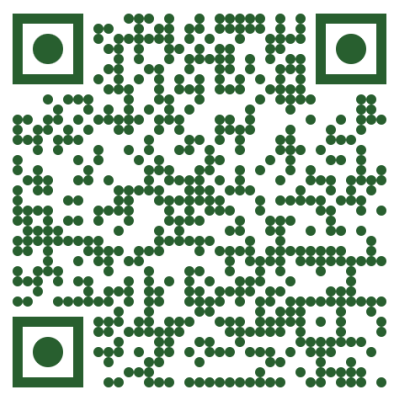


You found a Northern red oak!

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Scientific name: *Quercus rubra*

Leaves turn **bright red** in fall, making it a popular choice for parks and yards



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7 in. leaf



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1 to 1 ¼
in. acorn



Acorns

are smooth with
a round cap



Bark has shiny
gray vertical **ridges**
(sometimes called
"**ski tracks**")

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Wood is
dense and
durable making it
ideal for **carpentry**

Over 20 years, one healthy northern red oak* will capture

**of 20" trunk diameter*



13,610 car miles
of CO₂,



the weight of **72**
smartphones in air
pollution,



and **825**
bathtubs of
stormwater!



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