

Lichen Test Study Guide

Field Ecology

1. What is a lichen?
2. Which lichen is *Lobaria*, and what about it is unique among the lichens we looked at?
3. What are a few common human (or animal) uses of lichens?
4. How can we distinguish between pollution-tolerant lichens and other lichens?
5. What were the results of your WITRB study? (You don't have to have your data memorized, but you should be able to answer our question in a general sense.)
6. What did we learn from the AQ index website? (What does our data show and how can we interpret it?)
7. When scientists answer a question by collecting data, what can they then do with their answer?
8. What can lichens tell us about air quality, and why?