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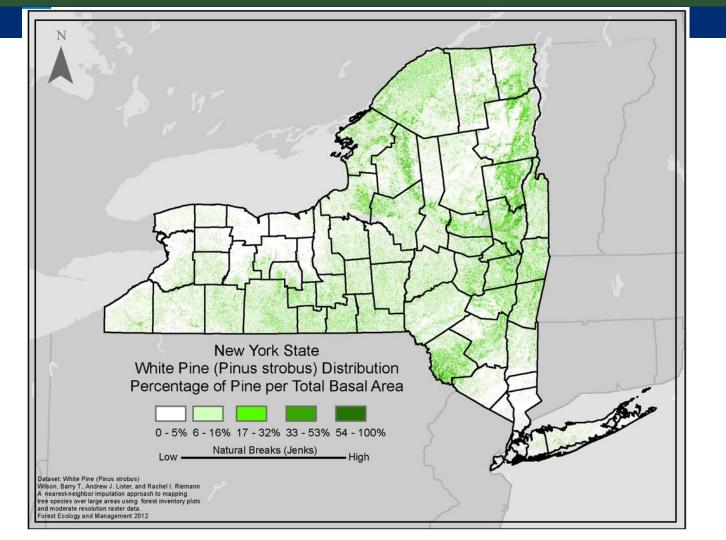
### New York: Forest Conditions and White Pine Management



Jessica Cancelliere, Research Scientist Rob Cole, Forester NESAF White Pine Symposium March 24, 2022







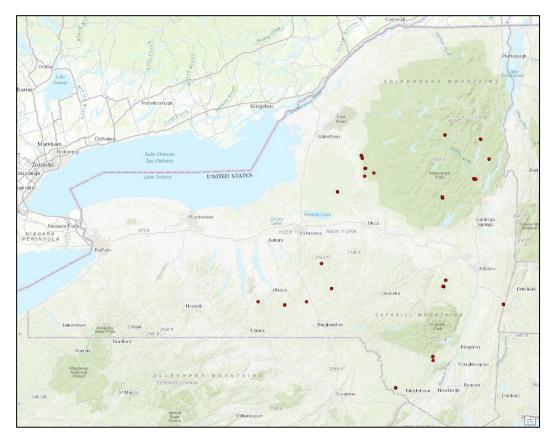
DEC Lands-

#### 8,295 managed stands

147,187 acres



## **Monitoring Plots**



#### Plantations & natural stands

#### Managed & unmanaged

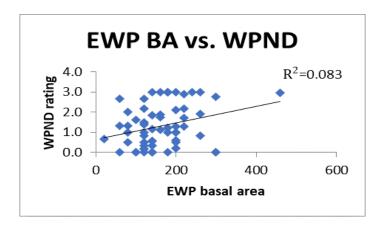
### High & low site index

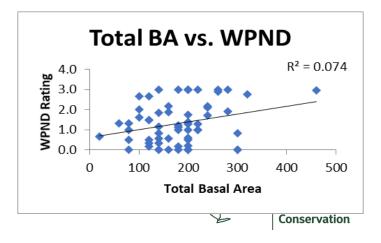




# **Monitoring Plots**

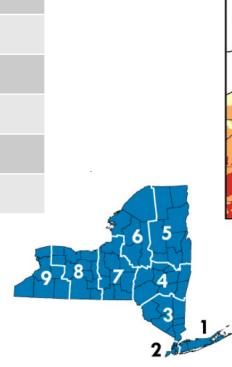
- 29 plots
- Average BA =  $179 \text{ ft}^2$
- Live crown ratio ~ 26%
- Crown transparency ~ 53%

