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## **Aviation Protection of Russian Forests – 90 years!**

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**Abstract.** The article presents the history of the formation and development of aviation forest protection in Russia, the creation of aviation forest protection bases and the centralization of Aviation forest protection, as well as the current state of the aviation forest protection system in the country. New technologies and promising areas of development are presented.

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