



Botanical Name:	<i>Quercus shumardii</i> (KWERK -us shoo-MAR-dee-eye)
Common Name(s):	Shumard Oak, Spotted Oak, Swamp Oak
Height:	60' to 90'
Form, branches, twigs	Oval or round open crown. Gray smooth bark that becomes darker gray and slightly furrowed into ridges
Fruit/Seed:	Acorns 5/8" – 1 1/8" long with a shallow cap with tightly overlapping blunt scales
Leaves:	Deeply lobed (nearly to mid-vein) into 5-9 (3"-7" by 2 1/2"-5") lobes. Elliptical-almost shiny dark green, hairy above, slightly shiny or dull green below with tufts of hairs in vein angles. Fall colors: red or brown
Habitat:	Full sun, drought tolerant, moist well-drained loamy soil, tolerates flood plain but not flooding, dry ridges and limestone hills.

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