copy the activity data into array Atp and zero matrix K1.
580 ! MAT Atp=At
590 ! MAT K1=ZER
600 ! Determine the least cost path through the network from node 1 to node
610 ! Nn. If Np equals 1, nothing more is required.
620 ! J1=1
630 ! DISP "SEARCHING FOR PATH 1"
640 ! CALL SmSp(1,J1,S)
650 ! Js(1)=J1
660 ! FOR I=1 TO Mn
670 ! K1(I,1)=Kh(I)
680 ! NEXT I
690 ! Ak1(1)=S
700 ! IF Np=1 THEN Finish

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710 ! Set array Ak1 to infinity.
720 FOR I=2 TO Np
730   AK1(I)=1E20
740   NEXT I
750 ! The statements from here to the end determine the Np-1 least cost paths
760 ! through the network and store them in Matrix K1.
770 FOR K=2 TO Np
780   DISP "SEARCHING FOR PATH ";K
790   BEEP
800 ! Reset array At to its original values at the start of each iteration.
810   MAT At=Atp
820   K2=K-1
830   JK=J1-1
840 ! Step I of Yen's algorithm. Certain activity costs in the network are
850 ! set to infinity in determining the minimum cost deviations from the
860 ! last path added to List A.
870   FOR I=1 TO Jk
880     J=1
890     Iq=1
900 ! Step I(A) of Yen's algorithm follows. The subpath consisting of the
910 ! first I nodes of path K-1 is checked to see if they coincide with the
920 ! first I nodes of the previously identified best paths. If so, the
930 ! duration of activities between nodes I and I+1 is set to infinity.
940   FOR Ij=1 TO I
950     IF K1(J,Ij)<>K1(K2,Ij) THEN Iq=0
960     NEXT Ij
970   IF Iq=1 THEN 1010
980   IF J>=K2 THEN 1160
990   J=J+1
1000   GOTO 890
1010   In=I+1
1020   Ia=K1(J,I)
1030   Ib=K1(J,In)
1040   Ka=1
1050   IF (Ia=Ic(Ka)) AND (Ib=Jc(Ka)) THEN 1100

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1060 Ka=Ka+1
1070 IF Ka<=Na THEN 1050
1080 DISP "SOMETHINGS WRONG IN STEP I(A)."
1090 STOP
1100 At(Ka)=1E20
1110 GOTO 980
1120 ! Step I(B) of Yen's algorithm follows. Subroutine Smsp is used to find
1130 ! the shortest path from node I to Nn. the subpath from I to I is the
1140 ! root, and the subpath from I to Nn is the spur. A new path must be
1150 ! found around the block created by setting the activity to infinity.
1160 Jj1=I
1170 CALL Smsp(Ia,Jj1,S)
1180 IF S>=1E10 THEN 1690
1190 R=0
1200 MAT Kr=ZER
1210 IF I=1 THEN 1420
1220 FOR I5=1 TO I-1
1230 I6=I5+1
1240 Ja=K1(K2,I5)
1250 Jb=K1(K2,I6)
1260 Kr(I5)=Ja
1270 Ka=1
1280 IF (Ja=Ic(Ka)) AND (Jb=Jc(Ka)) THEN 1330
1290 Ka=Ka+1
1300 IF Ka<=Na THEN 1280
1310 DISP "SOMETHING IS WRONG IN STEP I(B)."
1320 STOP
1330 R=R+Atp(Ka)
1340 NEXT I5
1350 ! Steps I(C) and II follow. Both List A and List B are stored in K1.
1360 ! The path determined in Step I(B) is stored in proper sequence in K1.
1370 ! The next program segment ensures that the paths in K1 are sorted from
1380 ! lowest to highest cost so that the top path in List B is the next one
1390 ! to be added to List A. Step II of the algorithm effectively becomes
1400 ! redundant since advancing K by 1 moves the top entry of List B to the

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1410 ! bottom entry in List A.
1420 Bnew=R+S
1430 FOR J=1 TO JJ1
1440   Kr(J)=Kh(J)
1450   NEXT J
1460   Icq=K
1470   IF Bnew<Ak1(Icq) THEN 1520
1480   IF Bnew=Ak1(Icq) THEN 1630
1490   IF Icq=Np THEN 1690
1500   Icq=Icq+1
1510   GOTO 1470
1520   FOR Ik=1 TO Mn
1530     Kt(Ik)=K1(Icq,Ik)
1540     K1(Icq,Ik)=Kr(Ik)
1550     Kr(Ik)=Kt(Ik)
1560     NEXT Ik
1570     Akt=Ak1(Icq)
1580     Ak1(Icq)=Bnew
1590     Bnew=Akt
1600     IF Icq=Np THEN 1690
1610     Icq=Icq+1
1620     GOTO 1520
1630     Id=1
1640     FOR Ir=1 TO Mn
1650       IF Kr(Ir)<>K1(Icq,Ir) THEN Id=0
1660       NEXT Ir
1670       IF Id=1 THEN 1690
1680       GOTO 1490
1690       NEXT I
1700       J1=0
1710       FOR J=1 TO Mn
1720         IF K1(K,J)>.0001 THEN J1=J1+1
1730         NEXT J
1740         Js(K)=J1
1750         NEXT K

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1760 Finish: DISP "TRACING OF PATH(S) COMPLETED. RETURNING TO MAIN."
1770 LOAD "MAIN",Target2
1780 END
1790 SUB SMSP(M,J1,S)
1800 ! *****
1810 ! This subroutine determines the shortest path from node M to node Nn
1820 ! for any acyclic network satisfying the I(J rule, using a dynamic
1830 ! programming algorithm suggested by S.E. Elmaghraby in Management
1840 ! Science 17(1): 10.
1850 ! *****
1860 ! Variables used in subroutine SMSP not used in MAIN.
1870 ! F -Array of dimension Nn. F(I) is the minimum cost between node I
1880 ! and node M where I>M.
1890 ! I1 -Dummy scalar.
1900 ! Khr -Array of dimension Mn which stores the nodes in the optimal path
1910 ! in reverse sequence starting from node J1. For example, if M=6,
1920 ! Nn=17, J1=3, and the optimal path is 6-11-17, then Khr(3)=17,
1930 ! Khr(4)=11 and Khr(5)=6.
1940 ! Kq -Scalar, set equal to J1, the number of nodes in the root not
1950 ! including node M.
1960 ! Kx -Dummy scalar.
1970 ! K1 -Dummy scalar.
1980 ! M -Origin node for the least-cost spur being sought, and the
1990 ! terminal node of the current root.
2000 ! M1 -Dummy scalar.
2010 ! Op -Array of dimension Nn containing the optimal predecessors.
2020 ! Op(I) is the node number which precedes I in the shortest path
2030 ! from node M to node I.
2040 ! *****
2050 ! OPTION BASE 1
2060 ! COM Na,Nn,Mn,Np,Nsv,Num,File$(61,Devices$(61
2070 ! COM Ix(250),Jx(250),Ic(250),Jc(250),Icr(250)
2080 ! COM Ak1(50),At(250),Js(50),Kh(25),INTEGER K1(50,25)
2090 ! DIM F(250),Khr(25),Op(250)
2100 ! Initialize variables