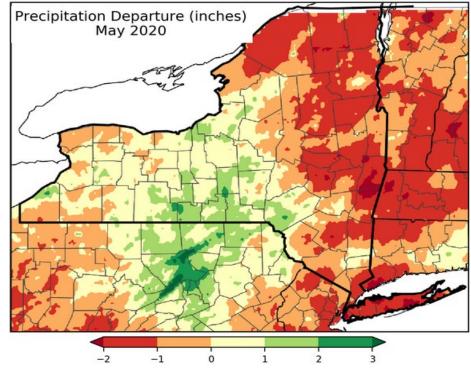




# Needle damage

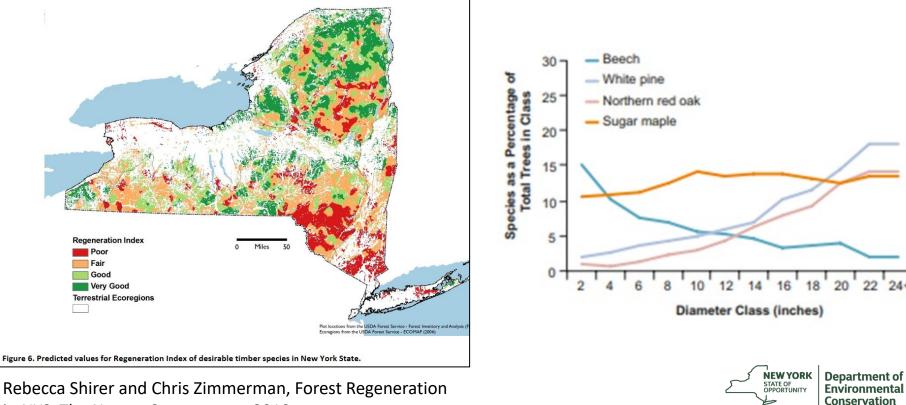
Region	WPND (0-3)
1	1.34
3	0.02
4	0.57
5	1.39
6	2.9
7	2.81



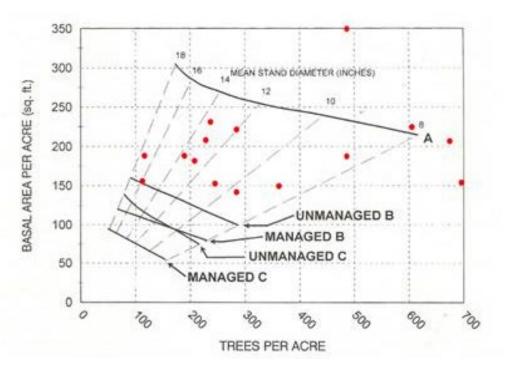




## **Poor regeneration in 57% of plots**



in NYS, The Nature Conservancy, 2010







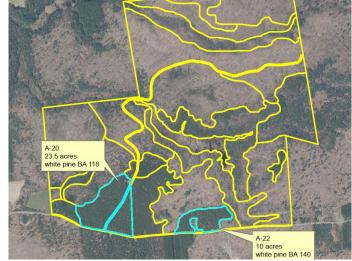
### Demo Forest – Balsam Creek State Forest





Ottawa

Montreal



Park

nifer Weimer, Aaron Bergdahl, Laura S. Kenefic Barbara Schultz, Robert S. Seymour College of Natural Sciences, Forestry, and Agriculture

### Low density mgmt at Boyhaven

#### Bill Livingston in NY – July 2021

THE UNIVERSITY OF MAINE MAINE Maine Agricultural and Forest Experiment Station Microllaneses Publication 744 June 2019 1 1581 (2015 1568

Field Manual for Managing Eastern White Pine Health in New England William H. Livingston, Isabel Munck, Kyle Lombard, Jennifer Weimer, Aaron Bergdahl, Laura S. Kenetic, Barbara Schultz, Robert, S. Sevenoor



### **Ushers Road State Forest**

Figure 1. Ushers Road State Forest (Stand 2-4) Eastern White Pine Health Plot Summary									
Plot	Total Basal Area (ft²)	# EWP stems	Mean EWP DBH (inches)	% stems w/ WPND	% stems w/ bole resinosis	# resin streaks/tree (range)	EWP mortality		
1	260	10	14.75	60	100	30-50	0		
2	160	5	16.25	80	100	4-50	1		
3	120	5	26.75	60	100	11-60	2		







### SPB in white pine – East Hampton, NY 2018





USFS, Dartmouth, LI Pine Barrens Commission, DEC





# Thank you!

