Sharpening Pruning Tools

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The Basics

Three steps
1. Clean
2. Sharpen
3. Lubricate
Cleaning Supplies
Sharpen the Bevel

ByPass Blade

Anvil Blade

Branch Discard

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Tool Care Video

- Pruning tool care
  (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vROuLbOuYq0)
Tool Quality Considerations

Higher tool quality correlates to higher cost
Thank you!