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2110 Kq=J1
2120 MAT Khr=ZER
2130 MAT Kh=ZER
2140 M1=M+1
2150 F(M)=0
2160 ! Determine the nodes which are the optimal predecessors of each node,
2170 ! and the minimum cost between the two nodes.
2180 FOR J=M1 TO Nn
2190   Op(J)=0
2200   F(J)=1E20
2210   FOR K=1 TO Na
2220     IF Jc(K)<>J THEN 2280
2230     IF Ic(K)<M THEN 2280
2240     I=Ic(K)
2250     IF F(I)+At(K)>F(J) THEN 2280
2260     F(J)=F(I)+At(K)
2270     Op(J)=I
2280   NEXT K
2290 NEXT J
2300 ! Set-up array Khr with the optimal path in the reverse order.
2310 Kx=Nn
2320 Khr(Kq)=Nn
2330 J1=J1+1
2340 Khr(J1)=Op(Kx)
2350 Kx=Khr(J1)
2360 IF (Kx=0) OR (J1=Mn) THEN 2400
2370   IF Kx<M THEN 2330
2380 ! Store the nodes of the shortest path in array Kh, and set S equal to
2390 ! the length of the shortest path.
2400 FOR I=Kq TO J1
2410   Kh(I)=Khr(J1-I+Kq)
2420 NEXT I
2430 S=F(Nn)
2440 SUBEND

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C.2 Non-Standard BASIC Statements

The BASIC programming language implemented on the Hewlett-Packard 9845 desktop computer is an enhanced version of standard ANSI BASIC. To assist readers unfamiliar with H.-P. BASIC, a list of non-standard syntax used in LOGNAP and an explanation of its purposes follows.

Operators

^	Exponentiate
&	String concatenation

Statements

COM	- Dimensions and allocates memory space for the specified variables in a "common" memory area.
OPTION BASE 1	- Specifies that the lower bound of arrays begin with one rather than zero. The first element in array A is A(1).
OVERLAP	- Sets the computer to an overlapped processing mode to increase I/O speed.
REM	- Inserts non-executable remarks (comments) into a program. An exclamation mark can also be used as a comment delimiter.
WAIT n	- Causes program execution to wait the specified number of milliseconds before it continues.

Functions

INT(expression)	- Returns the integer portion of the evaluated expression.
LEN(string)	- Returns the length of the string.
LIN(n)	- Outputs a carriage return and the specified number of linefeeds.
PAGE	- Outputs a formfeed.
RPT\$(string,n)	- Causes the string to be repeated the specified number of times.
SPA(n)	- Output the specified number of blank spaces.
TAB(m)	- Output the next item starting in the specified position.
TRIM\$(string)	- Delete any leading or trailing blanks from the string.
UPC\$(string)	- Returns a string of all uppercase characters.

Array Operations

- MAT matrix = matrix - Copies the value of each matrix element into a second matrix.
- MAT matrix = matrix (expression) - Performs an arithmetic operation on each element of a matrix with the result becoming the value of the corresponding element in the result matrix.
- MAT matrix = ZER - Sets all matrix elements to zero.

Mass Storage Operations

- ASSIGN file TO #n - Open a file for accessing.
- ASSIGN #n TO * - Close a file.
- CAT TO string array - Copies the mass storage device catalogue to the specific string array.
- CREATE file,n,m - Establish a data file of n records of m bytes in length.
- LOAD file - Place a program stored in compiled form into memory.
- READ #1,n;variables - Positions read head to specified record number to retrieve variable values.

APPENDIX D

NETWORK DEFINITION AND COSTING INPUTS

The computer output contained in this appendix summarizes data for the network shown in Figure 7 that was analyzed for this research. The report was produced by the INPUT module of the LOGNAP programs.

The first section of the output summarizes parameters which in effect identify the network's size. The second section outlines the linkages within the network in terms of each activity's initial and final nodes and a description. The final section contains the data specific to each activity which was used in the calculation of activity durations.

BASIC NETWORK PARAMETERS

1. Number of activities in the network 133
2. Number of nodes in the network 77
3. Estimated maximum number of nodes on a path ... 15

ACTIVITY DATA

ACTIVITY NUMBER	INITIAL MODE	FINAL MODE	ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION
1	1	10	FB Whld Shear - Forano BJ-20
2	1	11	FB Trckd Shear - Drott 40
3	1	12	FB Whld Multi-Shear - Koehring KFB4
4	1	13	FB Whld Shear - Melroe Bobcat 1075
5	1	14	FB Whld Saw - Kockums 880
6	1	15	FB Trckd Saw - Drott 40
7	1	16	FB Trckd Auger - Drott 40
8	1	17	FB Whld Multi-Saw - Hydro Ax Swather
9	10	20	DUMMY
10	11	20	DUMMY
11	12	20	DUMMY
12	13	20	DUMMY
13	14	20	DUMMY
14	15	20	DUMMY
15	16	20	DUMMY
16	17	20	DUMMY
17	1	30	FELL - Man with Chain Saw
18	1	31	FELL Trckd Shear - Caterpillar D6
19	1	32	FELL Trckd Saw - FMC & Feller-Director
20	1	33	FELL Trckd Saw - Caterpillar D6

ACTIVITY DATA

ACTIVITY NUMBER	INITIAL MODE	FINAL NODE	ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION
21	30	40	DUMMY
22	31	40	DUMMY
23	32	40	DUMMY
24	33	40	DUMMY
25	40	50	DEL Stumpsides (loose) - Logma T-310
26	40	51	DEL Stumpsides - Drott 40 with Timmins
27	50	60	DUMMY
28	51	60	DUMMY
29	60	110	DUMMY
30	1	70	FELL & DEL - Man with Chain Saw
31	1	71	FELL & DEL - John Deere 743
32	70	80	DUMMY
33	71	80	DUMMY
34	1	90	FELL DEL & BUNCH Whld - Timberjack TJ-30
35	1	91	FELL DEL & BUNCH - Koehring KFB4 & Tim
36	1	92	FELL DEL & BUNCH - Drott 40 with Timmins
37	90	110	DUMMY
38	91	110	DUMMY
39	92	110	DUMMY
40	20	100	DEL Stumpsides (bunched) - Logma T-310

