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# Climate Change Atlas Tree Species Current and Potential Future Habitat, Capability, and Migration

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sq. km sq. mi FIA Plots Area of Region 3,546.0 1,369.1 127

#### **Species Information**

The columns below provide breif summaries of the species associated with the region and described in the table on the next pages. Definitions are provided in the Excel file for this region.

| Genus    | Species                                |          |        |        |             |              |           |          | Potential Change in Habitat Suitability |           |          | Capability to Cope or Persist |         |       |       |
|----------|--|----------|--------|--------|-------------|--------------|-----------|----------|---|-----------|----------|-------------------------------|---------|-------|-------|
| Ash      | 4                                      |          |        | 1      | Model       |              |           | Scenario | Scenario                                |           | Scenario | Scenario                      |         | SHIFT | SHIFT |
| Hickory  | 2                                      | Abu      | ndance | I      | Reliability | Adaptability |           | RCP45    | RCP85                                   |           | RCP45    | RCP85                         |         | RCP45 | RCP85 |
| Maple    | 1                                      | Abundant | 6      | High   | 11          | 13           | Increase  | 12       | 14                                      | Very Good | 6        | 7                             | Likely  | 0     | 0     |
| Oak      | 8                                      | Common   | 16     | Medium | 31          | 39           | No Change | 9        | 9                                       | Good      | 7        | 7                             | Infill  | 4     | 2     |
| Pine     | 5                                      | Rare     | 27     | Low    | 20          | 10           | Decrease  | 26       | 24                                      | Fair      | 6        | 7                             | Migrate | 0     | 2     |
| Other    | 29                                     | Absent   | 12     | FIA    | 2           |              | New       | 3        | 3                                       | Poor      | 11       | 9                             | •       | 4     | 4     |
| •        | 49                                     | _        | 61     | _      | 64          | 62           | Unknown   | 14       | 14                                      | Very Poor | 13       | 13                            |         |       |       |
|          |  |          |        |        |             |              | -         | 64       | 64                                      | FIA Only  | 2        | 2                             |         |       |       |
|          |  |          |        |        |             |              |           |          |   | Unknown   | 12       | 12                            |         |       |       |
| Potentia | Potential Changes in Climate Variables |          |        |        |             |              |           |          |   | •         | E7       | E7                            |         |       |       |

# Potentiai Changes in Climate variables

| Temperatu | ıre (°F)           |      |              |              |                                       |
|-----------|--------------------|------|--------------|--------------|---------------------------------------|
|           | Scenario           | 2009 | 2039         | 2069         | 2099                                  |
| Annual    | CCSM45             | 68.3 | 69.8         | 71.5         | 71.4                                  |
| Average   | CCSM85             | 68.3 | 70.0         | 72.2         | 74.4                                  |
|           | GFDL45             | 68.3 | 70.9         | 72.7         | 73.5                                  |
|           | GFDL85             | 68.3 | 70.8         | 73.8         | 77.3                                  |
|           | HAD45              | 68.3 | 70.3         | 72.8         | 74.1                                  |
|           | HAD85              | 68.3 | 70.8         | 73.8         | 77.5                                  |
| Growing   | CCSM45             | 78.8 | 80.0         | 81.2         | 81.5                                  |
| Season    | CCSM85             | 78.8 | 80.0         | 82.2         | 84.7                                  |
| May—Sep   | GFDL45             | 78.8 | 81.2         | 82.9         | 84.0                                  |
|           | GFDL85             | 78.8 | 81.3         | 84.2         | 88.0                                  |
|           | HAD45              | 78.8 | 81.6         | 83.7         | 85.1                                  |
|           | HAD85              | 78.8 | 81.8         | 85.8         | 89.2                                  |
| Coldest   | CCSM45             | 51.9 | 54.3         | 55.2         | 54.8                                  |
| Month     | CCSIVI45<br>CCSM85 | 51.9 | 54.5<br>53.9 | 55.2<br>55.0 | 56.2                                  |
|           |                    |      |              |              | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · |
| Average   | GFDL45             | 51.9 | 54.7         |              | 55.6                                  |
|           | GFDL85             | 51.9 | 54.2         |              | 56.3                                  |
|           | HAD45              | 51.9 | 51.7         |              | 53.8                                  |
|           | HAD85              | 51.9 | 52.5         | 53.4         | 55.4                                  |
| Warmest   | CCSM45             | 81.3 | 82.7         | 83.4         | 83.6                                  |
| Month     | CCSM85             | 81.3 | 82.8         | 84.0         | 85.4                                  |
| Average   | GFDL45             | 81.3 | 83.7         | 84.5         | 85.2                                  |
|           | GFDL85             | 81.3 | 83.9         | 85.3         | 87.3                                  |
|           | HAD45              | 81.3 | 84.6         | 85.7         | 86.2                                  |
|           | HAD85              | 81.3 | 84.7         | 87.0         | 88.5                                  |

