

ES-BEST CATT FAQ's

1. Who can I contact for help?

Answer:

[NRM SmartBook - E-S BEST CATT](#)

2. What should my justifications look like?

Answer:

See Below. More maybe found in the [Example of Budget Justifications](#) found under the Helpful Tools.

"This \$450K provides for repair of 10 out of 250 miles of boundary (\$150), inspection of 600 out of 800 dock permits (\$100), brush clearing/fire prevention of 50 out of 350 forest acres (\$100), and herbicide control of 15 out of 90 acres affected by kudzu (\$100). These are absolutely critical O&M requirements, without which serious degradation of the environment will occur."

3. What training opportunities or additional resources are available to me?

Answers:

[ES-BEST Web Cast](#)

[ES-BEST Flow Charts](#)

4. Where can I find systematic FAQ's for ES-BEST?

Answer:

[ES-BEST Systematic FAQ's](#) located under the E-S BEST Tool link.

5. What are some of the current systematic limitations to ES-BEST that I should know about?

Answers:

-Data fields must be entered

-System will not accept Apostrophe's. The use of (') may eliminate very important data from your justifications.

-Only the first 489 characters of your justifications will be uploaded to OFA.

-Other systematic glitches that may affect ES-BEST users.

6. Where can I find a comprehensive list of system changes or updates for the current Fiscal Year?

Answer:

[Modifications for this year](#)

7. Where are the sustainable acres projection (condition assessments) questions for the basic stewardship packages?

Answer:

Those have been removed from E-S BEST.