Class: Southern Dry Savanna UPs14

Type: Dry Barrens Oak Savanna (Southern) UPs14a

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Genus	Species		Subspecies	Author	Author	Common Name	Status	³ Freq	⁴ Abund	⁵ Index
Canopy Trees (>10 m)									
Quercus	ellipsoidalis			E. J. Hill		Northern pin oak		8	15	120
Quercus	macrocarpa			Michx.		Bur oak		8	15	120
Understory Tre	ees									
Quercus	macrocarpa			Michx.		Bur oak		83	26	2158
Quercus	ellipsoidalis			E. J. Hill		Northern pin oak		67	21	1407
Prunus	serotina			Ehrh.		Black cherry		17	3	51
Juniperus	virginiana			L.		Red cedar		25	2	50
Pinus	banksiana			Lamb.		Jack pine		8	5	40
Populus	tremuloides			Michx.		Quaking aspen		8	1	8
Shrubs										
Rhus	glabra			L.		Smooth sumac		33	10	330
Prunus	virginiana			L.		Chokecherry		50	5	250
Corylus	americana			Walt.		American hazelnut		42	3	126
Amelanchier	cmx.					Juneberry		33	3	99
Rosa	arkansana			Porter		Prairie rose		33	3	99
Zanthoxylum	americanum			Mill.		Prickly ash		25	3	75
Prunus	pumila			L.		Sand cherry		17	4	68
Salix	humilis			Marsh.		Prairie willow		17	3	51
Amelanchier	laevis			Wieg.		Smooth juneberry		8	3	24
Cornus	sericea			L.		Red-osier dogwood		8	3	24
Prunus	americana			Marsh.		Wild plum		8	3	24
Low Shrubs										
Amorpha	canescens			Pursh		Lead-plant		67	6	402
Toxicodendron	rydbergii			(Small) Greene		Poison ivy		25	3	75
Artemisia	frigida			Willd.		Prairie sagewort		8		24
Rubus	idaeus	var.	strigosus	L.	(Michx.) Maxim	Red raspberry		8		24
Vines						, , , , , ,			-	
Parthenocissus	cmx.					Virginia creeper		50	3	150
Vitis	riparia			Michx.		Wild grape		25		50
Forbs	•									
Ambrosia	psilostachya			DC		Western ragweed		92	10	920
Solidago	nemoralis			Ait.		Gray goldenrod		83		415
Artemisia	ludoviciana			Nutt.		Western mugwort		75		375

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Lithospermum	caroliniense	ssp.	croceum	(Walt.) MacM.	(Fern.) Cusick	Hairy puccoon		92	3	270
Helianthemum	bicknellii	1		Fern.		Hoary frostweed		67		
Smilacina	stellata			(L.) Desf.		Starry false Solomon's-seal		42		
Chrysopsis	villosa	var.	villosa	(Pursh) Nutt.		Prairie golden aster		67		
Asclepias	syriaca			L.		Common milkweed		33		
F				(Nutt.)						
Dalea	villosa	var.	villosa	Sprengel.		Silky prairie-clover		33	6	198
Conyza	canadensis			(L.) Cronq.		Horseweed		67	3	20
Penstemon	grandiflorus			Nutt.		Large-flowered beard-tongue		50	3	150
Physalis	virginiana			Mill.		Ground-cherry		67	3	20
Viola	pedatifida			G. Don		Prairie bird-foot violet		50	3	150
Euphorbia	glyptosperma			Engelm.		Ridge-seeded spurge		33	4	133
Solidago	missouriensis			Nutt.		Missouri goldenrod		33	4	133
Dalea	purpurea	var.	purpurea	Vent.		Purple prairie-clover		50	3	150
Polygonum	tenue			Michx.		Slender knotweed		42	3	120
Comandra	umbellata			(L.) Nutt.		Bastard toad-flax		42	3	120
Phlox	pilosa	ssp.	fulgida	L.	Wherry	Prairie phlox		8	15	120
Anemone	cylindrica			Gray		Long-headed thimbleweed		50	2	100
Liatris	aspera			Michx.		Rough blazing star		42	3	120
Smilax	cmx.					Carrion-flower		42	3	120
Solidago	speciosa			Nutt.		Showy goldenrod		33	3	99
Aster	ericoides			L.		Heath aster		33	3	9
Aster	oolentangiensis			Riddell		Sky-blue aster		33	3	9
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Mirabilis	hirsuta			(Pursh) MacM.		Hairy four-o'clock		33		
Coreopsis	palmata			Nutt.		Stiff tickseed		33		
Chenopodium	desiccatum			Nels.		Narrow-leaved lamb's quarters		33		
Tradescantia	occidentalis			(Britt.) Smyth		Western spiderwort		33		
Rudbeckia	hirta	var.	pulcherrima	L.	Farw.	Black-eyed Susan		25		
Hedeoma	hispida	_		Pursh		Mock pennyroyal		25		
Asclepias	tuberosa	_		L.		Butterfly-weed		25		
Fragaria	virginiana			Duchesne		Common strawberry		17		-
Helianthus	pauciflorus	var.	pauciflorus	Nutt.		Stiff sunflower		25		
Lechea	stricta			Leggett		Prairie pinweed		25		
Lepidium	densiflorum			Schrad.		Green-flowered pepper-grass		42	1	4

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Gnaphalium	obtusifolium			L.		Sweet everlasting		17	3	51
Ranunculus	rhomboideus			Goldie		Prairie buttercup		17	3	51
Achillea	millefolium			L.		Yarrow		17	3	51

