

↑ Protect Soil and Litter Carbon Pools

- Soil carbon builds very slowly, but can be easily disturbed
- Following AMPs/BMPs to protect soil and water also protects soil carbon
- Deadwood can protect both, may help build soil carbon over long-term

Benefits

- Minimize soil carbon losses
- Also associated with other ecological benefits, like biodiversity, resilience

Considerations

- Management tradeoffs (scarification, roads, costs)
- Not all disturbance can be avoided

