



# GRADING KEY - Tree Identification Contest #1

## For Coastal Plain and Eastern Piedmont Counties of Virginia



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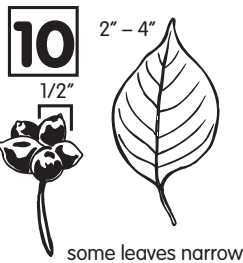
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### Instructions

The proper tree numbers have been placed in the boxes for grading Tree Identification Contest #1, VCE Publication 420-066.

**11**

4" - 9" wide



**10**

2" - 4"

1/2"

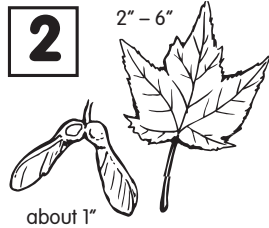
some leaves narrow

1. Loblolly Pine
2. Red Maple
3. Slippery Elm
4. White Oak
5. Sassafras
6. American Holly
7. American Beech
8. Sweetgum

9. Tulip Tree
10. Flowering Dogwood
11. Sycamore
12. Hickory
13. Black Willow
14. Northern Red Oak
15. Shortleaf Pine
16. Blackgum

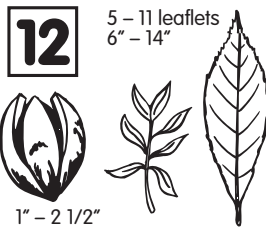
**14**

5" - 9"



**2**

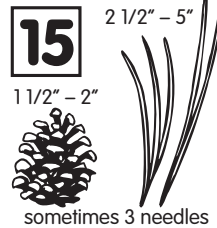
2" - 6"



**12**

5 - 11 leaflets  
6" - 14"

1" - 2 1/2"



**15**

2 1/2" - 5"

1 1/2" - 2"

sometimes 3 needles

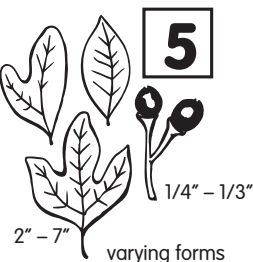
**13**

1/8" capsules



1 1/2"

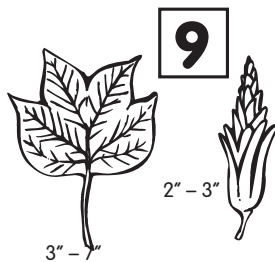
2" - 6"



**5**

2" - 7"

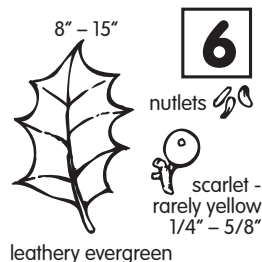
varying forms



**9**

2" - 3"

3" - 7"



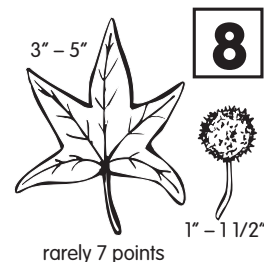
**6**

8" - 15"

scarlet - rarely yellow

1/4" - 5/8"

leathery evergreen



**8**

3" - 5"

rarely 7 points

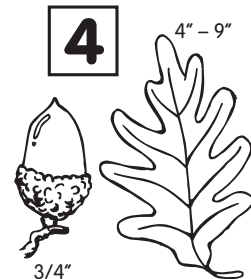
1" - 1 1/2"



**3**

1/2" - 3/4"

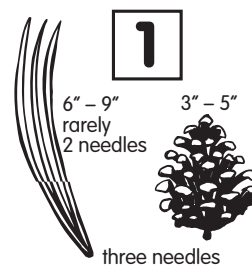
5" - 8"



**4**

4" - 9"

3/4"

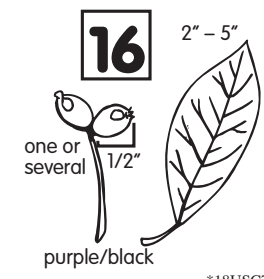


**1**

6" - 9" rarely 2 needles

3" - 5"

three needles



**16**

2" - 5"

purple/black

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