

List of Champion trees in Missouri

(Furnished by Kendall Laughlin, 165 Pine Ave., Chicago, Ill.)

Scientific Name	Owner	Location	County	Circumference*	Height
<i>Taxodium distichum</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	22'8"	—
<i>Salix nigra</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	8'9"	—
<i>Populus deltoides</i>	State	Pershing State Park	Linn	19'1"	81'
† <i>Populus heterophylla</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	5'8"	74'
<i>Juglans nigra</i>	City	Hyde Park, St. Joseph	Buchanan	9'3"	—
<i>Carya cordiformis</i> f. <i>cordiformis</i>	Elmer W. Ahmann	413 N. Chrysler, Independence	Jackson	9'7"	—
† <i>Carya cordiformis</i> f. <i>latifolia</i>	Della P. McColgan	Stoddard near Catalpa, Dexter	Stoddard	9'5"	90'
<i>Carya illinoensis</i>	Handy and Bill Moore	Sec. 34, T 24 N, R 16 E	Mississippi	20'10"	—
† <i>Carya laciniosa</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	12'10"	101'
<i>Carya ovata</i>	City	Hyde Park, St. Joseph	Buchanan	6'	—
<i>Carya tomentosa</i>	City	Forest Park	St. Louis	7'3"	62'
<i>Carya texana</i> var. <i>texana</i>	City	Swope Park, Kansas City	Jackson	5'9"	55'
<i>Carpinus caroliniana</i>	State	Big Spring State Park	Carter	3'11"	—
<i>Betula nigra</i>	State	Pershing State Park	Linn	8'	—
<i>Castanea ozarkensis</i>	State	Roaring River State Park	Barry	6'2"	—
<i>Quercus alba</i>	Same as location	Elmwood Cemetery, Kansas City	Jackson	11'8"	—
† <i>Quercus</i> × <i>bebbiana</i>	City	Forest Park	St. Louis	7'8"	62'
<i>Quercus stellata</i>	Mrs. Edith L. Camp	Sassafras near St. Francis, Dexter	Stoddard	10'2"	—
	City	Elm near Vine, Dexter	Stoddard	10'2"	—
<i>Quercus lyrata</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	11'11"	—
<i>Quercus macrocarpa</i> ¹	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	17'7"	127'
<i>Quercus bicolor</i>	City	Forest Park	St. Louis	11'7"	65'
<i>Quercus Michauxii</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	19'11"	126'
<i>Quercus prinoides</i> var. <i>acuminata</i>	Charles F. Curry	Eastwood Hills, Kansas City	Jackson	12'4"	—
<i>Quercus prinoides</i> var. <i>prinoides</i>	City	Swope Park, Kansas City	Jackson	1'2"	—
<i>Quercus rubra</i>	Same as location	Elmwood Cemetery, Kansas City	Jackson	12'11"	—
<i>Quercus palustris</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	13'5"	—
† <i>Quercus</i> × <i>mutabilis</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	10'9"	131'
<i>Quercus coccinea</i> var. <i>tuberculata</i>	Dr. A. L. May	Cynthia St., Poplar Bluff	Butler	6'8"	—

