

Species Frequently Found in Native Plant Communities

Central Mesic Hardwood Forest (Western) (MHc37)

Types in Class: Aspen - (Sugar Maple - Basswood) Forest (MHc37a)

Sugar Maple - Basswood - (Aspen) Forest (MHc37b)

Scientific Name	Common Name	Rare Status
<i>Acer saccharum</i>	Sugar maple	
<i>Actaea rubra</i>	Red baneberry	
<i>Amelanchier</i> spp.	juneberry	
<i>Amphicarpaea bracteata</i>	Hog peanut	
<i>Anemone americana</i>	Round-lobed hepatica	
<i>Anemone quinquefolia</i> var. <i>quinquefolia</i>	Wood anemone	
<i>Apocynum androsaemifolium</i>	Spreading dogbane	
<i>Aralia nudicaulis</i>	Wild sarsaparilla	
<i>Aralia racemosa</i>	American spikenard	
<i>Asarum canadense</i>	Wild ginger	
<i>Athyrium filix-femina</i> var. <i>angustum</i>	Lady fern	
<i>Betula papyrifera</i>	Paper birch	
<i>Botrychium virginianum</i>	Rattlesnake fern	
<i>Carex pedunculata</i>	Long-stalked sedge	
<i>Carex pensylvanica</i> var. <i>digyna</i>	Sun-loving sedge	
<i>Caulophyllum thalictroides</i>	Blue cohosh	
<i>Circaea lutetiana</i> var. <i>canadensis</i>	Common enchanter's nightshade	
<i>Cornus alternifolia</i>	Pagoda dogwood	
<i>Cornus rugosa</i>	Round-leaved dogwood	
<i>Corylus americana</i>	American hazelnut	
<i>Corylus cornuta</i> ssp. <i>cornuta</i>	Beaked hazelnut	
<i>Cypripedium calceolus</i>	Yellow lady's slipper	
<i>Desmodium glutinosum</i>	Pointed-leaved tick trefoil	
<i>Dirca palustris</i>	Leatherwood	
<i>Elymus hystrix</i>	Bottlebrush grass	
<i>Eurybia macrophylla</i>	large-leaved aster	
<i>Fragaria virginiana</i>	Common strawberry	
<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i> var. <i>pennsylvanica</i>	Green ash	
<i>Galium triflorum</i>	Sweet-scented bedstraw	
<i>Lathyrus ochroleucus</i>	Pale vetchling	
<i>Lathyrus venosus</i> var. <i>intonsus</i>	Veiny pea	
<i>Maianthemum canadense</i>	Canada mayflower	
<i>Oryzopsis asperifolia</i>	Mountain rice grass	
<i>Osmorhiza claytonii</i>	Clayton's sweet cicely	
<i>Ostrya virginiana</i>	Ironwood	
<i>Parthenocissus</i> spp.	Virginia creeper	
<i>Phryma leptostachya</i>	Lopseed	
<i>Polygonatum pubescens</i>	Hairy Solomon's seal	
<i>Populus tremuloides</i>	Quaking aspen	
<i>Prunus virginiana</i>	Chokecherry	
<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i> var. <i>latiusculum</i>	Bracken	

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<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>	Bur oak
<i>Quercus rubra</i>	Northern red oak
<i>Ribes cynosbati</i>	Prickly gooseberry
<i>Rubus pubescens</i>	Dwarf raspberry
<i>Rudbeckia laciniata</i> var. <i>laciniata</i>	Tall coneflower
<i>Sanguinaria canadensis</i>	Bloodroot
<i>Sanicula marilandica</i>	Maryland black snakeroot
<i>Smilacina racemosa</i>	Common false Solomon's seal
<i>Smilax ecirrata</i>	Erect carrion flower
<i>Smilax herbacea</i>	Smooth carrion flower
<i>Smilax illinoensis</i>	Illinois carrion flower
<i>Solidago flexicaulis</i>	Zigzag goldenrod
<i>Streptopus roseus</i> var. <i>longipes</i>	Rose twistedstalk
<i>Symphotrichum ciliolatum</i>	Lindley's aster
<i>Thalictrum dioicum</i>	Early meadow-rue
<i>Tilia americana</i>	Basswood
<i>Toxicodendron rydbergii</i>	Western poison ivy
<i>Ulmus americana</i>	American elm
<i>Uvularia grandiflora</i>	Large-flowered bellwort
<i>Uvularia sessilifolia</i>	Pale bellwort
<i>Viburnum rafinesquianum</i>	Downy arrowwood
<i>Viola pubescens</i>	Yellow violet
<i>Zanthoxylum americanum</i>	Prickly ash

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<i>Acer saccharum</i>	Sugar maple	
<i>Apocynum androsaemifolium</i>	Spreading dogbane	
<i>Asarum canadense</i>	Wild ginger	
<i>Betula papyrifera</i>	Paper birch	
<i>Diervilla lonicera</i>	Bush honeysuckle	
<i>Fragaria virginiana</i>	Common strawberry	
<i>Maianthemum canadense</i>	Canada mayflower	
<i>Ostrya virginiana</i>	Ironwood	
<i>Populus tremuloides</i>	Quaking aspen	
<i>Prunus serotina</i>	Black cherry	
<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i> var. <i>latiusculum</i>	Bracken	
<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>	Bur oak	
<i>Quercus rubra</i>	Northern red oak	
<i>Rubus pubescens</i>	Dwarf raspberry	
<i>Smilacina stellata</i> var. <i>stellata</i>	Starry false Solomon's seal	
<i>Smilax ecirrata</i>	Erect carrion flower	
<i>Smilax herbacea</i>	Smooth carrion flower	
<i>Smilax illinoensis</i>	Illinois carrion flower	
<i>Solidago canadensis</i>	Canada goldenrod	
<i>Tilia americana</i>	Basswood	
<i>Ulmus americana</i>	American elm	
<i>Viburnum rafinesquianum</i>	Downy arrowwood	

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<i>Betula papyrifera</i>	Paper birch	
<i>Circaea lutetiana</i> var. <i>canadensis</i>	Common enchanter's nightshade	
<i>Cornus alternifolia</i>	Pagoda dogwood	
<i>Dirca palustris</i>	Leatherwood	
<i>Ostrya virginiana</i>	Ironwood	
<i>Polygonatum biflorum</i>	Giant Solomon's seal	
<i>Polygonatum pubescens</i>	Hairy Solomon's seal	
<i>Populus tremuloides</i>	Quaking aspen	
<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>	Bur oak	
<i>Quercus rubra</i>	Northern red oak	
<i>Tilia americana</i>	Basswood	
<i>Ulmus americana</i>	American elm	

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