

**METADATA**  
**Bitterroot NF Administrative Boundary**  
**(BNF\_ALPAdminBoundary)**

**Summary (Purpose):** The BNF\_ALPAdminBoundary dataset contains the external administrative boundary (polygon) of the Bitterroot National Forest.

**Description (Abstract):** An area encompassing all the National Forest System lands administered by an administrative unit. The area encompasses private lands, other governmental agency lands, and may contain National Forest System lands within the proclaimed boundaries of another administrative unit. All National Forest System lands fall within one and only one Administrative Forest Area. USDA Forest Service, Automated Lands Program (ALP) is responsible for maintaining and updating this data.

**Attributes:**

**REGION:** Region numerical identifier ("01")

**FORESTNUMB:** A number (= "03") used to identify a National Forest (or other Administrative unit). The forest number is unique only within a Forest Service Region.

**FORESTNAME:** = "Bitterroot National Forest"

**GIS\_ACRES:** Area of the Forest, in Acres.

**Coordinate System:**

**Type:** Projected

**Geographic Coordinate Reference:** GCS North American 1983

**Datum:** D\_North\_America\_1983

**Projection:** NAD\_1983\_UTM\_Zone\_11N

**Unit:** Meters

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