

Species Frequently Found in Native Plant Communities

**Central Dry-Mesic Oak-Aspen Forest (MHc26)**

**Types in Class:** Oak - Aspen - Red Maple Forest (MHc26a)

Red Oak - Sugar Maple - Basswood - (Large-flowered Trillium) Forest (MHc26b)

Scientific Name	Common Name	Rare Status
<i>Acer rubrum</i>	Red maple	
<i>Acer saccharum</i>	Sugar maple	
<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>Aster ciliolatus</i>	Lindley's aster	
<i>Aster macrophyllus</i>	Large-leaved aster	
<i>Athyrium filix-femina</i> var. <i>angustum</i>	Lady fern	
<i>Betula papyrifera</i>	Paper birch	
<i>Brachyelytrum erectum</i>	Bearded shorthusk	
<i>Carex pensylvanica</i> var. <i>digyna</i>	Sun-loving sedge	
<i>Carpinus caroliniana</i> var. <i>virginiana</i>	Blue beech	
<i>Cornus alternifolia</i>	Pagoda dogwood	
<i>Cornus racemosa</i>	Gray 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>Desmodium glutinosum</i>	Pointed-leaved tick trefoil	
<i>Diervilla lonicera</i>	Bush honeysuckle	
<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>Lonicera canadensis</i>	Fly honeysuckle	
<i>Lonicera dioica</i>	Wild honeysuckle	
<i>Lonicera hirsuta</i>	Hairy honeysuckle	
<i>Maianthemum canadense</i>	Canada mayflower	
<i>Oryzopsis asperifolia</i>	Moutain rice grass	
<i>Osmorhiza claytonii</i>	Clayton's sweet cicely	
<i>Ostrya virginiana</i>	Ironwood	
<i>Parthenocissus</i> spp.	Virginia creeper	
<i>Pinus resinosa</i>	Red pine	
<i>Pinus strobus</i>	White pine	
<i>Polygonatum pubescens</i>	Hairy Solomon's seal	
<i>Populus grandidentata</i>	Big-toothed aspen	
<i>Populus tremuloides</i>	Quaking aspen	
<i>Prunus serotina</i>	Black cherry	

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<i>Prunus virginiana</i>	Chokecherry
<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i> var. <i>latiusculum</i>	Bracken
<i>Quercus alba</i>	White oak
<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>	Bur oak
<i>Quercus rubra</i>	Northern red oak
<i>Ribes cynosbati</i>	Prickly gooseberry
<i>Rubus allegheniensis</i>	Allegheny blackberry
<i>Rubus pubescens</i>	Dwarf raspberry
<i>Sanicula marilandica</i>	Maryland black snakeroot
<i>Smilacina racemosa</i>	Common false Solomon's seal
<i>Streptopus roseus</i> var. <i>longipes</i>	Rose twistedstalk
<i>Thalictrum dioicum</i>	Early meadow-rue
<i>Tilia americana</i>	Basswood
<i>Toxicodendron rydbergii</i>	Western poison ivy
<i>Trientalis borealis</i>	Starflower
<i>Trillium grandiflorum</i>	Large-flowered trillium
<i>Uvularia grandiflora</i>	Large-flowered bellwort
<i>Uvularia sessilifolia</i>	Pale bellwort
<i>Vaccinium angustifolium</i>	Lowbush blueberry
<i>Viburnum rafinesquianum</i>	Downy arrowwood
<i>Viola canadensis</i> var. <i>rugulosa</i>	Rugulose violet
<i>Viola pubescens</i>	Yellow violet

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<i>Acer rubrum</i>	Red maple	
<i>Acer saccharum</i>	Sugar maple	
<i>Acer spicatum</i>	Mountain maple	
<i>Betula papyrifera</i>	Paper birch	
<i>Clintonia borealis</i>	Bluebead lily	
<i>Ostrya virginiana</i>	Ironwood	
<i>Pinus resinosa</i>	Red pine	
<i>Pinus strobus</i>	White pine	
<i>Populus grandidentata</i>	Big-toothed aspen	
<i>Populus tremuloides</i>	Quaking aspen	
<i>Pyrola secunda</i>	One-sided pyrola	
<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>	Bur oak	
<i>Quercus rubra</i>	Northern red oak	
<i>Rosa acicularis</i>	Prickly rose	
<i>Rosa blanda</i>	Smooth wild rose	
<i>Trientalis borealis</i>	Starflower	

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<i>Acer rubrum</i>	Red maple	
<i>Acer saccharum</i>	Sugar maple	
<i>Aralia racemosa</i>	American spikenard	
<i>Asclepias exaltata</i>	Poke milkweed	
<i>Betula papyrifera</i>	Paper birch	
<i>Botrychium virginianum</i>	Rattlesnake fern	
<i>Carpinus caroliniana</i> var. <i>virginiana</i>	Blue beech	
<i>Carya cordiformis</i>	Bitternut hickory	
<i>Circaea lutetiana</i> var. <i>canadensis</i>	Common enchanter's nightshade	
<i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i> var. <i>pennsylvanica</i>	Green ash	
<i>Geranium maculatum</i>	Wild geranium	
<i>Ostrya virginiana</i>	Ironwood	
<i>Populus grandidentata</i>	Big-toothed aspen	
<i>Populus tremuloides</i>	Quaking aspen	
<i>Quercus alba</i>	White oak	
<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i>	Bur oak	
<i>Quercus rubra</i>	Northern red oak	
<i>Solidago flexicaulis</i>	Zigzag goldenrod	
<i>Tilia americana</i>	Basswood	
<i>Trillium grandiflorum</i>	Large-flowered trillium	

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