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Comments: I personally support the use of Class 1 ebikes on natural surface trails on USFS land. I have ridden mountain bikes for over 20 years and have ridden a Class 1 e mountain bike additionally for the past 3 years. Several studies have and are being implemented in Colorado and have shown that ebikes do not impact trails or wildlife anymore than traditional bikes. Speed issues are also not a problem as these bikes generally will go uphill only slightly faster than a non e bike (1-2mph) and downhill speeds are comparable. My personal belief is that they may be safer as the riders are not riding at their physical limits while riding these bikes and will make less mistakes while riding. These bikes also allow older (and possibly disabled) riders to continue riding later in their mountain biking careers.