| Precipitati | on (in)  |      |      |      |           |
|-------------|----------|------|------|------|-----------|
|             | Scenario | 2009 | 2039 | 2069 | 2099      |
| Annual      | CCSM45   | 55.9 | 60.4 | 62.9 | 63.0      |
| Total       | CCSM85   | 55.9 | 59.0 | 62.0 | 61.9      |
|             | GFDL45   | 55.9 | 63.3 | 65.5 | 68.2      |
|             | GFDL85   | 55.9 | 60.8 | 67.4 | 64.8      |
|             | HAD45    | 55.9 | 54.3 | 54.9 | 58.3      |
|             | HAD85    | 55.9 | 54.7 | 52.3 | 53.5      |
| Growing     | CCSM45   | 31.9 | 34.8 | 35.9 | 35.0      |
| Season      | CCSM85   | 31.9 | 33.0 | 35.8 | 35.2 ◆◆◆◆ |
| May—Sep     | GFDL45   | 31.9 | 37.5 | 38.4 | 39.3      |
|             | GFDL85   | 31.9 | 36.7 | 40.7 | 39.3      |
|             | HAD45    | 31.9 | 31.1 | 30.7 | 30.6 ◆◆◆◆ |
|             | HAD85    | 31.9 | 30.2 | 26.6 | 26.7      |

NOTE: For the six climate variables, four 30-year periods are used to indicate six potential future trajectories. The period ending in 2009 is based on modeled observations from the PRISM Climate Group and the three future periods were obtained from the NASA NEX-DCP30 dataset. Future climate projections from three models under two emission scenarios show estimates of each climate variable within the region. The three models are CCSM4, GFDL CM3, and HadGEM2-ES and the emission scenarios are the 4.5 and 8.5 RCP. The average value for the region is reported, even though locations within the region may vary substantially based on latitude, elevation, land-use, or other factors.

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| Common Name                | Scientific Name         | Range | MR     | %Cell | FIAsum | FIAiv ChngCl45    | ChngCl85        | Adap    | Abund    | Capabil45 | Capabil85 | SHIFT45 SHIFT85   | SSO N |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|-------|--------|-------|--------|-------------------|-----------------|---------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|-------|
| slash pine                 | Pinus elliottii         | NDH   | High   | 89.3  | 3812.7 | 28.9 No change    | No change       | Medium  | Abundant | Good      | Good      |                   | 1 1   |
| laurel oak                 | Quercus laurifolia      | NDH   | Medium | 84.9  | 1100.5 | 7.6 Sm. dec.      | Sm. dec.        | Medium  | Abundant | Fair      | Fair      |                   | 0 2   |
| pond cypress               | Taxodium ascendens      | NSH   | Medium | 60.3  | 863.5  | 10.9 Sm. inc.     | Lg. inc.        | Medium  | Abundant | Very Good | Very Good |                   | 1 3   |
| sweetgum                   | Liquidambar styraciflua | WDH   | High   | 69.3  | 565.7  | 4.9 Sm. dec.      | Sm. dec.        | Medium  | Abundant | Fair      | Fair      |                   | 0 4   |
| live oak                   | Quercus virginiana      | NDH   | High   | 55.9  | 506.0  | 4.9 Lg. inc.      | Lg. inc.        | Medium  | Abundant | Very Good | Very Good |                   | 1 5   |
| loblolly pine              | Pinus taeda             | WDH   | High   | 46.4  | 502.1  | 8.1 Sm. inc.      | Sm. inc.        | Medium  | Abundant | Very Good | Very Good |                   | 1 6   |
| bald cypress               | Taxodium distichum      | NSH   | Medium | 56.9  | 485.1  | 5.3 No change     | No change       | Medium  | Common   | Fair      | Fair      |                   | 1 7   |
| swamp tupelo               | Nyssa biflora           | NDH   | Medium | 65    | 468.3  | 5.0 Sm. inc.      | Sm. inc.        | Low     | Common   | Fair      | Fair      |                   | 1 8   |
| cabbage palmetto           | Sabal palmetto          | NDH   | Medium | 44.5  | 438.1  | 5.6 Lg. inc.      | Lg. inc.        | Medium  | Common   | Very Good | Very Good |                   | 0 9   |
| water oak                  | Quercus nigra           | WDH   | High   | 65.2  | 402.6  | 3.7 No change     | No change       | Medium  | Common   | Fair      | Fair      |                   | 1 10  |
| red maple                  | Acer rubrum             | WDH   | High   | 77.1  | 374.1  | 3.3 Sm. inc.      | Sm. inc.        | High    | Common   | Very Good | Very Good |                   | 1 11  |
| sand pine                  | Pinus clausa            | NDH   | High   | 7.2   | 214.1  | 20.7 No change    | No change       | Low     | Common   | Poor      | Poor      | Infill +          | 0 12  |
| green ash                  | Fraxinus pennsylvanica  | WSH   | Low    | 32.3  | 204.6  | 3.2 Sm. dec.      | No change       | Medium  | Common   | Poor      | Fair      |                   | 1 13  |
| redbay                     | Persea borbonia         | NSL   | Low    | 43.7  | 164.0  | 2.3 No change     | Sm. inc.        | High    | Common   | Good      | Very Good |                   | 1 14  |
| sweetbay                   | Magnolia virginiana     | NSL   | Medium | 41.7  | 151.4  | 2.3 Lg. inc.      | Lg. inc.        | Medium  | Common   | Very Good | Very Good |                   | 1 15  |
| American hornbeam; muscle  | e\ Carpinus caroliniana | WSL   | Low    | 36.1  | 124.4  | 2.5 Sm. dec.      | Sm. dec.        | Medium  | Common   | Poor      | Poor      |                   | 0 16  |
| pumpkin ash                | Fraxinus profunda       | NSH   | FIA    | 26.2  | 122.0  | 4.1 Unknown       | Unknown         | NA      | Common   | FIA Only  | FIA Only  |                   | 0 17  |
| American elm               | Ulmus americana         | WDH   | Medium | 62.2  | 116.8  | 1.3 Sm. inc.      | Sm. inc.        | Medium  | Common   | Good      | Good      |                   | 1 18  |
| water tupelo               | Nyssa aquatica          | NSH   | Medium | 8.3   | 115.7  | 5.4 Sm. dec.      | Sm. dec.        | Low     | Common   | Poor      | Poor      | Infill +          | 0 19  |
| loblolly-bay               | Gordonia lasianthus     | NSH   | Medium | 6.8   | 67.1   | 6.3 No change     | No change       | Medium  | Common   | Fair      | Fair      | Infill + Infill + | 1 20  |
| eastern redcedar           | Juniperus virginiana    | WDH   | Medium | 18.6  | 54.2   | 2.3 Lg. dec.      | Lg. dec.        | Medium  | Common   | Poor      | Poor      | Infill +          | 0 21  |
| Carolina ash               | Fraxinus caroliniana    | NSL   | FIA    | 16.7  | 51.7   | 2.3 Unknown       | Unknown         | NA      | Common   | FIA Only  | FIA Only  |                   | 0 22  |
| southern magnolia          | Magnolia grandiflora    | NSL   | Low    | 9.1   | 44.6   | 1.9 Sm. dec.      | Sm. dec.        | Medium  | Rare     | Very Poor | Very Poor |                   | 0 23  |
| turkey oak                 | Quercus laevis          | NSH   | Medium | 13.3  | 30.1   | 2.1 Lg. inc.      | Sm. inc.        | High    | Rare     | Good      | Good      |                   | 1 24  |
| pond pine                  | Pinus serotina          | NSH   | Medium | 2.8   | 28.5   |                   | No change       | Low     | Rare     | Very Poor | Very Poor |                   | 0 25  |
| longleaf pine              | Pinus palustris         | NSH   | Medium | 8.6   |        |                   | Lg. inc.        | Medium  | Rare     | Good      | Good      |                   | 1 26  |
| pignut hickory             | Carya glabra            | WDL   | Medium | 7.8   | 24.2   | 1.1 Sm. dec.      | Sm. dec.        | Medium  | Rare     | Very Poor | Very Poor |                   | 0 27  |
| swamp chestnut oak         | Quercus michauxii       | NSL   | Low    | 1.9   | 23.1   | 5.6 Sm. dec.      | Sm. dec.        | Medium  | Rare     | Very Poor | Very Poor |                   | 0 28  |
| blackgum                   | Nyssa sylvatica         | WDL   | Medium | 11.7  | 21.3   | 0.7 Lg. inc.      | Lg. inc.        | High    | Rare     | Good      | Good      |                   | 1 29  |
| white ash                  | Fraxinus americana      | WDL   | Medium | 2.8   | 20.4   | 7.2 Sm. dec.      | Lg. dec.        | Low     | Rare     | Very Poor | Very Poor |                   | 0 30  |
| American holly             | llex opaca              | NSL   | Medium | 4.2   | 20.3   | 3.2 Sm. dec.      | Sm. dec.        | Medium  | Rare     | Very Poor | Very Poor |                   | 0 31  |
| common persimmon           | Diospyros virginiana    | NSL   | Low    | 15.6  | 20.3   | 0.5 Lg. dec.      | Lg. dec.        | High    | Rare     | Poor      | Poor      |                   | 1 32  |
| black cherry               | Prunus serotina         | WDL   | Medium | 7.3   | 18.8   | 1.0 No change     | No change       | Low     | Rare     | Very Poor | Very Poor |                   | 0 33  |
| red mulberry               | Morus rubra             | NSL   | Low    | 1.4   | 13.3   |                   | Sm. dec.        | Medium  | Rare     | Very Poor | Very Poor |                   | 0 34  |
| slippery elm               | Ulmus rubra             | WSL   | Low    | 3.8   | 8.7    | 1.1 Sm. dec.      | Lg. dec.        | Medium  | Rare     | Very Poor | Very Poor |                   | 0 35  |
| winged elm                 | Ulmus alata             | WDL   | Medium | 6.1   | 7.9    | 0.6 Lg. dec.      | Sm. dec.        | Medium  | Rare     | Very Poor | Very Poor |                   | 0 36  |
| hackberry                  | Celtis occidentalis     | WDH   | Medium | 5.4   | 7.9    | 1.4 Sm. dec.      | Sm. dec.        | High    | Rare     | Poor      | Poor      |                   | 0 37  |
| black willow               | Salix nigra             | NSH   | Low    | 5.6   | 7.5    | 1.3 Sm. dec.      | Lg. dec.        | Low     | Rare     | Very Poor | Very Poor |                   | 0 38  |
| mockernut hickory          | Carya alba              | WDL   | Medium | 8.8   | 6.9    | 0.5 Lg. dec.      | Very Lg. dec.   | High    | Rare     | Poor      | Lost      |                   | 1 39  |
| bluejack oak               | Quercus incana          | NSL   | Low    | 7.8   | 6.4    | 0.7 Very Lg. dec. |                 | Medium  | Rare     | Lost      | Lost      |                   | 0 40  |
| southern red oak           | Quercus falcata         | WDL   | Medium | 1.3   |        | , ,               | Sm. dec.        | High    | Rare     | Poor      | Poor      | Infill +          | 2 41  |
| post oak                   | Quercus stellata        | WDH   | High   | 1.3   |        | •                 |                 | High    | Rare     | Lost      | Good      |                   | 2 42  |
| flowering dogwood          | Cornus florida          | WDL   | Medium | 6.7   |        |                   |                 | Medium  |          | Lost      | Lost      |                   | 0 43  |
| eastern hophornbeam; irony |                         | WSL   | Low    | 1.9   |        | , 0               | Sm. dec.        | High    | Rare     | Poor      | Poor      |                   | 0 44  |
| river birch                | Betula nigra            | NSL   | Low    | 1.4   |        |                   | No change       | Medium  |          | Poor      | Poor      |                   | 0 45  |
| black locust               | Robinia pseudoacacia    | NDH   | Low    | 2.8   |        |                   | Lg. dec.        | Medium  | Rare     | Very Poor | Very Poor |                   | 0 46  |
| water elm                  | Planera aquatica        | NSL   | Low    | 2.8   |        |                   | · ·             |         |          | Lost      | Lost      |                   | 0 47  |
|                            | acra aquatica           | 1432  |        | 2.0   | 1.0    | 0.0 very 15. dec. | . 51 y Lg. acc. | caiaiii |          | _330      | _550      |                   | 5     |



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|----------------------|------------------------|-------|--------|-------|--------|----------------|-------------|--------|---------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|-------|
| sugarberry           | Celtis laevigata       | NDH   | Medium | 2.8   | 0.9    | 0.3 Lg. inc.   | Lg. inc.    | Medium | Rare    | Good        | Good        |                 | 2 48  |
| eastern redbud       | Cercis canadensis      | NSL   | Low    | 2.8   | 0.8    | 0.3 Sm. dec.   | Lg. dec.    | Medium | Rare    | Very Poor   | Very Poor   |                 | 0 49  |
| Atlantic white-cedar | Chamaecyparis thyoides | NSH   | Low    | 0     | 0      | 0 New Habitat  | New Habitat | Low    | Absent  | New Habitat | New Habitat |                 | 3 50  |
| shortleaf pine       | Pinus echinata         | WDH   | High   | 0     | 0      | 0 New Habitat  | New Habitat | Medium | Absent  | New Habitat | New Habitat | Migrate +       | 3 51  |
| spruce pine          | Pinus glabra           | NSL   | Low    | 0     | 0      | 0 Unknown      | Unknown     | Medium | Modeled | Unknown     | Unknown     |                 | 0 52  |
| striped maple        | Acer pensylvanicum     | NSL   | Medium | 0     | 0      | 0 Unknown      | Unknown     | Medium | Absent  | Unknown     | Unknown     |                 | 0 53  |
| pawpaw               | Asimina triloba        | NSL   | Low    | 0     | 0      | 0 Unknown      | Unknown     | Medium | Absent  | Unknown     | Unknown     |                 | 0 54  |
| shagbark hickory     | Carya ovata            | WSL   | Medium | 0     | 0      | 0 Unknown      | Unknown     | Medium | Absent  | Unknown     | Unknown     |                 | 0 55  |
| American beech       | Fagus grandifolia      | WDH   | High   | 0     | 0      | 0 Unknown      | Unknown     | Medium | Modeled | Unknown     | Unknown     |                 | 0 56  |
| silverbell           | Halesia spp.           | NSL   | Low    | 0     | 0      | 0 Unknown      | Unknown     | Medium | Absent  | Unknown     | Unknown     |                 | 0 57  |
| Osage-orange         | Maclura pomifera       | NDH   | Medium | 0     | 0      | 0 Unknown      | Unknown     | High   | Absent  | Unknown     | Unknown     |                 | 0 58  |
| bigleaf magnolia     | Magnolia macrophylla   | NSL   | Low    | 0     | 0      | 0 Unknown      | Unknown     | Medium | Absent  | Unknown     | Unknown     |                 | 0 59  |
| sourwood             | Oxydendrum arboreum    | NDL   | High   | 0     | 0      | 0 Unknown      | Unknown     | High   | Absent  | Unknown     | Unknown     |                 | 0 60  |
| overcup oak          | Quercus lyrata         | NSL   | Medium | 0     | 0      | 0 Unknown      | Unknown     | Low    | Modeled | Unknown     | Unknown     |                 | 0 61  |
| nuttall oak          | Quercus texana         | NSH   | Medium | 0     | 0      | 0 Unknown      | Unknown     | High   | Absent  | Unknown     | Unknown     |                 | 0 62  |
| American basswood    | Tilia americana        | WSL   | Medium | 0     | 0      | 0 Unknown      | Unknown     | Medium | Absent  | Unknown     | Unknown     |                 | 0 63  |
| cedar elm            | Ulmus crassifolia      | NDH   | Medium | 0     | 0      | 0 New Habitat  | New Habitat | Low    | Absent  | New Habitat | New Habitat | Migrate +       | 3 64  |

