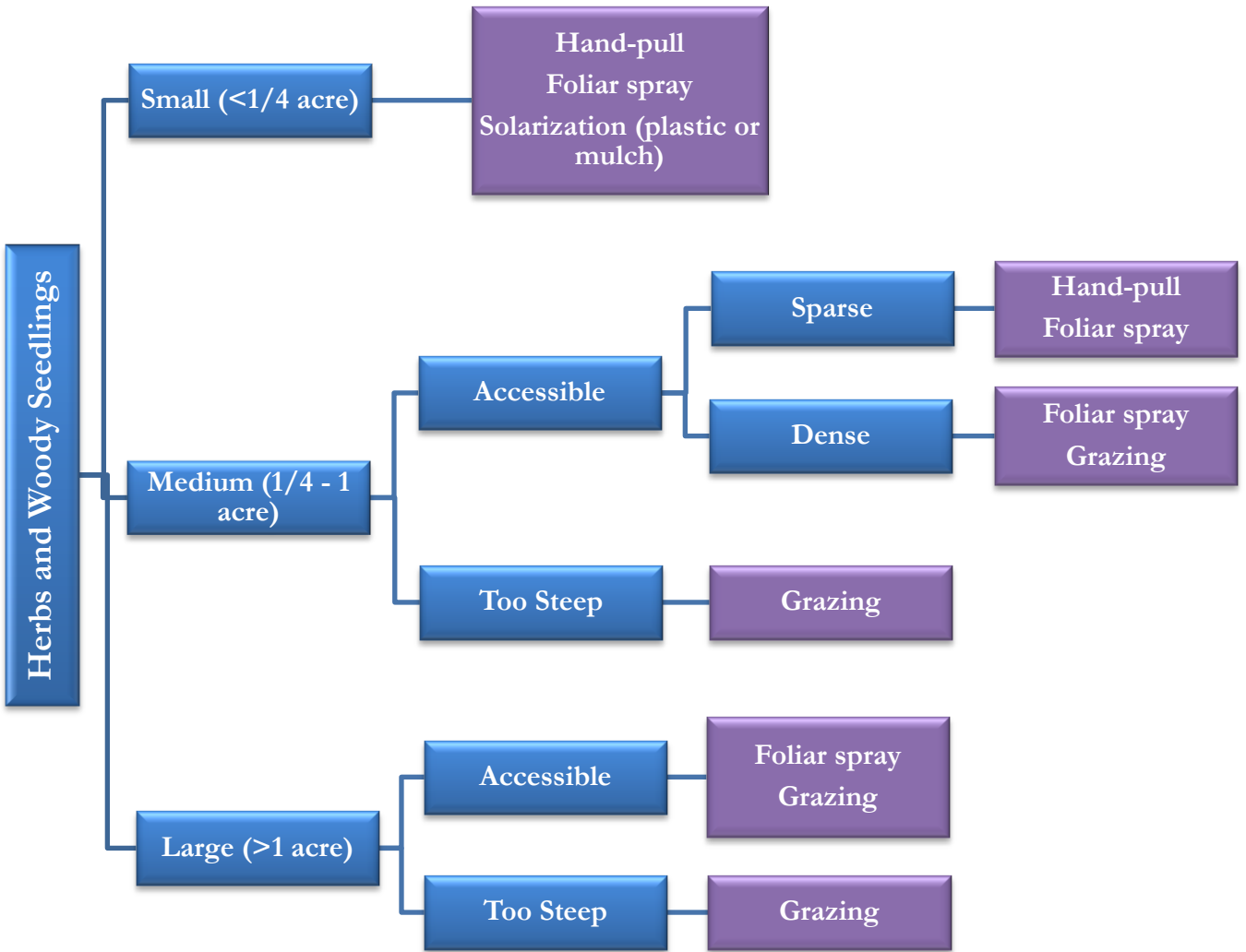
