



Betula nigra
Common Name: River Birch
Mature Height: 40-70'
Fall Color: Yellow

River Birch is a moderately fast growing tree with light brown exfoliating bark. It is native to stream banks and floodplains.



Carya cordiformis
Common Name: Bitternut Hickory
Mature Height: 50-75'
Fall Color: Yellow

Bitternut hickory is the fastest growing of the hickories and features an interesting snakelike bark on young stems. It is native to area woodlands.



Carya ovata
Common Name: Shagbark Hickory
Mature Height: 60-80'
Fall Color: Yellow-Brown

Shagbark Hickory is a characteristic tree of upland woods and savannas along with Oak species. It is known for splitting bark in maturity, which makes the trees look "shaggy."



Cercis canadensis
Common Name: Eastern Redbud
Mature Height: 20-30'
Fall Color: Yellow-green

Redbud is known for its reddish-purple blossoms in March and April. It is native to area woodlands.



Picea glauca
Common Name: White Spruce
Mature Height: 40-60'

White Spruce is an adaptable evergreen native to northern forests, including Wisconsin and Michigan.



Pinus strobus
Common Name: White Pine
Mature Height: 50-80'

White Pine is native to sandy soils along lake Michigan and northern forests. It has a soft texture and feel with a pleasant pine scent.

Evergreen Trees



Juglans nigra
Common Name: Black Walnut
Mature Height: 50-75'
Fall Color: Yellow

Black walnut is a large tree native to upland woodlands and savannas. It provides edible fruit for wildlife.



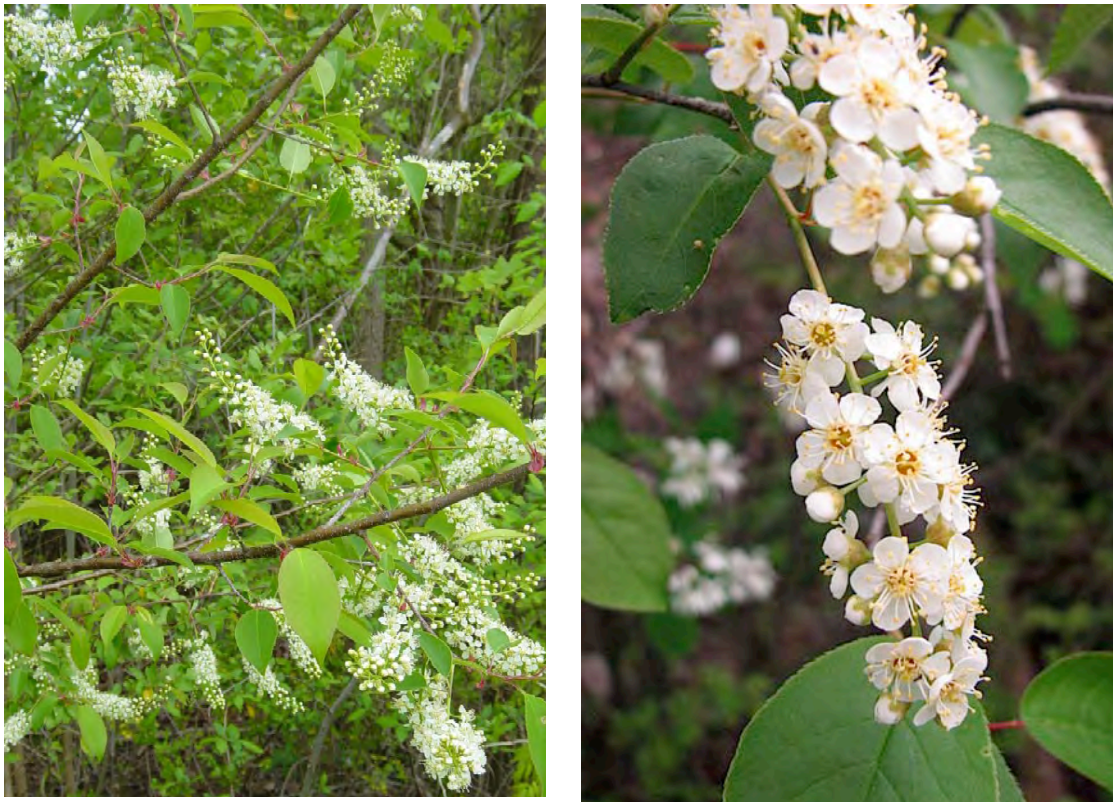
Malus ioensis
Common Name: Prairie Crab
Mature Height: 20-30'
Fall Color: Yellow-green

Prairie crab is a native variety of crabapple with showy white or pink blossoms.



Ostrya virginiana
Common Name: Ironwood
Mature Height: 25-40'
Fall Color: Yellow

Ironwood is native to upland woodlands with graceful branches.



Prunus virginiana
Common Name: Choke Cherry
Mature Height: 20-30'
Fall Color: Red-orange

Choke Cherry is a small tree or a large, suckering shrub. White flowers bloom in late April or May, which give rise to edible fruit for wildlife.



Aronia melanocarpa
Common Name: Black Chokeberry
Mature Height: 3-5'

Black chokeberry is a medium sized native shrub with white flowers in spring, red fall color and attractive berries in late fall.



Ceanothus americanus
Common Name: New Jersey Tea
Mature Height: 2'

Small native prairie shrub with white flowers in July.



Cornus obliqua
Common Name: Silky Dogwood
Mature Height: 8-12'

Broad shaped native shrub with white flowers in June-July.



Quercus alba
Common Name: White Oak
Mature Height: 50-80'
Fall Color: Brown to Red

White Oak is the state tree of Illinois. It is a majestic tree in maturity, native to upland woodlands and savannas.



Quercus bicolor
Common Name: Swamp White Oak
Mature Height: 50-60'
Fall Color: Yellow to brown

Swamp White Oak is a coarse textured oak with large leaves that is native to low lying areas including floodplains and stream banks.



Quercus macrocarpa
Common Name: Bur Oak
Mature Height: 70-80'
Fall Color: Yellow-brown

One of the hallmark trees of upland savannas, Bur Oak grows to be a majestic tree with a broad crown and deeply furrowed bark.



Diervilla lonicera
Common Name: Dwarf Honeysuckle
Mature Height: 2-3'

Low, mounding native shrub with yellow flowers in June and yellow, orange and red fall color.



Juniperus communis
Common Name: Common Juniper
Mature Height: 5-10'

Large, spreading evergreen shrub. Excellent cover for small animals.



Physocarpus opulifolius
Common Name: Ninebark
Mature Height: 8-10'

Large native shrub with exfoliating bark and pink flowers in June.



Rhus glabra
Common Name: Smooth Sumac
Mature Height: 10'

Native shrub with suckering habit and excellent red fall color.



Viburnum lentago
Common Name: Nannyberry Viburnum
Mature Height: 12-15'

Large, vase-shaped native shrub with large white flowers in May.

Deciduous Trees

Shrubs

