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TECHNICAL GUIDE NOTICE NO. 218

This notice announces the posting of Section IV—Length of Life of Conservation Practices, and Conservation Practice Specifications and Job Sheets to the Montana eFOTG.

This update can be accessed on the Montana eFOTG website under Section IV of the FOTG. You can access the Montana eFOTG site at <http://my.nrcs.usda.gov> or <http://www.mt.nrcs.usda.gov>.

Note: The State Office will maintain an archived copy of all updated information. Field Offices need to remove outdated files, but do not need to archive.

The updated table of contents and conservation practice for Section IV are listed below:

- Table of Contents
- Length of Life of Conservation Practices
- 342–Critical Area Planting (ac): SPECIFICATION/JOB SHEET
- 382–Fence (ft): SPECIFICATION(S)
- 484–Mulching (ac): SPECIFICATION, JOB SHEET
- 391–Riparian Forest Buffer (ac): SPECIFICATION
- 612–Tree/Shrub Establishment (ac): SPECIFICATION
- 380–Windbreak/Shelterbelt Establishment (ft): SPECIFICATION

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FOTG, Section IV—Conservation Practice Standards, Specifications, and Job Sheets	FOTG, Section IV—Conservation Practice Standards, Specifications, and Job Sheets
Table of Contents – February 2013.	Table of Contents – April 2013.
Length of Life of Conservation Practices dated September 2010.	Length of Life of Conservation Practices dated April 2013.
342–Critical Area Planting (ac), Specification/Job Sheet, pages Specification/Job Sheet MT342-1 through Specification/Job Sheet MT342-10 dated May 2012.	342–Critical Area Planting (ac), Specification/Job Sheet, pages Specification/Job Sheet MT342-1 through Specification/Job Sheet MT342-10 dated April 2013.

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FOTG, Section IV—Conservation Practice Standards, Specifications, and Job Sheets	FOTG, Section IV—Conservation Practice Standards, Specifications, and Job Sheets
382–Fence (ft), Specification, pages Specification MT382(Barbed and Smooth Wire)-1 through Specification MT382(Barbed and Smooth Wire)-10 dated February 2013.	382–Fence (ft), Specification, pages Specification MT382(Barbed and Smooth Wire)-1 through Specification MT382(Barbed and Smooth Wire)-10 dated April 2013.
382–Fence (ft), Specification, pages Specification MT382(Woven Wire (Net)/Chain Link)-1 through Specification MT382(Woven Wire (Net)/Chain Link)-13 dated February 2013.	382–Fence (ft), Specification, pages Specification MT382(Woven Wire (Net)/Chain Link)-1 through Specification MT382(Woven Wire (Net)/Chain Link)-13 dated April 2013.
484–Mulching (ac), Specification, pages Specification MT484-1 through Specification MT484-7 dated October 2012; Job Sheet, pages MT484-JS1 through MT484-JS2 dated October 2012.	484–Mulching (ac), Specification, pages Specification MT484-1 through Specification MT484-7 dated April 2013; Job Sheet, pages MT484-JS1 through MT484-JS2 dated April 2013.
391–Riparian Forest Buffer (ac), Specification, pages Specification MT391-1 through Specification MT391-8 dated June 2011.	391–Riparian Forest Buffer (ac), Specification, pages Specification MT391-1 through Specification MT391-8 dated April 2013.
612–Tree/Shrub Establishment (ac), Specification, pages Specification MT612-1 through Specification MT612-6 dated June 2011.	612–Tree/Shrub Establishment (ac), Specification, pages Specification MT612-1 through Specification MT612-6 dated April 2013.
380–Windbreak/Shelterbelt Establishment (ft), Specification, pages Specification MT380-1 through Specification MT380-10 dated June 2011.	380–Windbreak/Shelterbelt Establishment (ft), Specification, pages Specification MT380-1 through Specification MT380-10 dated April 2013.

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