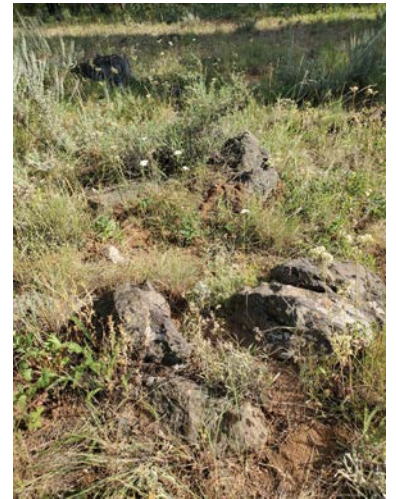


SHALLOW GRAVELLY 16-22" Low Sage/Idaho Fescue

Current State = STATE 1 – PHASE A

What could happen if it was poorly grazed , if fire was too much or too little , or if invasive annual plants invaded the site?



Find a coin and flip it.

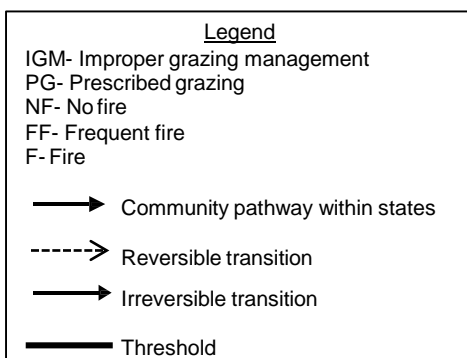
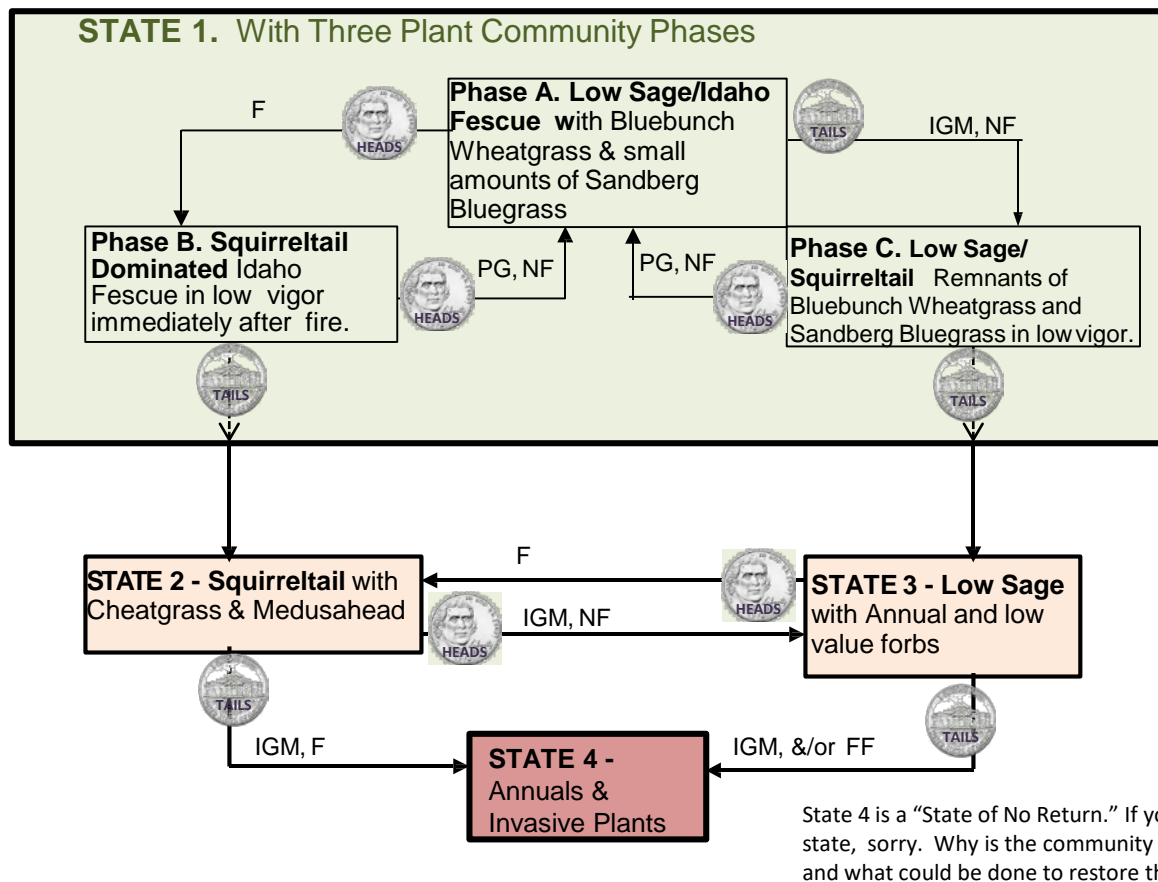


Try to explain what could happen.

State And Transition Model Diagram: SHALLOW GRAVELLY 16-22" Low Sage/Idaho Fescue

The Reference State (State 1), the Potential Natural Community (PNC), moves through many phases depending on the natural and man-made forces that impact the community over time. The Reference Plant Community Phase that reflects the PNC is Phase A.

Flip a coin - Heads or tails? Follow the path. Describe why the community changes, or not, for 5 coin-flips. For example, explain why grazing or fire would change a community at each step.



- What happened and why?
- Flip 1:
 - Flip 2:
 - Flip 3:
 - Flip 4:
 - Flip 5: