



## Wildlife Danger Tree Assessors Modules

### Forest Harvesting and Silviculture Module

This two day classroom and field course trains participants to identify wildlife trees and assess steps necessary to ensure worker safety and habitat protection when operating around wildlife/dangerous trees. Upon successful completion of this course, participants will be able to identify potential habitat, determine which trees are safe and dangerous in various settings, determine if dangerous trees should be removed or modified, and establish no-work zones. This process is applicable to all work activities in forested settings eg. harvesting, (especially relevant to partial cutting where various group retention, shelterwood or individual tree retention systems are employed), silviculture, roads, etc. This certification is recognized by the Workers Compensation Board of British Columbia.

#### Who Should Attend?

- Foresters, engineers, forest technicians, forest workers, consultants, wildlife habitat specialists
- WCB field inspectors
- Individuals who require detailed knowledge of the Wildlife/Danger tree assessment procedures as part of their duties

#### Prerequisites:

- Three or more years of experience working in the area of forestry, resource management, parks management, wildland fire protection, arboriculture or a related field, and
- Basic reading, writing and arithmetic skills (including ability to calculate percentages), and
- Ability to identify tree species native to BC

#### PASSING GRADE for exams

A combined average of 75% for the oral (field) exam and written (class) exam is required, including a minimum 85% on the oral exam. This standard applies to the full two day course as well as the one day Recertification/Upgrade course. A minimum score of 75% is required on the written exam for Challenge, there is no oral exam.

#### Recertification / Upgrade

Please contact us for more information on times and locations for recertification. Assessor's qualifications are good for a 4 year period from the date of successful completion.

<b>Instructor:</b>	various
<b>Length:</b>	2 days
<b>Dates and Location:</b>	September 21-22, 2005 – UNBC Prince George, BC October 27-28, 2005 - Kelowna, BC November 13-14, 2005 - Nanaimo, BC November 3-4, 2005 - Chilliwack, BC
<b>Time:</b>	8:30 am – 4:30 pm
<b>Cost:</b>	\$ 295.00 + GST

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