ACTIVITY DATA

ACTIVITY NUMBER	INITIAL MODE	FINAL MODE	ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION
41	20	101	DEL Stumpsides - GLFP/NESCO Flail
42	20	102	DEL Stumpsides - Drött 40 with Timmins
43	100	110	DUMMY
44	101	110	DUMMY
45	102	110	DUMMY
46	20	120	PT (FT bunch) Whld Cable Skid - JD-540
47	20	121	PT (FT bunch) Whld Cable Skid - JD-740
48	20	122	PT (FT bunch) Whld Grap Skid - JD-540
49	20	123	PT (FT bunch) Whld Grap Skid - JD-740
50	20	124	PT (FT bunch) Whld Clam Skid - TJ 520
51	20	125	PT (FT bunch) Whld Frwd - Koehring KF2
52	20	126	PT (FT bunch) Trckd Cable Skid - FMC 200
53	20	127	PT (FT bunch) Trckd Clam Skid - FMC 200
54	120	150	DUMMY
55	121	150	DUMMY
56	122	150	DUMMY
57	123	150	DUMMY
58	124	150	DUMMY
59	125	150	DUMMY
60	126	150	DUMMY

ACTIVITY DATA

ACTIVITY NUMBER	INITIAL MODE	FINAL MODE	ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION
61	127	150	DUMMY
62	40	130	PT (FT 100se) Whld Cable Skid - JD-540
63	40	131	PT (FT 100se) Whld Cable Skid - JD-740
64	40	132	PT (FT 100se) Whld Clam Skid - TJ 520
65	40	133	PT (FT 100se) Whld Frwd - Koehring KF2
66	40	134	PT (FT 100se) Trckd Cable Skid - FMC 200
67	40	135	PT (FT 100se) Trckd Clam Skid - FMC 200
68	130	150	DUMMY
69	131	150	DUMMY
70	132	150	DUMMY
71	133	150	DUMMY
72	134	150	DUMMY
73	135	150	DUMMY
74	1	140	FELL Skid Shear - TJ-520 with Head
75	1	141	FELL & Frwd Multi-Shear - Koehring KFF
76	1	142	FELL & Frwd Multi-Saw - Koehring KFF
77	1	143	FELL & Frwd Saw - PAPCO Swather
78	140	150	DUMMY
79	141	150	DUMMY
80	142	150	DUMMY

ACTIVITY DATA

ACTIVITY NUMBER	INITIAL MODE	FINAL NODE	ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION
81	143	150	DUMMY
82	80	160	PT (TL loose) Whld Cable Skid - JD-540
83	80	161	PT (TL loose) Whld Cable Skid - JD-740
84	80	162	PT (TL loose) Whld Grap Skid - JD-540
85	80	163	PT (TL loose) Whld Clam Skid - TJ 520
86	80	164	PT (TL loose) Whld Frurd - Koehring KF2
87	80	165	PT (TL loose) Trckd Cable Skid - FMC 200
88	80	166	PT (TL loose) Trckd Clam Skid - FMC 200
89	160	200	DUMMY
90	161	200	DUMMY
91	162	200	DUMMY
92	163	200	DUMMY
93	164	200	DUMMY
94	165	200	DUMMY
95	166	200	DUMMY
96	110	170	PT (TL bunch) Whld Cable Skid - JD-540
97	110	171	PT (TL bunch) Whld Cable Skid - JD-740
98	110	172	PT (TL bunch) Whld Grap Skid - JD-540
99	110	173	PT (TL bunch) Whld Grap Skid - JD-740
100	110	174	PT (TL bunch) Whld Clam Skid - TJ 520

ACTIVITY DATA

ACTIVITY NUMBER	INITIAL MODE	FINAL NODE	ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION
101	110	175	PT (TL bunch) Whld Frwd - Koehring KF2
102	110	176	PT (TL bunch) Trckd Cable Skid - FMC 200
103	110	177	PT (TL bunch) Trckd Clam Skid - FMC 200
104	170	200	DUMMY
105	171	200	DUMMY
106	172	200	DUMMY
107	173	200	DUMMY
108	174	200	DUMMY
109	175	200	DUMMY
110	176	200	DUMMY
111	177	200	DUMMY
112	150	180	DEL Roadside - Logma T-310
113	150	181	DEL Roadside - Harricana
114	150	182	DEL Roadside - Koehring KBL
115	150	183	DEL Roadside - Drott 40 with Timmins
116	150	184	DEL Roadside - Hydro Ax Flail System
117	150	185	DEL Roadside - Hydro Ax 500 Flail
118	180	200	DUMMY
119	181	200	DUMMY
120	182	200	DUMMY

ACTIVITY DATA

ACTIVITY NUMBER	INITIAL MODE	FINAL NODE	ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION
121	183	200	DUMMY
122	184	185	Loader Spreading Bunch - Tanguay 14030
123	185	200	Man with Chain Saw
124	1	190	HARV Frwd - Koehring KTL
125	1	191	HARV Frwd - Koehring KFF with Timmins
126	170	200	DUMMY
127	191	200	DUMMY
128	200	210	LOAD Trckd - Caterpillar 235
129	210	220	DUMMY
130	220	230	ST Double Load on Semi-Trailer
131	230	240	DUMMY
132	240	250	UNLOAD - Rago Wagner
133	250	260	DUMMY

COST VARIABLES

ACTIVITY NUMBER	SCHEDULED HOURS	PURCHASE PRICE	HOURLY WAGE	GROSS POWER	LOAD FACTOR	HYD.C. FACTOR	REPAIR FACTOR	MTBR	OPER. EFFEC	LICENSE COST
1	3840	160000	9.38	90	0.65	0.25	0.11	8.5	0.85	0
2	3840	165000	9.38	117	0.65	0.25	0.11	12.4	0.85	0
3	3840	250000	9.38	150	0.65	0.25	0.10	15.4	0.85	0
4	1920	75000	9.38	61	0.65	0.25	0.12	8.7	0.85	0
5	3840	185000	9.38	115	0.65	0.25	0.12	11.2	0.85	0
6	3840	170000	9.38	117	0.65	0.25	0.11	9.7	0.80	0
7	3840	170000	9.38	117	0.65	0.25	0.11	9.7	0.80	0
8	3840	225000	9.38	175	0.70	0.25	0.10	11.9	0.80	0
9	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
10	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
11	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
12	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
13	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
14	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
15	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
16	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
17	1920	0	10.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
18	3840	180000	9.38	104	0.60	0.20	0.10	17.0	0.85	0
19	3840	175000	9.38	147	0.65	0.25	0.11	12.4	0.85	0
20	3840	185000	9.38	104	0.65	0.25	0.10	15.6	0.85	0

