

Choosing the Proper Material for Environmental Applications-- A Challenge

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Considerations

- Plant origin
- Soil
- Microclimate
- Pests
- Diseases
- Application Goals
- Policy

Policies

- Wetlands
- Urban amenities
- GMO's

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Universal Clone







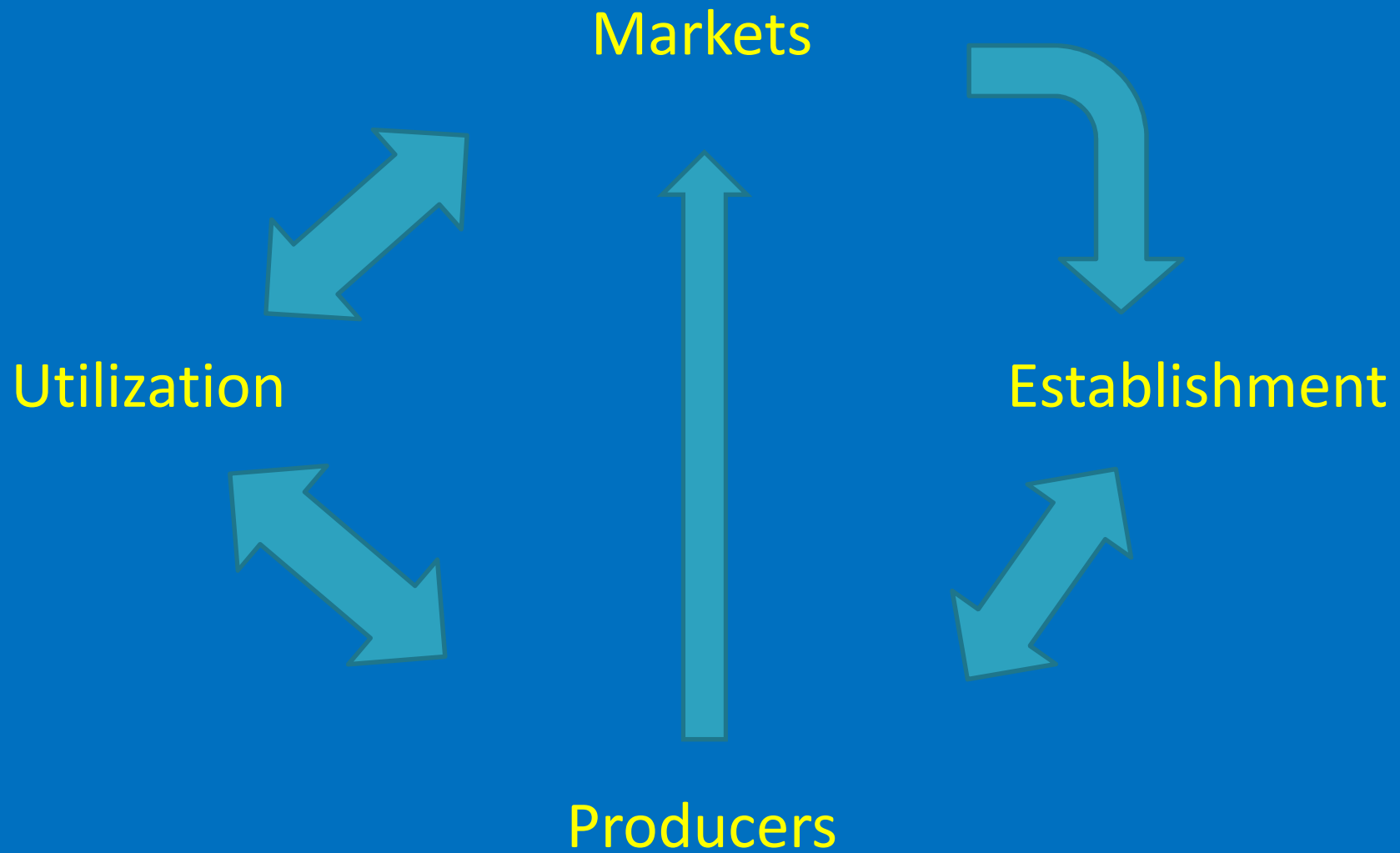


Diverse Clones

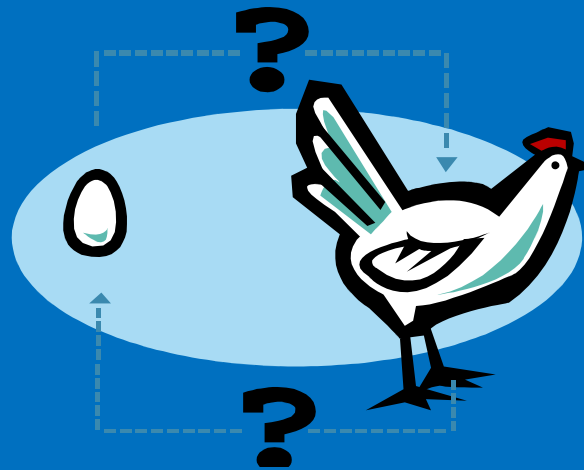




Circle of Risk



Chicken and Egg Dilemma



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Cottonwood Label

- Junk tree
- Weed tree



Clone Registration

- Consumer Protection
- Marketability

Phased Approach

- Demonstration Plantings
- Mosaic of Blocks

More Forest Geneticists/ Nurserymen Collaboration

