## You found a silver maple!

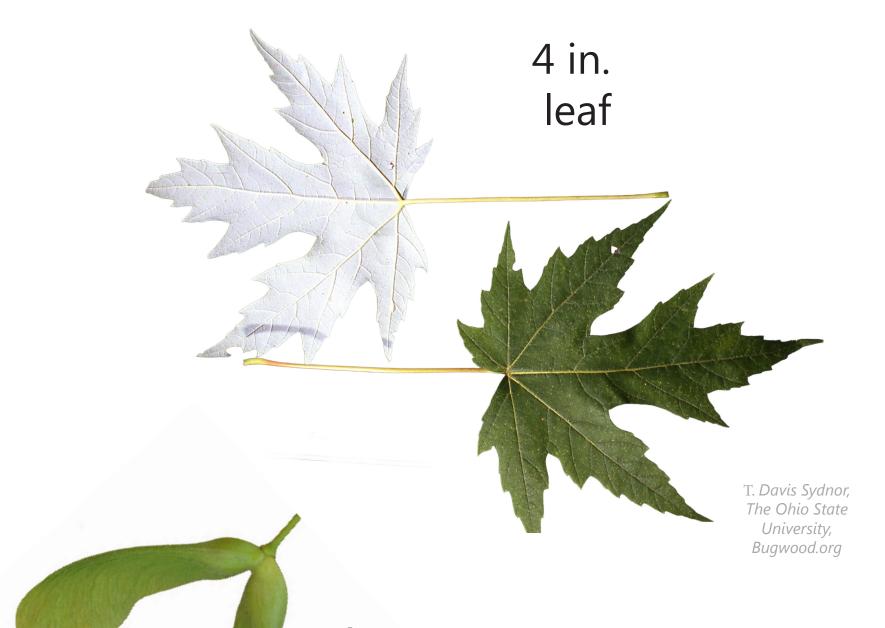




Scientific name: Acer saccharinum

Fastest growing native maple, at up to 2 ft per year!

Common name comes from silvery underside of leaves



Largest **samaras** (winged seeds) of any native maple

Cavities in the softwood make ideal nesting habitats for mammals

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Over 20 years, one healthy silver maple\* will capture

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\*of 20" trunk diameter



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8,738 car miles of CO<sub>2</sub>,



the weight of **59**smartphones in air
pollution,



and **697 bathtubs of stormwater!** 









