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Comments: What criteria are needed for a universal definition framework that motivates mature and old-growth forest conservation and can be used for planning and adaptive management?

What are the overarching old-growth and mature forest characteristics that belong in a definition framework?

How can a definition reflect changes based on disturbance and variation in forest type/composition, climate, site productivity, and geographic region?

How can a definition be durable but also accommodate and reflect changes in climate and forest composition?

What, if any, forest characteristics should a definition exclude?

Thank you.