

WHITE OAK (Quercus alba)

The White Oak is a slow growing, long-lived native hardwood with 5-9 rounded lobes per leaf. Attaining heights of 80' to 100' with a trunk of 3' for more in diameter, it prefers well-drained clay to loam sand with full sunlight. The White Oak's sweet acorns are preferred by wildlife. Valuable for timber production; the wood is heavy and strong and used for furniture, veneer and barrels.