COST VARIABLES

ACTIVITY NUMBER	SCHEDULED HOURS	PURCHASE PRICE	HOURLY WAGE	GROSS POWER	LOAD FACTOR	HYD.C. FACTOR	REPAIR FACTOR	MTBR	OPER. EFFEC	LICENSE COST
21	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
22	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
23	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
24	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
25	3840	210000	9.38	153	0.70	0.40	0.11	7.9	0.90	0
26	3840	160000	9.38	117	0.70	0.25	0.10	7.9	0.90	0
27	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
28	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
29	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
30	1920	0	10.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
31	3840	215000	9.66	113	0.65	0.40	0.12	11.6	0.81	0
32	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
33	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
34	3840	180000	9.66	69	0.70	0.40	0.12	12.0	0.85	0
35	3840	250000	9.66	172	0.70	0.40	0.10	12.7	0.85	0
36	3840	170000	9.66	117	0.70	0.40	0.11	7.9	0.85	0
37	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
38	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
39	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
40	3840	210000	9.30	153	0.70	0.40	0.11	7.9	0.90	0

COST VARIABLES

ACTIVITY NUMBER	SCHEDULED HOURS	PURCHASE PRICE	HOURLY WAGE	GROSS POWER	LOAD FACTOR	HYD.C. FACTOR	REPAIR FACTOR	MTBR	OPER. EFFEC	LICENSE COST
41	3840	200000	9.38	113	0.65	0.25	0.10	9.0	0.80	0
42	3840	170000	9.38	117	0.70	0.25	0.11	8.5	0.85	0
43	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
44	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
45	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
46	1920	48000	9.15	67	0.65	0.15	0.08	23.5	0.95	0
47	1920	65000	9.15	108	0.65	0.15	0.08	22.7	0.95	0
48	1920	50000	9.15	67	0.65	0.20	0.09	22.6	0.90	0
49	1920	70000	9.15	108	0.65	0.20	0.09	20.8	0.90	0
50	3840	175000	9.15	138	0.70	0.20	0.10	16.3	0.93	0
51	3840	325000	9.38	257	0.70	0.25	0.10	11.8	0.90	0
52	1920	165000	9.15	147	0.65	0.15	0.10	19.1	0.95	0
53	1920	175000	9.38	147	0.70	0.20	0.10	15.4	0.93	0
54	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
55	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
56	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
57	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
58	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
59	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
60	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0

COST VARIABLES

ACTIVITY NUMBER	SCHEDULED HOURS	PURCHASE PRICE	HOURLY WAGE	GROSS POWER	LOAD FACTOR	HYD.C. FACTOR	REPAIR FACTOR	MTBR	OPER. EFFEC	LICENSE COST
61	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
62	1920	48000	9.15	67	0.65	0.15	0.08	23.5	0.95	0
63	1920	65000	9.15	108	0.65	0.15	0.08	22.7	0.95	0
64	3840	175000	9.38	138	0.70	0.20	0.10	16.3	0.93	0
65	3840	325000	9.38	257	0.70	0.25	0.10	11.8	0.90	0
66	1920	165000	9.15	147	0.65	0.15	0.10	19.1	0.95	0
67	1920	175000	9.38	147	0.70	0.20	0.10	15.4	0.93	0
68	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
69	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
70	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
71	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
72	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
73	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
74	3840	185000	9.66	138	0.70	0.20	0.11	19.3	0.85	0
75	3840	325000	9.66	257	0.70	0.25	0.10	11.8	0.70	0
76	3840	325000	9.66	257	0.70	0.25	0.10	10.6	0.85	0
77	1920	225000	19.32	200	0.75	0.25	0.10	12.5	0.85	0
78	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
79	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
80	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0

COST VARIABLES

ACTIVITY NUMBER	SCHEDULED HOURS	PURCHASE PRICE	HOURLY WAGE	GROSS POWER	LOAD FACTOR	HYD.C. FACTOR	REPAIR FACTOR	MTBR	OPER. EFFEC	LICENSE COST
81	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
82	1920	48000	9.15	67	0.65	0.15	0.08	23.5	0.95	0
83	1920	65000	9.15	108	0.65	0.15	0.08	22.7	0.95	0
84	1920	50000	9.15	67	0.65	0.20	0.09	22.6	0.93	0
85	3840	175000	9.15	138	0.70	0.25	0.10	16.3	0.93	0
86	3840	325000	9.38	257	0.70	0.25	0.10	10.2	0.90	0
87	1920	165000	9.15	147	0.65	0.15	0.10	19.1	0.95	0
88	1920	175000	9.15	147	0.70	0.20	0.10	15.4	0.93	0
89	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
90	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
91	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
92	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
93	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
94	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
95	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
96	1920	48000	9.15	67	0.65	0.15	0.08	23.5	0.95	0
97	1920	65000	9.15	108	0.65	0.15	0.08	22.7	0.95	0
98	1920	50000	9.15	67	0.65	0.20	0.09	22.6	0.90	0
99	1920	70000	9.15	108	0.65	0.20	0.09	20.8	0.90	0
100	3840	175000	9.15	138	0.70	0.25	0.10	16.3	0.93	0

COST VARIABLES

ACTIVITY NUMBER	SCHEDULED HOURS	PURCHASE PRICE	HOURLY WAGE	GROSS POWER	LOAD FACTOR	HYD.C. FACTOR	REPAIR FACTOR	MTBR	OPER. EFFEC	LICENSE COST
101	3840	325000	9.38	257	0.70	0.25	0.10	11.8	0.90	0
102	1920	165000	9.15	147	0.65	0.15	0.10	19.1	0.95	0
103	1920	175000	9.15	147	0.70	0.20	0.10	15.4	0.93	0
104	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
105	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
106	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
107	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
108	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
109	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
110	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
111	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
112	3840	210000	9.38	153	0.70	0.40	0.10	7.9	0.90	0
113	3840	170000	9.38	145	0.70	0.40	0.11	6.7	0.90	0
114	3840	325000	9.66	257	0.75	0.40	0.12	8.9	0.90	0
115	3840	160000	9.38	117	0.70	0.25	0.10	9.4	0.70	0
116	3840	110000	9.38	68	0.70	0.25	0.11	14.7	0.80	0
117	3840	110000	9.38	68	0.70	0.25	0.11	14.7	0.70	0
118	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
119	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
120	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0

COST VARIABLES

ACTIVITY NUMBER	SCHEDULED HOURS	PURCHASE PRICE	HOURLY WAGE	GROSS POWER	LOAD FACTOR	HYD.C. FACTOR	REPAIR FACTOR	MTBR	OPER. EFFEC	LICENSE COST
121	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
122	3840	180000	9.29	123	0.70	0.25	0.08	12.3	0.70	0
123	1920	0	10.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
124	3840	340000	9.66	257	0.70	0.40	0.12	8.4	0.90	0
125	3840	325000	9.66	237	0.70	0.40	0.11	10.6	0.90	0
126	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
127	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
128	3840	235000	9.29	145	0.70	0.25	0.08	13.9	0.80	0
129	0	0	0.00	0	0.70	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
130	3840	80000	9.22	283	0.75	0.10	0.13	15.7	0.80	1700
131	0	0	0.00	0	0.70	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0
132	8400	360000	9.38	250	0.00	0.40	0.11	9.5	0.70	0
133	0	0	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.0	0.00	0

APPENDIX E

COMPUTER RUN RESULTS

Computer output summaries of runs made using the LOGNAP computer programs on the network summarized in Appendix D follow. Individual systems of equipment were ranked in ascending order of total cost per cubic meter of tree-length wood unloaded at the mill.

