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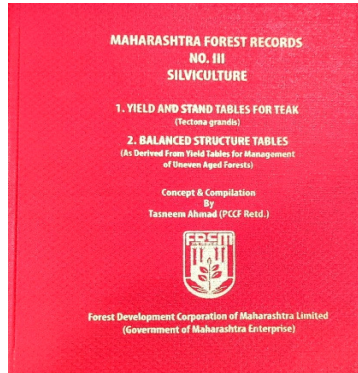
### INFORMATION

#### [Updated Edition of Yield and Stand Table for Teak]

The Yield and Stand Tables are the most important tool for determining the correct measure of thinning under varying condition of site qualities and age-categories. The Yield-Tables, which are available at present, are technically applicable for pure **Even Aged** stands of Teak. However, vast tracts of forests in Central India are of **Irregular and Uneven Aged** type, with one or more girth-classes either completely missing or suppressed. More often than not, crops themselves have varied degree of composition with shade-tolerant species, malformed, crooked, deceased, dying and dead trees and coppices.

2.0 Apart from above, the earlier Editions of Yield and Stand Tables presume that their users are well versed with the basic concepts of silviculture, viz. types of stands, silvicultural systems, types of thinnings etc. However, not all entrants into Forest Service get the opportunity of being posted in forest divisions associated with core forestry works in early phase of their career. As a result, such officers find themselves ill-equipped, whenever they are deployed in such divisions, as they are not clear about even the elementary concepts, let alone finer details.

3.0 All these difficulties have been duly addressed in this updated Edition brought out by Shri Tasneem Ahmad, former PCCF, Maharashtra. This new Edition has special coverage on management of **Irregular and Uneven Aged Teak Forests**. Thus, apart from the Yield and Stand Tables, this Edition also covers elementary concepts in the form of write-ups, duly supplemented with lucid diagrams, graphical representations, teak Site Quality charts and corresponding Local Volume Table etc. so that the field officials can have better insight of concepts before actual execution in the field.



4.0 We hope that the New Edition will be of immense practical use for the practicing Foresters of present and future generations. The Book is available at a nominal price of Rs 500/-. For further details, Smt. Shweta Rathod, RFO (Mobile No. 8805083321) may be contacted.

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