

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION SERVICE

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CONSTRUCTION SPECIFICATION  
CS-03: "CLEARING"

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3.1 SCOPE

The work shall consist of the clearing and disposal of trees, snags, logs, brush, shrubs, stumps, vegetation or other and rubbish from the designated areas.

3.2 REMOVAL

Unless otherwise shown on the drawings, tree stumps and other woody vegetation shall be cut off so that the remains shall not extend more than 12 inches above natural ground surface.

3.3 SALVAGE

Timber to be salvaged shall be cut to planned lengths and hauled to the loading area.

Brush piles for wildlife shall be established as shown on the drawings.

3.4 DISPOSAL

Where brush piles for wildlife are not specified on the drawings, cleared materials shall be disposed of by burning or burying at selected locations approved by the landowner and the technical representative in accordance with all local, state and federal regulations. Materials to be buried shall be placed at least 2 feet below the surrounding ground line and have a minimum of 2 feet of cover with the finished surface free of depressions and graded to drain.