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<i>Quercus Shumardii</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	13'3"	—
<i>Quercus velutina</i>	City	Hyde Park, St. Joseph	Buchanan	12'10"	—
† <i>Quercus velutina</i> f. <i>missouriensis</i>	City	Hyde Park, St. Joseph	Buchanan	11'6"	62'
<i>Quercus falcata</i> var. <i>falcata</i>	Grace Danforth	105 Danforth St., Charleston	Mississippi	14'10"	79'
<i>Quercus falcata</i> var. <i>pagodaefolia</i>	Laura Dawson	Dawson Rd., New Madrid	New Madrid	18'11"	109'
<i>Quercus marilandica</i>	T. R. Seifert	815 N. Main St., Poplar Bluff	Butler	7'11"	—
† <i>Quercus</i> × <i>Bushii</i>	City	Forest Park	St. Louis	8'7"	67'
† <i>Quercus imbricaria</i>	Laura Dawson	Dawson Rd., New Madrid	New Madrid	11'2"	92'
<i>Quercus</i> × <i>runcinata</i>	State	Van Meter State Park	Saline	7'11"	46'
† <i>Quercus</i> × <i>leana</i>	Ada Maupin	5607 E. 23rd St., Kansas City	Jackson	9'3"	68'
<i>Quercus</i> × <i>tridentata</i>	May V. Robertson	S. of Swope Park, Kansas City	Jackson	2'4"	—
<i>Quercus Phellos</i>	Viverette Lee	601 E. Cypress, Charleston	Mississippi	10'3"	84'
<i>Ulmus americana</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	21'7"	—
† <i>Ulmus Thomasi</i>	City	Swope Park, Kansas City	Jackson	10'11"	99'
† <i>Planera aquatica</i>	Lee O'Reilly	Sec. 9, T 23 N, R 16 E	Mississippi	2'8"	26'
<i>Celtis occidentalis</i> var. <i>occidentalis</i>	J. Abner Beck	507 S. Main St., Charleston	Mississippi	12'10"	83'
<i>Celtis occidentalis</i> var. <i>canina</i>	City	Swope Park, Kansas City	Jackson	10'5"	65'
<i>Celtis laevigata</i>	Max Friedman	903 E. Commercial St., Charleston	Mississippi	9'8"	58'
<i>Morus rubra</i>	Miss A. L. Thrower	26-28 S. Mulberry St., Dexter	Stoddard	8'	—
<i>Maclura pomifera</i>	Laura Dawson	Dawson Rd., New Madrid	New Madrid	8'3"	—
<i>Asimina triloba</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	1'8"	—
<i>Sassafras albidum</i>	—	South of Co. Highway P	New Madrid	9'9"	—
† <i>Liquidambar styraciflua</i> ²	Laura Dawson	Dawson Rd., New Madrid	New Madrid	16'11"	112'
<i>Platanus occidentalis</i> ³	Estate of W. F. Wilkinson <i>et al.</i>	89th & Olive, Kansas City	Jackson	16'2"	109'
† <i>Pyrus coronaria</i> var. <i>lancifolia</i>	City	Blue Valley Park, Kansas City	Jackson	1'10"	25'
<i>Pyrus ioensis</i>	City	Blue Valley Park, Kansas City	Jackson	1'10"	30'
<i>Crataegus crus-galli</i> ⁴	City	Swope Park, Kansas City	Jackson	1'10"	—
<i>Crataegus mollis</i>	City	Swope Park, Kansas City	Jackson	4'5"	27'
<i>Prunus serotina</i>	Nathan B. Baraban	5925 State Line, Kansas City	Jackson	9'1"	—
<i>Gymnocladus dioica</i>	James P. Reed	1054 W. 55th St., Kansas City	Jackson	9'10"	—
<i>Gleditsia triacanthos</i>	City	Loose Park, Kansas City	Jackson	14'4"	71'
† <i>Gleditsia triacanthos</i> f. <i>inermis</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	11'2"	118'
† <i>Gleditsia aquatica</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	4'7"	88'
<i>Cercis canadensis</i>	City	Union Cemetery, Kansas City	Jackson	3'3"	—
† <i>Ilex decidua</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	1'1"	20'
† <i>Acer rubrum</i> var. <i>Drummondii</i>	Vernon Cresson	St. Francis River W. of Kennett	Dunklin	6'5"	52'
<i>Acer nigrum</i>	Same as location	Elms Hotel, Excelsior Springs	Clay	7'4"	77'
<i>Acer saccharinum</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	17'11"	—
<i>Acer saccharum</i>	City	Hyde Park, St. Joseph	Buchanan	6'11"	—
<i>Acer Negundo</i>	City	Brush Creek east of state line, Kansas City	Jackson	8'7"	—
* <i>Aesculus glabra</i> var. <i>arguta</i>	Same as location	Elms Hotel, Excelsior Springs	Clay	4'7"	48'
<i>Tilia americana</i>	City	Krug Park, St. Joseph	Buchanan	10'3"	—
<i>Nyssa aquatica</i> ²	Vernon Cresson	St. Francis River W. of Kennett	Dunklin	4'10"	54'
<i>Nyssa sylvatica</i>	City	11 E. Market St., Dexter	Stoddard	9'9"	—
† <i>Cornus Drummondii</i>	Same as location	Mt. Washington Cemetery	Jackson	1'2"	24'

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<i>Bumelia lanuginosa</i> var. <i>albicans</i>	State	Meramec State Park	Franklin	2'8"	26'
<i>Diospyros virginiana</i>	City	Carondelet Park	St. Louis	6'10"	—
<i>Fraxinus americana</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	10'4"	—
† <i>Fraxinus tomentosa</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	13'	100'
† <i>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</i> var. <i>lanceolata</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	14'5"	105'
† <i>Forestiera acuminata</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	2'1"	28'
<i>Catalpa speciosa</i>	Della P. McColgan	Stoddard near Catalpa, Dexter	Stoddard	13'10"	—
<i>Viburnum prunifolium</i> L.	City	Swope Park, Kansas City	Jackson	11"	19'
† <i>Viburnum rufidulum</i>	State	Big Oak Tree State Park	Mississippi	2'2"	23'

* Measured at 54 inches above the ground.
 † This is the largest tree of its kind in the United States.
¹ Measured jointly with Robert E. McDermott, Roy H. Degler, and Richard Holecamp.
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³ Measured jointly with Stanley R. McLane.
⁴ With yellow anthers.