The appendix is sectioned as follows:

- E.1. Primary Computer Run
- E.2. Sensitivity Analysis - Fuel Price
- E.3. Sensitivity Analysis - Average Tree Size
and Stand Volume.

Note that a complete computer output of 50 shortest paths is included for the primary computer run. In the sections related to sensitivity analysis, only summaries of the least-cost paths are included.

The node numbers defining the shortest paths refer to those shown in Figure 7.

E.1. Primary Computer Run

Results of the main computer run are contained in this section. Note that these results were also used as the standard conditions in all sensitivity analysis.

STANDARD VARIABLES FOR RUN 1

ECONOMIC VARIABLES:

1. Interest Rate (%)	12.00
2. Fuel Price (\$/liter)	0.22
3. Repair Time Intershift (% of total repair time)	85.00
4. Fringe Benefit Factor (% of hourly wage)	35.00
5. Insurance Rate Factor (% of unrecovered value)	3.00
6. Rate of Lost Utility (%)	30.00

OPERATING VARIABLES:

1. Species (Pj=1, Sb=2, Sw=3, Fb=4)	2.00
2. Average Tree Size (DBH in cm)	18.00
3. Stand Volume (m ³ /hectare)	100.00
4. Average Primary Transport Distance (meters)	150.00
5. Hauling Distance - Road Class 1 (km)	96.00
6. Hauling Distance - Road Class 2 (km)	16.00
7. Hauling Distance - Road Class 3 (km)	3.00
8. Average Slope (%)	0.00

ACTIVITY DURATIONS FOR RUN 1

ACTIVITY NUMBER	HOURLY COST (\$/PMH)	HOURLY PRODUCTION (M ³ /PMH)	WOOD COST (\$/M ³)	ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION
1	55.48	17.14	3.23	FB Whld Shear - Forano HJ-20
2	55.84	21.11	2.65	FB Trckd Shear - Drott 40
3	69.03	22.02	3.14	FB Whld Multi-Shear - Koehring KFB4
4	44.94	18.91	2.38	FB Whld Shear - Melroe Bobcat 1075
5	61.57	22.43	2.75	FB Whld Saw - Kockums 880
6	59.84	15.96	3.75	FB Trckd Saw - Drott 40
7	59.84	15.96	3.75	FB Trckd Auger - Drott 40
8	69.53	18.62	3.73	FB Whld Multi-Saw - Hydro Ax Swather
9	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
10	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
11	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
12	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
13	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
14	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
15	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
16	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
17	13.50	7.50	1.80	FELL - Man With Chain Saw
18	54.86	23.02	2.38	FELL Trckd Shear - Caterpillar D6
19	58.76	11.74	5.00	FELL Trckd Saw - FMC & Feller-Director
20	56.37	22.19	2.54	FELL Trckd Saw - Caterpillar D6

ACTIVITY DURATIONS FOR RUN 1

ACTIVITY NUMBER	HOURLY COST (\$/PMH)	HOURLY PRODUCTION (M ³ /PMH)	WOOD COST (\$/M ³)	ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION
21	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
22	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
23	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
24	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
25	66.39	13.97	4.75	DEL Stumps (loose) - Logma T-310
26	53.64	16.55	3.24	DEL Stumps - Drott 40 with Timmins
27	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
28	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
29	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
30	13.50	3.16	4.27	FELL & DEL - Man with Chain Saw
31	70.08	13.42	5.22	FELL & DEL - John Deere 743
32	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
33	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
34	59.83	11.19	5.35	FELL DEL & BUNCH Whld - Timberjack TJ-30
35	72.51	13.32	5.45	FELL DEL & BUNCH - Koehring KFB4 & Tim
36	60.27	11.87	5.08	FELL DEL & BUNCH - Drott 40 with Timmins
37	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
38	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
39	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
40	66.20	18.04	3.67	DEL Stumps (bunched) - Logma T-310

ACTIVITY DURATIONS FOR RUN 1

ACTIVITY NUMBER	HOURLY COST (\$/PMH)	HOURLY PRODUCTION (M ³ /PMH)	WOOD COST (\$/M ³)	ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION
41	63.64	22.81	2.79	DEL Stumpsides - GLFP/NESCO Flail
42	58.63	25.45	2.30	DEL Stumpsides - Drott 40 with Timmins
43	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
44	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
45	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
46	30.00	7.69	3.90	PT (FT bunch) Whld Cable Skid - JD-540
47	34.84	9.94	3.51	PT (FT bunch) Whld Cable Skid - JD-740
48	32.41	20.85	1.55	PT (FT bunch) Whld Grap Skid - JD-540
49	38.31	31.32	1.22	PT (FT bunch) Whld Grap Skid - JD-740
50	52.69	25.68	2.05	PT (FT bunch) Whld Clam Skid - TJ 520
51	84.98	20.91	4.06	PT (FT bunch) Whld Frwd - Koehring KF2
52	59.68	16.68	3.58	PT (FT bunch) Trckd Cable Skid - FMC 200
53	64.48	20.07	3.21	PT (FT bunch) Trckd Clam Skid - FMC 200
54	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
55	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
56	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
57	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
58	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
59	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
60	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY

ACTIVITY DURATIONS FOR RUN 1

ACTIVITY NUMBER	HOURLY COST (\$/PMH)	HOURLY PRODUCTION (M ³ /PMH)	WOOD COST (\$/M ³)	ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION
61	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
62	30.00	6.98	4.30	PT (FT loose) Whld Cable Skid - JD-540
63	34.84	8.96	3.89	PT (FT loose) Whld Cable Skid - JD-740
64	53.17	20.50	2.59	PT (FT loose) Whld Clam Skid - TJ 520
65	84.98	14.34	5.93	PT (FT loose) Whld Frwd - Koehring KF2
66	59.68	20.27	2.94	PT (FT loose) Trckd Cable Skid - FMC 200
67	64.48	17.28	3.73	PT (FT loose) Trckd Clam Skid - FMC 200
68	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
69	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
70	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
71	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
72	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
73	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
74	59.77	13.26	4.51	FELL Skid Shear - TJ-520 with Head
75	85.61	18.22	4.70	FELL & Frwd Multi-Shear - Koehring KFF
76	88.66	17.55	5.75	FELL & Frwd Multi-Saw - Koehring KFF
77	107.29	61.20	7.75	FELL & Frwd Saw - PAPCO Swather
78	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
79	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
80	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY

