

Forestry (3.7)

We use our forests as a source of lumber. Many different kinds of wood are needed and harvested. (_____).\

Methods:

A – Clear cutting = _____

B - Shelterwood = _____

C – Selective cutting = _____

Harvest method	Pro	Con
Clear cutting	- Least expensive for lumber company	Not all tree species used – waste. Very harmful to ecosystem
Shelterwood cutting	- less impact on forest / wildlife - more sustainable	- More expensive for company
Selective cutting	- least impact on forest / wildlife - very sustainable	- most expensive for lumber company

*International Forest Stewardship Council – 1993 – sustainable practices!

If cutting properly, the company is certified! (this is good) – seal pg. 103