

**TABLE 1. Existing riparian management standards by region and land owner
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Region	Land Owner and Authority	Standard
I: Coastal spruce-hemlock	State AS 41.17.118(a)(2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Harvest of timber may not be undertaken within 100 feet immediately adjacent to an anadromous or high value resident fish water body; ▶ Between 100' and 300' from the water body, timber harvest may occur but must be consistent with the maintenance of important fish and wildlife habitat. ◆ Slope stability standards apply within 100' from the water body on anadromous and high value resident fish waters and tributaries to these waters with <12% gradient, and within 50' of other tributaries to anadromous and high value resident fish waters.
	Other public AS 41.17.119(1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Harvest of timber may not occur within 100' from the shore or bank on anadromous or high value resident fish waters located south of the Alaska Range. ◆ Slope stability standards apply within 100' from the water body on anadromous and high value resident fish waters and tributaries to these waters with <12% gradient, and within 50' of other tributaries to anadromous and high value resident fish waters.
	Private AS 41.17.116(a)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Along a Type A water body, harvest of timber may not be undertaken within 66 feet of the water body. ▶ Along a Type B water body, harvest of timber may not be undertaken within 66' of the waterbody or to the break of the slope, whichever area is smaller. ▶ Along a Type C water body, the operator shall, where prudent, retain low value timber within 25' of the stream or to the limit of the riparian area, whichever is greater [slope break or 100'] where the width of the water body is >13' at OHWM or >8' at OHWM if the channel is incised. ◆ Along a Type D water body, the operator shall, where prudent, retain low value timber within 25' of the stream or to the limit of the riparian area, whichever is greater [slope break or 50'] where the width of the water body is >13' at OHWM or >8' at OHWM if the channel is incised. ◆ Slope stability standards apply to 100' from the water body on Type A, B, and C water bodies, and within 50' on Type D water bodies.
II – Interior spruce-hardwood South of the Alaska Range	State AS 41.17.118(a)(2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Harvest of timber may not be undertaken within 100 feet immediately adjacent to an anadromous or high value resident fish water body; ▶ Between 100' and 300' from the water body, timber harvest may occur but must be consistent with the maintenance of important fish and wildlife habitat. ◆ Slope stability standards apply within 100' from the water body on anadromous waters, and within 50' of tributaries to anadromous waters.
	Other public AS 41.17.119(1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Harvest of timber may not occur within 100' from the shore or bank of an anadromous or high value resident fish water body that is located south of the Alaska Range. ◆ Slope stability standards apply within 100' from the water body on anadromous waters, and within 50' of tributaries to anadromous waters.

	Private 11 AAC 95.260	A timber harvest operation within 100 feet from the shore or bank of an anadromous or high-value resident fish water body must be located and designed primarily to protect fish habitat and surface water quality from significant adverse effects.
III – Interior spruce-hardwood North of the Alaska Range	State AS 41.17.118(a)(1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Harvest of timber may not be undertaken within 100' immediately adjacent to an anadromous or high value resident fish water body unless the division determines that adequate protection remains for the fish habitat. ◆ Slope stability standards apply within 100' from the water body on anadromous waters, and within 50' of tributaries to anadromous waters.
	Other public AS 41.17.119(2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Harvest of timber may not occur within 100' immediately adjacent to an anadromous or high value resident fish water body north of the Alaska Range unless the commissioner determines that adequate protection remains for the fish habitat. ◆ Slope stability standards apply within 100' from the water body on anadromous waters, and within 50' of tributaries to anadromous waters.
	Private 11 AAC 95.260	A timber harvest operation within 100 feet from the shore or bank of an anadromous or high-value resident fish water body must be located and designed primarily to protect fish habitat and surface water quality from significant adverse effects.

Sec. 41.17.118. RIPARIAN STANDARDS FOR STATE LAND. (b) The commissioner may impose additional riparian protection standards for timber harvest operations through the adoption of land use plans under AS 38.04.065 and under forest management plans and reports under AS 38.05.112 and AS 41.17.230.

NOTE: The best management practices for roads, material sites, timber harvesting, and reforestation in the regulations (11 AAC 95.285-.390 apply to all lands in all regions unless otherwise specified.