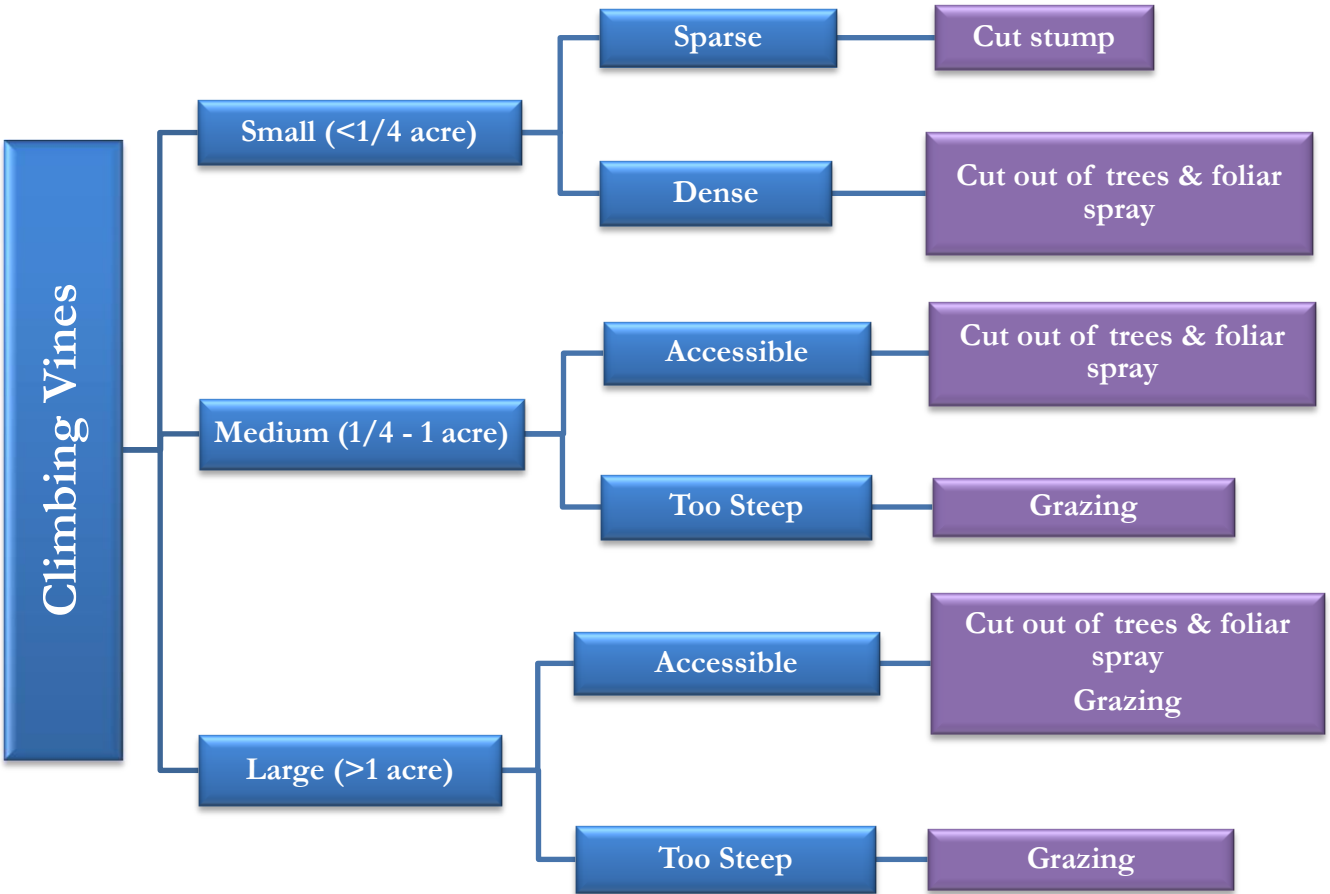