ACTIVITY DURATIONS FOR RUN 1

ACTIVITY NUMBER	HOURLY COST (\$/PMH)	HOURLY PRODUCTION (M ³ /PMH)	WOOD COST (\$/M ³)	ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION
81	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
82	30.00	9.73	3.08	PT (TL loose) Whld Cable Skid - JD-540
83	34.84	11.58	3.01	PT (TL loose) Whld Cable Skid - JD-740
84	31.58	21.61	1.46	PT (TL loose) Whld Grap Skid - JD-540
85	52.92	24.76	2.14	PT (TL loose) Whld Clam Skid - TJ 520
86	85.68	14.97	5.72	PT (TL loose) Whld Frwd - Koehring KF2
87	59.68	22.74	2.62	PT (TL loose) Trckd Cable Skid - FMC 200
88	64.00	24.39	2.62	PT (TL loose) Trckd Clam Skid - FMC 200
89	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
90	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
91	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
92	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
93	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
94	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
95	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
96	30.00	9.95	3.01	PT (TL bunch) Whld Cable Skid - JD-540
97	34.84	11.73	2.97	PT (TL bunch) Whld Cable Skid - JD-740
98	32.41	27.95	1.16	PT (TL bunch) Whld Grap Skid - JD-540
99	38.31	41.60	0.92	PT (TL bunch) Whld Grap Skid - JD-740
100	52.92	28.03	1.89	PT (TL bunch) Whld Clam Skid - TJ 520

ACTIVITY DURATIONS FOR RUN 1

ACTIVITY NUMBER	HOURLY COST (\$/PMH)	HOURLY PRODUCTION (M ³ /PMH)	WOOD COST (\$/M ³)	ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION
101	84.98	22.29	3.81	PT (TL bunch) Whld Frwd - Koehring KF2
102	59.68	24.76	2.41	PT (TL bunch) Trckd Cable Skid - FMC 200
103	64.00	28.34	2.26	PT (TL bunch) Trckd Clam Skid - FMC 200
104	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
105	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
106	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
107	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
108	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
109	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
110	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
111	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
112	64.29	23.04	2.79	DEL Roadside - Logma T-310
113	59.77	20.28	2.95	DEL Roadside - Harricana
114	95.65	18.25	5.24	DEL Roadside - Koehring KBL
115	52.86	33.17	1.59	DEL Roadside - Drott 40 with Timmins
116	45.70	50.69	0.90	DEL Roadside - Hydro Ax Flail System
117	50.11	45.63	1.10	DEL Roadside - Hydro Ax 500 Flail
118	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
119	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
120	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY

ACTIVITY DURATIONS FOR RUN 1

ACTIVITY NUMBER	HOURLY COST (\$/PMH)	HOURLY PRODUCTION (M ³ /PMH)	WOOD COST (\$/M ³)	ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION
121	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
122	60.85	45.63	1.33	Loader Spreading Bunch - Tanguay 14030
123	13.50	60.83	0.22	Man with Chain Saw
124	98.00	10.91	8.98	HARV Frwd - Koehring KTL
125	90.61	13.10	6.92	HARV Frwd - Koehring KFF with Timmins
126	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
127	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
128	64.52	57.39	1.12	LOAD Trckd - Caterpillar 235
129	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
130	49.89	20.58	2.42	ST Double Load on Semi-Trailer
131	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY
132	80.98	927.71	0.09	UNLOAD - Rago Wagner
133	0.00	0.00	0.00	DUMMY

SHORTEST PATHS THROUGH NETWORK
RUN # 1

PATH NUMBER	TOTAL COST	NODES ON PATH														
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1	6.71	1, 143	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260					
2	6.98	1, 143	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260					
3	7.85	1, 143	150	184	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260				
4	8.18	1, 143	150	180	200	210	220	230	240	250	260					
5	8.34	1, 143	150	181	200	210	220	230	240	250	260					
6	8.56	1, 13	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
7	8.82	1, 11	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
8	8.83	1, 13	20	123	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
9	8.89	1, 13	20	122	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
10	8.92	1, 14	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
11	9.10	1, 11	20	123	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
12	9.16	1, 11	20	122	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
13	9.16	1, 13	20	122	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
14	9.20	1, 14	20	123	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
15	9.24	1, 13	20	102	110	173	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
16	9.26	1, 14	20	122	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
17	9.31	1, 12	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
18	9.35	1, 30	40	132	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
19	9.36	1, 70	80	162	200	210	220	230	240	250	260					
20	9.39	1, 13	20	124	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
21	9.41	1, 10	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
22	9.43	1, 11	20	122	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
23	9.46	1, 140	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260					
24	9.48	1, 13	20	102	110	172	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
25	9.51	1, 11	20	102	110	173	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			

SHORTEST PATHS THROUGH NETWORK
RUN # 1

PATH NUMBER	TOTAL COST	NODES ON PATH														
26	9.53	1,	14,	20,	122,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
27	9.59	1,	12,	20,	123,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
28	9.60	1,	30,	40,	51,	60,	110,	173,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,	
29	9.61	1,	14,	20,	102,	110,	173,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
30	9.62	1,	30,	40,	132,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
31	9.64	1,	92,	110,	173,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
32	9.65	1,	12,	20,	122,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
33	9.65	1,	11,	20,	124,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
34	9.66	1,	141,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
35	9.66	1,	13,	20,	124,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
36	9.69	1,	10,	20,	123,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
37	9.69	1,	13,	20,	123,	150,	184,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,	
38	9.70	1,	30,	40,	134,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
39	9.72	1,	13,	20,	101,	110,	173,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
40	9.74	1,	140,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
41	9.74	1,	11,	20,	102,	110,	172,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
42	9.75	1,	10,	20,	122,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
43	9.75	1,	14,	20,	124,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
44	9.84	1,	30,	40,	51,	60,	110,	172,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,	
45	9.84	1,	14,	20,	102,	110,	172,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
46	9.87	1,	92,	110,	172,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
47	9.91	1,	90,	110,	173,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
48	9.91	1,	17,	20,	123,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
49	9.92	1,	12,	20,	122,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
50	9.93	1,	11,	20,	124,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		

E.2. Sensitivity Analysis - Energy Prices

Results of the computer runs made to determine the sensitivity of forest harvesting systems to energy price variations are summarized in this section. Table E.1. shows the fuel price assumed for each run. Other standard variables were held constant at values used in the primary run.

Table E.1. Fuel Prices Assumed in the Analysis of System Selection Sensitivity to Energy Prices.

