

## A. Appendix A Harvest Sequence and Net Landbase Database Structure and Description



## APPENDIX A HARVEST SEQUENCE AND NET LANDBASE DATABASE STRUCTURE & DESCRIPTION

The following data has been prepared and is included on the enclosed DVD:

• Tolko FMA PFMS Sequence and Landbase (Harvest\_LB\_Joint.dbf) – see Table A-1 for the data structure document.

## TABLE A-1: HARVEST SEQUENCE AND NET LANDBASE DATABASE STRUCTURE & DESCRIPTION – JOINT FMA

Number of data records: 87,167

FIELD NO.	FIELD NAME	FIELD TYPE	FIELD WIDTH	NO. OF DECIMALS	FIELD DESCRIPTION
1.	AREA	Numeric	20	5	Area in square metres
2.	PERIMETE	Numeric	20	5	Perimeter in metres
3.	GIS_LINK	Numeric	20	0	Unique link to spatial coverage
4.	TILE_NAM	Character	32		Name assigned to tile, made up of twp, rge and mer
5.	FMA	Numeric	2	0	Forest Management Agreement area
6.	OLD_FMU	Character	3		<ul> <li>Old Forest Management Unit identified as follows:</li> <li>\$1 - Portion of FMU S21 that previously was \$1;</li> <li>\$P3 - Portion of FMU S21 that previously was \$2.</li> </ul>
7.	BUF30	Numeric	2	0	30 metre stream buffer identifier
8.	BUF60	Numeric	2	0	60 metre large permanent stream buffer identifier
9.	BUF60R	Numeric	2	0	60 metre river buffer identifier
10.	BUF100	Numeric	2	0	100 metre lake buffer identifier
11.	BUFTRUMP	Numeric	2	0	200 metre trumpeter swan nesting site buffer identifier
12.	CUT_LINK	Numeric	11	0	Unique cutblock identifier
13.	BLOCKNUM	Numeric	3	0	Cutblock number
14.	ALPHA	Character	1		Cutblock suffix
15.	HARV_YR	Character	5		Year cutblock was harvested
16.	CUT_SPP	Character	5		<ul> <li>Species group cutblock assignment (Assigned by Tolko and Buchanan):</li> <li>C – Pure conifer;</li> <li>CD – Conifer dominated mixedwood;</li> <li>DC – Deciduous dominated mixedwood;</li> <li>D – Pure deciduous;</li> <li>PR91 – Harvested before 1991.</li> </ul>
17.	BLK_SPP	Character	2		Leading species cutblock assignment (Assigned by Tolko and Buchanan): AW – Trembling Aspen; PL – Lodgepole Pine; SB – Black Spruce; SW – White Spruce.
18.	CUT_PASS	Numeric	2	0	Pass that the cutblock was harvested in
19.	SOURCE	Character	3		Cutblock source of reference: <ul> <li>FI – Forest Inventory;</li> <li>UPD – Cutblock updates;</li> <li>UP2 –Cutblock orthophoto updates from 1999-2000;</li> <li>DFM – DFMP Cutblock updates.</li> </ul>

FIELD NO.	FIELD NAME	FIELD TYPE	FIELD WIDTH	NO. OF DECIMALS	FIELD DESCRIPTION
20.	OWNER	Character	7		<ul> <li>Organization that harvested the cutblock:</li> <li>APL – Alberta Plywood Ltd.;</li> <li>AUDY – Audy;</li> <li>BUCH – Buchanan Lumber Ltd.;</li> <li>MOF – Alberta Ministry of Forests;</li> <li>MTU – Miscellaneous Timber Use program;</li> <li>TOLKO – Tolko Industries Ltd.;</li> <li>PRE 91 – Pre 1991 cutblocks.</li> </ul>
21.	LICENSE	Character	15		Permit that the cutblock was harvested under
22.	OPENNUM	Character	13		Cutblock opening number
23.	TDA	Numeric	2	0	Timber Damage Assessment identifier
24.	FIRENUMB	Character	12		Fire identifying number
25.	FIREYEAR	Numeric	6	0	Year of burn
26.	NR_NAME	Character	20		Name of Natural Region
27.	NSR_NAME	Character	25		Name of Natural Sub-Region
28.	TPA	Character	7		Trapper boundaries
29.	WSHD_NUM	Numeric	3	0	Watershed boundary number
30.	DRS	Numeric	2	0	Disposition reservation identifier
31.	GRL	Numeric	2	0	Grazing lease identifier
32.	BUCKWILD	Numeric	2	0	Buck-for-wildlife special management area identifier
33.	OP_NAME	Character	15		Operating area name
34.	COMP_NUM	Numeric	2	0	Compartment number identifier
35.	MER	Numeric	2	0	Meridian
36.	TWP	Numeric	3	0	Township
37.	RGE	Numeric	2	0	Range
38.	PID	Numeric	4	0	Polygon identifier (stand number)
			AVI C	Overstorey At	tributes
39.	MOIST	Character	1		Moisture regime identified as follows: • A – Aquatic; • D – Dry; • M – Mesic; • W – Wet.
40.	CROWN	Character	1		Crown closure identified as follows: • $A - 6 - 30\%$ crown closure; • $B - 31 - 50\%$ crown closure; • $C - 51 - 70\%$ crown closure; • $D - 71 - 100\%$ crown closure.
41.	HEIGHT	Numeric	2	0	Height (m)
42.	SP1	Character	2		<ul> <li>Species 1 identified as follows:</li> <li>AW – Trembling Aspen;</li> <li>PB – Balsam Poplar;</li> <li>BW – White Birch;</li> <li>LT – Larch;</li> <li>P – Pine;</li> <li>PL – Lodgepole Pine;</li> <li>SB – Black Spruce;</li> <li>SW – White Spruce.</li> </ul>
43.	PER1	Numeric	2	0	Species 1 percent

