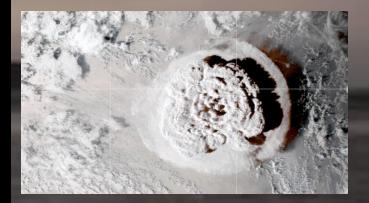
#### Krakatoa Eruption of August 1883 - Effects on Climate Worldwide

- Geologically this eruption was comparatively small.
- Lasting effect on the world's climate: ash and aerosols emitted into the atmosphere by the blast led to global air temperatures of 2.2 degrees Fahrenheit (Volcanic Winter).
- It was only 5 years later in 1888 that global temperatures began to return to normality.
- Five years following the explosion were unusually cold, and the winter of 1887–1888 included powerful blizzards. Record snowfalls were recorded worldwide.
- A year of Blue Moons Stratospheric particles block portion of red light making the moon appear blue for a year.
- Caused oceans to cool for as much as a <u>century</u>.
- Sea levels would likely be much higher than they are today if the eruption had not occurred.



Writing from England, poet Gerard Manley Hopkins described skies of a green, blue, gold and purple, "... more like inflamed flesh than the lucid reds of ordinary sunsets ... the glow is intense; that is what strikes everyone, it has prolonged the daylight, and optically changed the season, it bathes the whole sky, and it is mistaken for the reflection of a great fir<u>e</u>."



# MSP in the 21<sup>ST</sup> Century

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#### 14 CCR Section 913.11, 933.11, 953.11 Maximum Sustained Production of High Quality Timber Products

#### MSP is to be achieved by:

Producing a yield of timber products *specified by the landowner*, taking into account biologic and economic factors, while accounting for limits on productivity due to constraints imposed from consideration of other forest values, including but not limited to,

- recreation,
- watershed,
- wildlife,
- range and forage,
- fisheries,
- regional economic vitality,
- employment, and
- aesthetic enjoyment.

# Vison of MSP and Forest Product Outputs (What's Your Vision?)

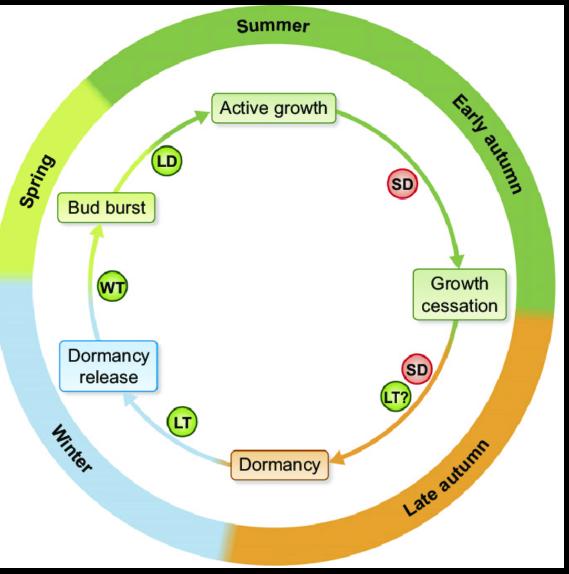
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I am often trying to fit my timber management projects into one of these categories.

# Financial MSP (Traditional Thinking)



#### Biological MSP (Maximizing Production/Site Optimization)

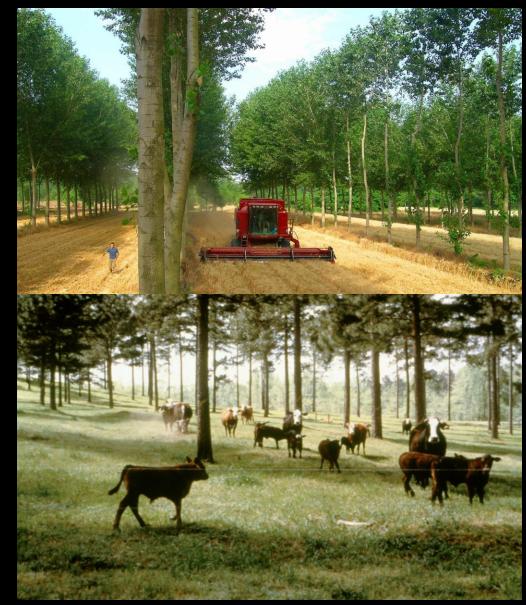


#### **Recall Your Plant and Tree Physiology?**

- Annual Growth Cycle
- Annual Growth Rhythms

Adaptions in site resource utilization. With high species diversity, biomass and/or biological outputs can potentially be increased as a result of reduced overlap periods in the draw on site resources.

# Biological MSP (Maximizing Production/Site Optimization)









# Ecological MSP (What Mother Nature Wants to See)