<u>Fuel Price</u> <u>(\$/L)</u>	<u>% of Standard</u> <u>Price</u>	<u>Computer Run</u> <u>Number</u>
0.165	75%	RUN 1
0.22	100%	PRIMARY RUN
0.775	125%	RUN 2
0.33	150%	RUN 3
0.385	175%	RUN 4
0.44	200%	RUN 5

SHORTEST PATHS THROUGH NETWORK
RUN # 1

NODES ON PATH

PATH
NUMBER

TOTAL
COST

1	5.90	1, 143, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
2	6.11	1, 143, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
3	6.89	1, 143, 150, 184, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
4	7.16	1, 143, 150, 180, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
5	7.29	1, 143, 150, 181, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
6	7.51	1, 13, 20, 123, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
7	7.73	1, 13, 20, 123, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
8	7.75	1, 11, 20, 123, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
9	7.80	1, 13, 20, 122, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
10	7.84	1, 14, 20, 123, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
11	7.96	1, 11, 20, 123, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
12	8.02	1, 13, 20, 122, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
13	8.04	1, 11, 20, 122, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
14	8.05	1, 14, 20, 123, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
15	8.08	1, 13, 20, 102, 110, 173, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
16	8.13	1, 14, 20, 122, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
17	8.18	1, 12, 20, 123, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
18	8.24	1, 13, 20, 124, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
19	8.25	1, 11, 20, 122, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
20	8.27	1, 10, 20, 123, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
21	8.29	1, 13, 20, 102, 110, 172, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
22	8.31	1, 140, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
23	8.32	1, 11, 20, 102, 110, 173, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
24	8.34	1, 14, 20, 122, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,
25	8.39	1, 12, 20, 123, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,	260,

SHORTEST PATHS THROUGH NETWORK
RUN # 5

PATH NUMBER	TOTAL COST	NODES ON PATH														
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1	9.95	1	143	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260				
2	10.47	1	143	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260				
3	11.66	1	143	150	184	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
4	11.91	1	70	80	162	200	210	220	230	240	250	260				
5	12.27	1	143	150	180	200	210	220	230	240	250	260				
6	12.51	1	143	150	181	200	210	220	230	240	250	260				
7	12.72	1	13	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
8	12.93	1	70	80	163	200	210	220	230	240	250	260				
9	13.01	1	30	40	132	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
10	13.13	1	11	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
11	13.22	1	13	20	122	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
12	13.24	1	13	20	123	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
13	13.28	1	14	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
14	13.50	1	30	40	51	60	110	173	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	
15	13.53	1	30	40	132	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
16	13.54	1	30	40	134	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
17	13.62	1	11	20	122	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
18	13.65	1	11	20	123	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
19	13.66	1	70	80	166	200	210	220	230	240	250	260				
20	13.66	1	70	80	165	200	210	220	230	240	250	260				
21	13.74	1	13	20	122	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
22	13.77	1	14	20	122	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
23	13.80	1	14	20	123	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
24	13.85	1	30	40	51	60	110	172	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	
25	13.86	1	13	20	102	110	173	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		

E.3. Sensitivity Analysis - Average Tree Size and Stand Volume

Results of the computer runs made to determine the sensitivity of forest harvesting systems to variations in average tree size and stand volume are summarized in this section. Table E.2. shows the variable values assumed for each run. Other standard variables were held constant at values used in the primary run.

Table E.2. Average Tree Sizes and Stand Volumes Assumed in the Analysis of Optimal Operating Zones.

TREE DBH (cm)	STAND VOLUME (m ³ /ha)			
	60	100	140	180
12	RUN 1	RUN 2	RUN 3	RUN 4
18	RUN 5	PRIMARY	RUN 6	RUN 7
24	RUN 8	RUN 9	RUN 10	RUN 11
30	RUN 12	RUN 13	RUN 14	RUN 15

SHORTEST PATHS THROUGH NETWORK RUN # 2

PATH NUMBER	TOTAL COST	NODES ON PATH														
1	9.61	1,	143,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
2	9.62	1,	143,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
3	11.19	1,	70,	80,	162,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
4	11.50	1,	70,	80,	163,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
5	11.88	1,	70,	80,	165,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
6	12.76	1,	143,	150,	184,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			
7	12.84	1,	141,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
8	12.85	1,	141,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
9	12.98	1,	70,	80,	166,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
10	13.01	1,	12,	20,	123,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
11	13.02	1,	12,	20,	123,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
12	13.21	1,	142,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
13	13.22	1,	142,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
14	13.33	1,	30,	40,	132,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
15	13.34	1,	30,	40,	132,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
16	13.48	1,	143,	150,	180,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
17	13.57	1,	12,	20,	122,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
18	13.58	1,	12,	20,	124,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
19	13.58	1,	12,	20,	122,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
20	13.59	1,	12,	20,	124,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
21	13.94	1,	70,	80,	160,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
22	14.11	1,	143,	150,	181,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
23	14.14	1,	70,	80,	161,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
24	14.14	1,	17,	20,	123,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
25	14.15	1,	17,	20,	123,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		

SHORTEST PATHS THROUGH NETWORK
RUN # 3

PATH NUMBER	TOTAL COST	NODES ON PATH											
1	9.11	1, 143, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
2	9.12	1, 143, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
3	11.19	1, 70, 80, 162, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
4	11.50	1, 70, 80, 163, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
5	11.88	1, 70, 80, 165, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
6	12.26	1, 143, 150, 184, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
7	12.84	1, 141, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
8	12.85	1, 141, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
9	12.98	1, 143, 150, 180, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
10	12.98	1, 70, 80, 166, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
11	13.01	1, 12, 20, 123, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
12	13.02	1, 12, 20, 123, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
13	13.21	1, 142, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
14	13.22	1, 142, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
15	13.33	1, 30, 40, 132, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
16	13.34	1, 30, 40, 132, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
17	13.57	1, 12, 20, 122, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
18	13.58	1, 12, 20, 124, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
19	13.58	1, 12, 20, 122, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
20	13.59	1, 12, 20, 124, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
21	13.61	1, 143, 150, 181, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
22	13.94	1, 70, 80, 160, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
23	14.14	1, 70, 80, 161, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
24	14.14	1, 17, 20, 123, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											
25	14.15	1, 31, 40, 132, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,											

SHORTEST PATHS THROUGH NETWORK RUN # 4

PATH NUMBER	TOTAL COST	NODES ON PATH											
1	8 83	1,	143,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,	
2	8 84	1,	143,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,	
3	11 19	1,	70,	80,	162,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,	
4	11 50	1,	70,	80,	163,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,	
5	11 88	1,	70,	80,	165,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,	
6	11 98	1,	143,	150,	184,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	
7	12 70	1,	143,	150,	180,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,	
8	12 84	1,	141,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,	
9	12 85	1,	141,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,	
10	12 98	1,	70,	80,	166,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,	
11	13 01	1,	12,	20,	123,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	
12	13 02	1,	12,	20,	123,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	
13	13 21	1,	142,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,	
14	13 22	1,	142,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,	
15	13 33	1,	143,	150,	181,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,	
16	13 33	1,	30,	40,	132,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	
17	13 34	1,	30,	40,	132,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	
18	13 57	1,	12,	20,	122,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	
19	13 58	1,	12,	20,	124,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	
20	13 58	1,	12,	20,	122,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	
21	13 59	1,	12,	20,	124,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	
22	13 62	1,	31,	40,	132,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	
23	13 63	1,	31,	40,	132,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	
24	13 73	1,	33,	40,	132,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	
25	13 74	1,	33,	40,	132,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	