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44.	SP2	Character	2		<ul> <li>Species 2 identified as follows:</li> <li>AW – Trembling Aspen;</li> <li>PB – Balsam Poplar;</li> <li>BW – White Birch;</li> <li>FB – Balsam Fir;</li> <li>LT – Larch;</li> <li>P – Pine;</li> <li>PL – Lodgepole Pine;</li> <li>SB – Black Spruce;</li> <li>SW – White Spruce.</li> </ul>
45.	PER2	Numeric	2	0	Species 2 percent
46.	SP3	Character	2		<ul> <li>Species 3 identified as follows:</li> <li>AW – Trembling Aspen;</li> <li>PB – Balsam Poplar;</li> <li>BW – White Birch;</li> <li>FB – Balsam Fir;</li> <li>LT – Larch;</li> <li>P – Pine;</li> <li>PL – Lodgepole Pine;</li> <li>SB – Black Spruce;</li> <li>SW – White Spruce.</li> </ul>
47.	PER3	Numeric	2	0	Species 3 percent
48.	SP4	Character	2		<ul> <li>Species 4 identified as follows:</li> <li>AW – Trembling Aspen;</li> <li>PB – Balsam Poplar;</li> <li>BW – White Birch;</li> <li>FB – Balsam Fir;</li> <li>LT – Larch;</li> <li>PL – Lodgepole Pine;</li> <li>SB – Black Spruce;</li> <li>SW – White Spruce.</li> </ul>
49.	PER4	Numeric	2	0	Species 4 percent
50.	SP5	Character	2		<ul> <li>Species 5 identified as follows:</li> <li>AW – Trembling Aspen;</li> <li>LT – Larch.</li> </ul>
51.	PER5	Numeric	2	0	Species 5 percent
52.	STR	Character	1		<ul> <li>Stand structure identified as follows:</li> <li>C – Complex;</li> <li>H – Horizontal;</li> </ul>
53.	STRVAL	Numeric	2	0	Stand structure value
54.	ORIGIN	Numeric	4	0	Origin
55.	TPR	Character	1		<ul> <li>Timber Productivity Rating identified as follows:</li> <li>G - Good;</li> <li>M - Medium;</li> <li>F - Fair;</li> <li>U - Unproductive.</li> </ul>

