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Discount Rate for Long-Term Forest Service Investments

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Abstract

Economic evidence was the basis for the authors' recommendation that the USDA Forest Service use a discount rate of 4 percent for evaluating long-term investments in resource management. This rate approximates the long-term measures of the opportunity cost of capital in the private sector of the U.S. economy.



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