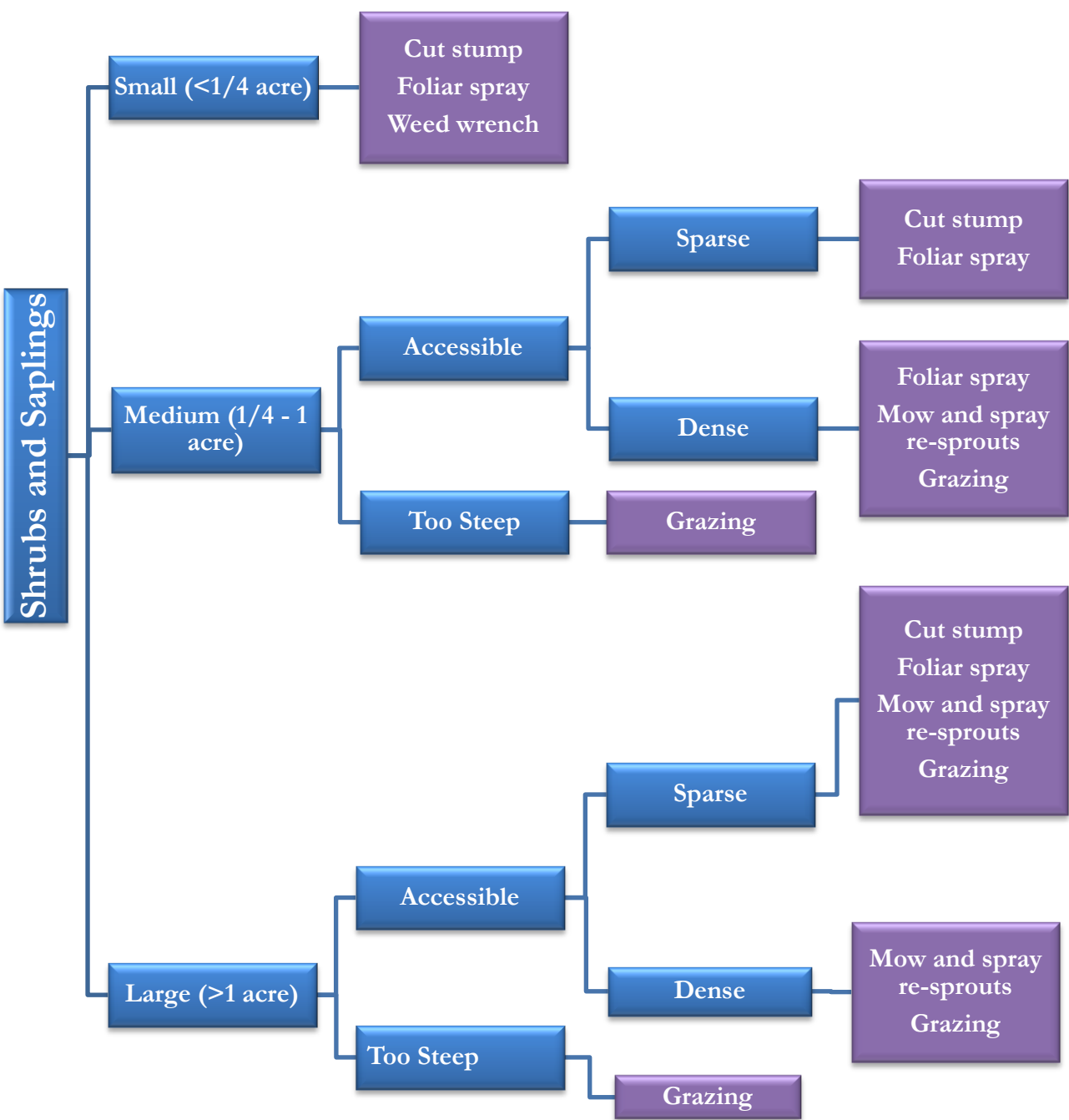
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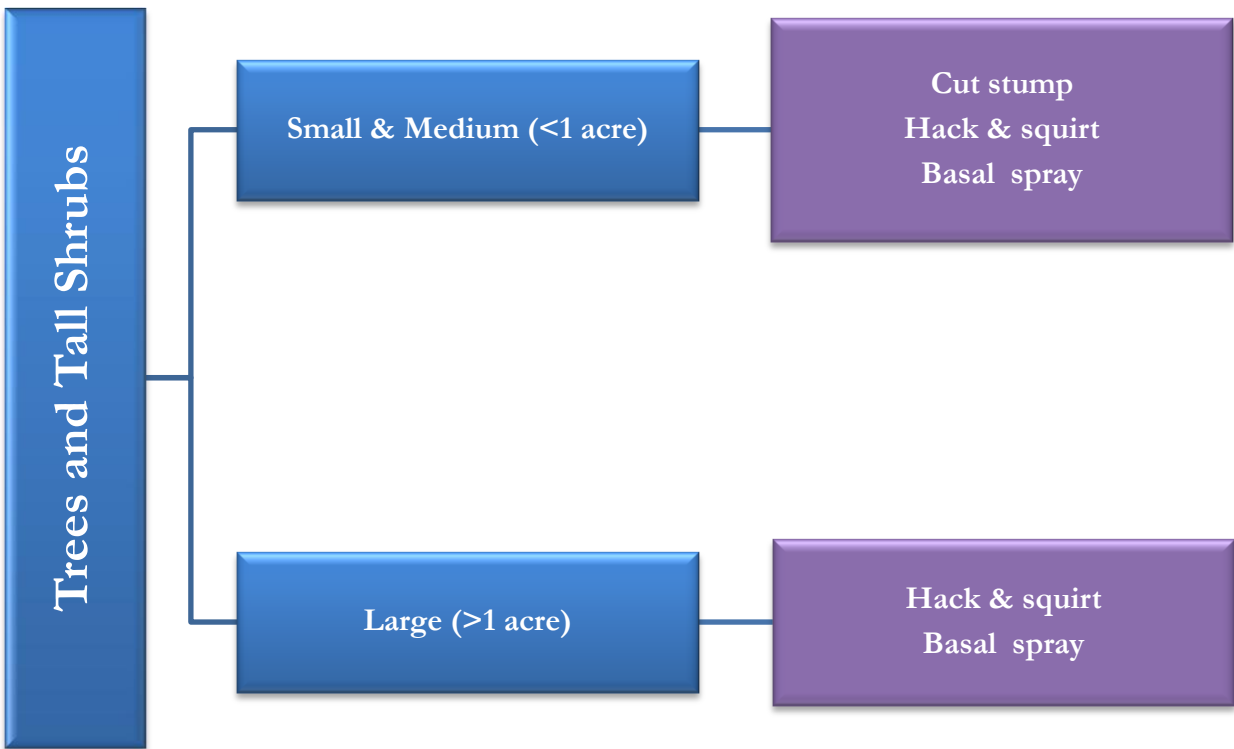
Treatment priorities:

1. New or especially noxious species, newly established populations, or threats to rare species/resources
2. Maintenance of previously treated sites
3. Existing un-treated sites









### **Other considerations**

Type/size of labor force – large volunteer group vs. few contractors

Sensitivity of habitat to trampling or chemical use – wetlands, rare plants, rare habitats

Is the method effective for the species in question?

Timing

Will follow-up control be possible?

Will erosion control or follow-up planting/restoration be needed?