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56.	MOD1	Character	2		<ul> <li>Stand modifier 1 identified as follows:</li> <li>BU – Burn;</li> <li>CC – Clearcut;</li> <li>CL – Clearing;</li> <li>CW – Abandoned wellsite;</li> <li>FL – Flooded;</li> <li>FT – Fire tower;</li> <li>PI – Pipeline;</li> <li>SN – Snags;</li> <li>ST – Scattered timber;</li> <li>TH – Thinned;</li> <li>TL – Transmission line.</li> </ul>
57.	EXT1	Numeric	2	0	Extent of modification 1
58.	YEAR1	Numeric	4	0	Year of modification 1
59.	MOD2	Character	2		<ul> <li>Stand modifier 2 identified as follows:</li> <li>BU – Burn;</li> <li>CC – Clearcut;</li> <li>CL – Clearing;</li> <li>CW – Abandoned wellsite;</li> <li>PI – Pipeline;</li> <li>PL – Planted;</li> <li>SC – Scarified;</li> <li>SN – Snags;</li> <li>ST – Scattered timber.</li> </ul>
60.	EXT2	Numeric	2	0	Extent of modification 2
61.	YEAR2	Numeric	4	0	Year of modification 2
62.	MOD3	Character	2		<ul> <li>Stand modifier 3 identified as follows:</li> <li>BU – Burn;</li> <li>PL – Planted;</li> <li>SC – Scarified;</li> <li>SN – Snags;</li> <li>ST – Scattered timber.</li> </ul>
63.	EXT3	Numeric	2	0	Extent of modification 3
64.	YEAR3	Numeric	4	0	Year of modification 3
65.	MOD4	Character	2		Stand modifier 4 identified as follows: ◆ BU – Burn.
66.	EXT4	Numeric	2	0	Extent of modification 4
67.	YEAR4	Numeric	4	0	Year of modification 4
68.	NAT_V	Character	2		<ul> <li>Naturally non-forested vegetated land identified as follows:</li> <li>HF – Herbaceous forbs;</li> <li>HG – Herbaceous grassland;</li> <li>SC – Closed shrubs;</li> <li>SO – Open shrubs.</li> </ul>
69.	NAT_CL	Numeric	2	0	Non-forested natural vegetated land shrub closure
70.	ANTH_V	Character	3		<ul> <li>Anthropogenic vegetated land identified as follows:</li> <li>CIP – Pipeline;</li> <li>CIW – Geophysical activity (wellsite);</li> <li>CP – Cropland (perennial).</li> </ul>
71.	ANTH_N	Character	3		<ul> <li>Anthropogenic non-vegetated land identified as follows:</li> <li>AIG – Gravel or borrow pit;</li> <li>AIH – Permanent right-of-way;</li> <li>AII – Industrial sites.</li> </ul>

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72.	NAT_N	Character	3		<ul> <li>Naturally non-vegetated land identified as follows:</li> <li>NMB - Recent burn;</li> <li>NMC - Cutbank;</li> <li>NMS - Sand;</li> <li>NWF - Flooded;</li> <li>NWL - Lake or pond;</li> <li>NWR - River.</li> </ul>
73.	REF_SC	Character	1		<ul> <li>Reference source identified as follows:</li> <li>A – Air call;</li> <li>F – Field plot;</li> <li>I – Interpreted TPR.</li> </ul>
74.	REF_YR	Numeric	4	0	Reference year
			AVI	Understorey At	tributes
75.	U_MOIST	Character	1		Moisture regime identified as follows: • A – Aquatic; • D – Dry; • M – Mesic; • W – Wet.
76.	U_CROWN	Character	1		<ul> <li>Crown closure identified as follows:</li> <li>A - 6 - 30% crown closure;</li> <li>B - 31 - 50% crown closure;</li> <li>C - 51 - 70% crown closure;</li> <li>D - 71 - 100% crown closure.</li> </ul>
77.	U_HEIGHT	Numeric	2	0	Height (m)
78.	U_SP1	Character	2		<ul> <li>Species 1 identified as follows:</li> <li>AW – Trembling Aspen;</li> <li>BW – White Birch;</li> <li>FB – Balsam Fir;</li> <li>PB – Balsam Poplar;</li> <li>LT – Larch;</li> <li>PL – Lodgepole Pine;</li> <li>SB – Black Spruce;</li> <li>SW – White Spruce.</li> </ul>
79.	U_PER1	Numeric	2	0	Species 1 percent
80.	U_SP2	Character	2		<ul> <li>Species 2 identified as follows:</li> <li>AW – Trembling Aspen;</li> <li>BW – White Birch;</li> <li>FB – Balsam Fir;</li> <li>PB – Balsam Poplar;</li> <li>LT – Larch;</li> <li>PL – Lodgepole Pine;</li> <li>SB – Black Spruce;</li> <li>SW – White Spruce.</li> </ul>
81.	U_PER2	Numeric	2	0	Species 2 percent
82.	U_SP3	Character	2		<ul> <li>Species 3 identified as follows:</li> <li>AW – Trembling Aspen;</li> <li>BW – White Birch;</li> <li>FB – Balsam Fir;</li> <li>PB – Balsam Poplar;</li> <li>LT – Larch;</li> <li>PL – Lodgepole Pine;</li> <li>SB – Black Spruce;</li> <li>SW – White Spruce.</li> </ul>