SHORTEST PATHS THROUGH NETWORK
RUN # 5

PATH NUMBER	TOTAL COST	NODES ON PATH														
		1	143	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260	260	260
1	7.88	1	143	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260	260	260
2	8.15	1	143	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260	260	260
3	8.73	1	13	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260
4	8.82	1	11	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260
5	8.92	1	14	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260
6	9.00	1	13	20	123	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260
7	9.02	1	143	150	184	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260	260
8	9.06	1	13	20	122	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260
9	9.10	1	11	20	123	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260
10	9.16	1	11	20	122	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260
11	9.20	1	14	20	123	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260
12	9.26	1	14	20	122	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260
13	9.31	1	12	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260
14	9.33	1	13	20	122	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260
15	9.35	1	143	150	180	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260	260	260
16	9.35	1	30	40	132	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260
17	9.36	1	70	80	162	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260	260	260
18	9.41	1	13	20	102	110	173	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260
19	9.41	1	10	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260
20	9.43	1	11	20	122	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260
21	9.46	1	140	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260	260	260
22	9.51	1	143	150	181	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260	260	260
23	9.51	1	11	20	102	110	173	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260
24	9.53	1	14	20	122	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260
25	9.56	1	13	20	124	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	260	260

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SHORTEST PATHS THROUGH NETWORK
RUN # 8

PATH NUMBER	TOTAL COST	NODES ON PATH														
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1	6.09	1	30	40	134	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
2	6.11	1	14	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
3	6.16	1	11	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
4	6.19	1	31	40	134	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
5	6.23	1	13	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
6	6.31	1	33	40	134	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
7	6.33	1	140	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260				
8	6.38	1	14	20	122	150	185	200	310	220	230	240	250	260		
9	6.43	1	11	20	122	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
10	6.44	1	30	40	134	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
11	6.45	1	10	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
12	6.47	1	14	20	123	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
13	6.50	1	13	20	122	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
14	6.52	1	11	20	123	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
15	6.54	1	31	40	134	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
16	6.55	1	12	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
17	6.59	1	13	20	123	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
18	6.60	1	14	20	102	110	173	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
19	6.64	1	30	40	134	150	184	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	
20	6.65	1	14	20	101	110	173	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
21	6.65	1	11	20	102	110	173	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
22	6.67	1	33	40	134	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
23	6.67	1	14	20	123	150	184	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	
24	6.68	1	91	110	173	200	210	220	230	240	250	260				
25	6.69	1	140	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260				

SHORTEST PATHS THROUGH NETWORK
RUN # 10

PATH NUMBER	TOTAL COST	NODES ON PATH														
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1	5.12	1, 143,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,					
2	5.48	1, 143,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,					
3	5.68	1, 143,	150,	184,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,				
4	5.90	1, 143,	150,	180,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,					
5	5.91	1, 143,	150,	181,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,					
6	5.93	1, 31,	40,	134,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			
7	5.99	1, 13,	20,	123,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			
8	6.02	1, 33,	40,	134,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			
9	6.09	1, 30,	40,	134,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			
10	6.11	1, 14,	20,	123,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			
11	6.16	1, 11,	20,	123,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			
12	6.25	1, 13,	20,	122,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			
13	6.29	1, 31,	40,	134,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			
14	6.33	1, 140,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,					
15	6.34	1, 13,	20,	123,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			
16	6.38	1, 33,	40,	134,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			
17	6.38	1, 14,	20,	122,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			
18	6.43	1, 11,	20,	122,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			
19	6.44	1, 30,	40,	134,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			
20	6.45	1, 10,	20,	123,	150,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			
21	6.47	1, 14,	20,	123,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			
22	6.48	1, 13,	20,	102,	110,	173,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			
23	6.48	1, 31,	40,	134,	150,	184,	185,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,		
24	6.52	1, 11,	20,	123,	150,	183,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			
25	6.52	1, 13,	20,	101,	110,	173,	200,	210,	220,	230,	240,	250,	260,			

SHORTEST PATHS THROUGH NETWORK
RUN # 12

PATH NUMBER	TOTAL COST	NODES ON PATH														
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1	4.84	1	31	40	134	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
2	4.92	1	33	40	134	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
3	5.11	1	14	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
4	5.15	1	30	40	134	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
5	5.16	1	31	40	134	150	184	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	
6	5.19	1	140	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260				
7	5.22	1	11	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
8	5.23	1	31	40	134	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
9	5.24	1	33	40	134	150	184	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	
10	5.28	1	14	20	122	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
11	5.30	1	31	40	134	150	181	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
12	5.31	1	33	40	134	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
13	5.33	1	31	40	134	150	180	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
14	5.36	1	13	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
15	5.38	1	33	40	134	150	181	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
16	5.38	1	10	20	123	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
17	5.39	1	11	20	122	150	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
18	5.40	1	14	20	101	110	173	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
19	5.41	1	33	40	134	150	180	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
20	5.43	1	14	20	123	150	184	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	
21	5.46	1	30	40	134	150	184	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260	
22	5.49	1	91	110	173	200	210	220	230	240	250	260				
23	5.50	1	140	150	184	185	200	210	220	230	240	250	260			
24	5.50	1	14	20	123	150	183	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		
25	5.51	1	11	20	101	110	173	200	210	220	230	240	250	260		

SHORTEST PATHS THROUGH NETWORK
RUN # 13

PATH NUMBER	TOTAL COST	NODES ON PATH													
1	4.79	1, 31, 40, 134, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
2	4.86	1, 33, 40, 134, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
3	5.11	1, 31, 40, 134, 150, 184, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
4	5.11	1, 14, 20, 123, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
5	5.15	1, 30, 40, 134, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
6	5.18	1, 33, 40, 134, 150, 184, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
7	5.18	1, 31, 40, 134, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
8	5.19	1, 140, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
9	5.19	1, 13, 20, 123, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
10	5.22	1, 11, 20, 123, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
11	5.24	1, 31, 40, 134, 150, 181, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
12	5.25	1, 33, 40, 134, 150, 183, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
13	5.28	1, 31, 40, 134, 150, 180, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
14	5.28	1, 14, 20, 122, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
15	5.32	1, 33, 40, 134, 150, 181, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
16	5.35	1, 33, 40, 134, 150, 180, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
17	5.36	1, 13, 20, 122, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
18	5.38	1, 143, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
19	5.38	1, 10, 20, 123, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
20	5.39	1, 11, 20, 122, 150, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
21	5.40	1, 14, 20, 101, 110, 173, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
22	5.43	1, 14, 20, 123, 150, 184, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
23	5.46	1, 30, 40, 134, 150, 184, 185, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
24	5.48	1, 13, 20, 101, 110, 173, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													
25	5.49	1, 91, 110, 173, 200, 210, 220, 230, 240, 250, 260,													