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83.	U_PER3	Numeric	2	0	Species 3 percent
84.	U_SP4	Character	2		<ul> <li>Species 4 identified as follows:</li> <li>AW – Trembling Aspen;</li> <li>BW – White Birch;</li> <li>PB – Balsam Poplar;</li> <li>PL – Lodgepole Pine;</li> <li>SB – Black Spruce;</li> <li>SW – White Spruce.</li> </ul>
85.	U_PER4	Numeric	2	0	Species 4 percent
86.	U_SP5	Character	2		Species 5
87.	U_PER5	Numeric	2	0	Species 5 percent
88.	U_STR	Character	1		Stand structure identified as follows: H – Horizontal.
89.	U_STRVAL	Numeric	2	0	Stand structure value
90.	U_ORIGIN	Numeric	4	0	Origin
91.	U_TPR	Character	1		<ul> <li>Timber productivity rating identified as follows:</li> <li>G – Good;</li> <li>M – Medium;</li> <li>F – Fair;</li> <li>U – Unproductive.</li> </ul>
92.	U_MOD1	Character	2		<ul> <li>Stand modifier 1 identified as follows:</li> <li>BU – Burn;</li> <li>CC – Clearcut;</li> <li>CL – Clearing;</li> <li>CW – Abandoned wellsite;</li> <li>FL – Flooded;</li> <li>PI – Pipeline;</li> <li>SN – Snags;</li> <li>ST – Scattered timber;</li> <li>TH – Thinned.</li> </ul>
93.	U_EXT1	Numeric	2	0	Extent of modification 1
94.	U_YEAR1	Numeric	4	0	Year of modification 1
95.	U_MOD2	Character	2		<ul> <li>Stand modifier 2 identified as follows:</li> <li>CC – Clearcut;</li> <li>CL – Clearing;</li> <li>CW – Abandoned wellsite;</li> <li>PL – Planted;</li> <li>SC – Scarified;</li> <li>SN – Snags;</li> <li>ST – Scattered timber;</li> <li>TL – Transmission line.</li> </ul>
96.	U_EXT2	Numeric	2	0	Extent of modification 2
97.	U_YEAR2	Numeric	4	0	Year of modification 2
98.	U_MOD3	Character	2		<ul> <li>Stand modifier 3 identified as follows:</li> <li>PL – Planted;</li> <li>SN – Snags;</li> <li>ST – Scattered timber.</li> </ul>
99.	U_EXT3	Numeric	2	0	Extent of modification 3
100. 101.	U_YEAR3 U_NAT_V	Numeric Character	4 2	0	<ul> <li>Year of modification 3</li> <li>Non-forested natural vegetated land type identified as follows:</li> <li>HF – Herbaceous forbs;</li> <li>HG – Herbaceous grass;</li> <li>SC – Closed shrubs;</li> <li>SO – Open shrubs.</li> </ul>

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102.	U_NAT_CL	Numeric	2	0	Non-forested natural vegetated land shrub closure
103.	U_ANTH_V	Character	3		<ul> <li>Anthropogenic vegetated land identified as follows:</li> <li>CIP – Pipeline;</li> <li>CIW – Wellsite.</li> </ul>
104.	U_ANTH_N	Character	3		<ul> <li>Anthropogenic non-vegetated land identified as follows:</li> <li>AIG – Gravel pit;</li> <li>AIH – Highway;</li> <li>AII – Industrial sites.</li> </ul>
105.	U_NAT_N	Character	3		<ul> <li>Naturally non-vegetated land identified as follows:</li> <li>NMB – Sand;</li> <li>NWF – Flooded land;</li> <li>NWL – Lake.</li> </ul>
106.	U_REF_SC	Character	1		<ul> <li>Reference source identified as follows:</li> <li>A – Air call;</li> <li>F – Field plot;</li> <li>I – Interpreted TPR.</li> </ul>
107.	U_REF_YR	Numeric	4	0	Reference year
				Calculated Fiel	lds
108.	AREAHA	Numeric	8	2	Area (hectares)
109.	HFLAG	Numeric	4	0	<ul> <li>Horizontal component identifier</li> <li>Use overstorey component (HFLAG = 1);</li> <li>Use understorey component (HFLAG = 2).</li> </ul>
110.	SPGP	Character	4		Overstorey species group
111.	USPGROUP	Character	4		Understorey species group
112.	NONFOR	Numeric	4	0	<ul> <li>Non-forested polygon identifier:</li> <li>Timber Damage Assessment area (NONFOR = 1);</li> <li>Natural vegetated (NONFOR = 2);</li> <li>Natural non-vegetated (NONFOR = 3);</li> <li>Anthropogenic vegetated (NONFOR = 4);</li> <li>Anthropogenic non-vegetated (NONFOR = 5);</li> <li>Forested (NONFOR = 0).</li> </ul>
113.	NONFSPGP	Character	2		Cutblock species group derived from largest component of update cutblock
114.	CUTFLAG	Numeric	6	2	<ul> <li>Cutblock identifier – identifies all cutblocks including:</li> <li>Non-vegetated islands within cutblocks (CUTFLAG = 0.5);</li> <li>Cutblock updates (CUTFLAG = 1);</li> <li>Buchanan Cutblock updates (CUTFLAG = 2);</li> <li>DFMP Cutblock updates (CUTFLAG = 3);</li> <li>Forest inventory cutblocks (CUTFLAG = 4).</li> </ul>
115.	CUT_SPGP	Character	2		Cutblock species group
116.	MERCH	Numeric	1	0	<ul> <li>Non-merchantable polygon identifier:</li> <li>Unproductive timber productivity rating (MERCH = 1);</li> <li>Larch as primary or secondary species (MERCH = 2);</li> <li>Low productivity black spruce stands (MERCH = 3).</li> </ul>
117.	CUT_YEAR	Numeric	4	0	Year cutblock was harvested
118.	AGE	Numeric	4	0	Stand age
119.	AGECLASS	Numeric	4	0	10 year age class
120.	YC_SPGP	Character	2		Yield curve species group
121.	YC_CRWN	Character	1		Yield curve crown class

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122.	YC_SP	Character	2		Yield curve species
123.	NATREG	Numeric	4	0	<ul> <li>Natural Sub-Region Indentifier:</li> <li>Central Mixedwood (NATREG = 1);</li> <li>Dry Mixedwood (NATREG = 2);</li> <li>Lower Foothills (NATREG = 11).</li> </ul>
124.	YC_STRAT	Character	12		Yield curve strata developed from volume sampling
125.	YC_NUM	Numeric	4	0	Yield curve number developed from volume sampling and assigned as follows: MX-AB-D-A-G (YCNUM = 1);  MX-AB-D-A-MF (YCNUM = 2);  FH-AB-D-A-G (YCNUM = 3);  FH-AB-D-A-G (YCNUM = 3);  MX-CD-D-A-G (YCNUM = 4);  MX-CD-D-A-G (YCNUM = 5);  MX-CD-D-A-MF (YCNUM = 5);  FH-CD-D-A-G (YCNUM = 7);  FH-CD-D-A-G (YCNUM = 7);  FH-CD-D-A-MF (YCNUM = 7);  A-AB-DC-A-A (YCNUM = 7);  A-AB-DC-A-A (YCNUM = 7);  A-AB-DC-A-A (YCNUM = 10);  A-AB-DC-A-A (YCNUM = 10);  A-AB-CD-A-A (YCNUM = 10);  A-AB-C-DA-A (YCNUM = 11);  A-AB-C-SW-A (YCNUM = 12);  A-AB-C-SW-A (YCNUM = 13);  A-AB-C-SB-A (YCNUM = 15);  A-CD-C-SW-A (YCNUM = 16);  A-CD-C-SB-A (YCNUM = 18).
126.	DISP	Numeric	6	2	<ul> <li>Disposition identifier:</li> <li>Special management area, buck-for-wildlife disposition (DISP = 0.75);</li> <li>Grazing leases (DISP = 1);</li> <li>Disposition Reservation (DISP = 4).</li> </ul>
			Net Lar	dbase Determi	nation Field
127.	NETDOWN	Numeric	6	2	<ul> <li>Net down items - identifies all landbase categories:</li> <li>Net landbase (NETDOWN = 0);</li> <li>Water (NETDOWN = 1);</li> <li>Disposition (NETDOWN = 2);</li> <li>Trumpeter swan nesting site buffer - 200m (NETDOWN = 4);</li> <li>Lake buffer - 100m (NETDOWN = 5);</li> <li>River and large permanent stream buffer - 60m (NETDOWN = 6);</li> <li>Stream buffer - 30m (NETDOWN = 7);</li> <li>Anthropogenic vegetated, anthropogenic nonvegetated and TDA areas (NETDOWN = 8);</li> <li>Naturally vegetated and naturally non-vegetated (NETDOWN = 9);</li> <li>Merchantability deletions (NETDOWN = 10);</li> <li>Recent burns - since 1997 AVI (NETDOWN = 11).</li> </ul>
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128.	AOP	Numeric	8	2	Planned block identifier
129.	CUTYEAR1	Numeric	8	2	First entry harvest
130.	CUTYEAR2	Numeric	8	2	Second entry harvest
131.	CUTYEAR3	Numeric	8	2	Third entry harvest