Potentilla	arguta			Pursh		Tall cinquefoil	1	7	3	51
Lithospermum	canescens			(Michx.) Lehm.		Hoary puccoon	3	3	2	66
Polygonatum	biflorum			(Walter) Elliott		Giant Solomon's-seal	1	7	3	51
Physalis	heterophylla			Nees		Clammy ground-cherry		8	5	40
Linaria	canadensis			(L.) Dum.		Blue toadflax		8	5	40
Oenothera	biennis			L.		Common evening-primrose	1	7	2	34
Asclepias	viridiflora			Raf.		Green milkweed	1	7	2	34
Scutellaria	leonardi			Epling		Leonard's skullcap	1	7	2	34
Arabis	divaricarpa			Nels.		Spreading rock-cress	1	7	2	34
Plantago	patagonica			Jacq.		Pursh's plantain	1	7	2	34
Amphicarpaea	bracteata			(L.) Fern.		Hog-peanut		8	3	24
Polygala	polygama	var.	obtusata	Walt.	Chodat	Racemed milkwort		8	3	24
Lathyrus	venosus	var.	intonsus	Muhl. ex Willd.	Butt. & St. John	Veiny pea		8	3	24
Euthamia	graminifolia			(L.) Nutt.		Grass-leaved goldenrod		8	3	24
Froelichia	floridana	var.	campestris	(Nutt.) Moq.	(Small) Fern.	Prairie cottonweed		8	3	24
Erigeron	strigosus			Muhl.		Daisy fleabane		8	3	24
Erigeron	annuus			(L.) Pers.		Annual fleabane		8	3	24
Linum	sulcatum			Riddell		Grooved yellow flax		8	3	24
Lespedeza	capitata			Michx.		Round-headed bush-clover		8	3	24
Penstemon	gracilis			Nutt.		Slender beard-tongue		8	3	24
Cerastium	arvense			L.		Field chickweed		8	3	24
Solidago	rigida			L.		Stiff goldenrod		8	3	24
Sisyrinchium	campestre			Bickn.		Field blue-eyed grass		8	3	24
Silene	antirrhina			L.		Sleepy catchfly		8	3	24
Artemisia	campestris			L.		Tall wormwood		8	3	24
Polygonella	articulata			(L.) Meisn.		Coast jointweed		8	3	24
Asclepias	ovalifolia			Dene.		Oval-leaved milkweed		8	3	24
Solidago	gigantea			Ait.		Giant goldenrod		8	3	24
Antennaria	spp.					Pussytoes		8	3	24

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Geum	triflorum		Pursh		Prairie smoke		17	1	17
			(Muhl.)						
Cirsium	discolor		Spreng.		Field thistle		8	1	8
Euphorbia	geyeri		Engelm.		Geyer's spurge		8	1	8
Artemisia	dracunculus		L.		Tarragon		8	1	8

Grasses, Rushe	es and Sedges					
Stipa	spartea	Trin.	Porcupine-grass	100	11	1100
Sorghastrum	nutans	(L.) Nash	Indian grass	50	17	850
Carex	siccata	Dewey	Hay sedge	42	18	756
Andropogon	gerardii	Vitman	Big bluestem	67	7	469
Schizachyrium	scoparium	(Michx.) Nash	Little bluestem	67	7	469
Koeleria	pyramidata	(Lam.) P. Beauv.	June-grass	75	5	375
Calamovilfa	longifolia	(Hook.) Scribn.	Sand reed-grass	58	7	406
Carex	muhlenbergii	Schkuhr ex Willd.	Muhlenberg's sedge	50	7	350
Panicum	oligosanthes	Schultes	Few-flowered panic grass	33	9	297
Cyperus	schweinitzii	Torr.	Schweinitz' cyperus	75	4	300
		(Schultes)				
Leptoloma	cognatum	Chase	Fall witch grass	33	7	231
Carex	pensylvanica	Lam.	Pennsylvania sedge	33	7	231
Panicum	virgatum	L.	Switchgrass	50	4	200
Bouteloua	hirsuta	Lag.	Hairy grama	58	3	174
Eragrostis	spectabilis	(Pursh) Steud.	Purple lovegrass	67	3	201
Sporobolus	cryptandrus	(Torr.) Gray	Sand dropseed	42	4	168
Panicum	perlongum	Nash	Long-leaved panic grass	33	4	132
Cyperus	lupulinus	(Spreng.) Marcks	Hop-like cyperus	42	3	126
Aristida	basiramea	Engelm.	Base-branched three-awn	25	4	100
Panicum	lanuginosum	Ell.	Hairy panic grass	25	3	75
Sporobolus	heterolepis	(Gray) Gray	Prairie dropseed	17	3	51
Panicum	linearifolium	Scribn.	Linear-leaved panic grass	8	5	40
Panicum	commonsianum	Ashe	White-haired panic grass	8	5	40

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Vulpia	octoflora	var.	glauca	(Walt.) Rydb.	(Nutt.) Fern.	Eight-week fescue		8	3	2
				(Willd.)						
Agrostis	hyemalis	var.	scabra	Blomq.		Rough bent-grass		8		
Cenchrus	longispinus			(Hackel) Fern.		Sandbur		8	3	2
Bouteloua	curtipendula			(Michx.) Torr.		Side-oats grama		8	3	2.
Carex	pensylvanica	var.	digyna	Lam.	Boeckeler	Sunshine sedge		8	3	2.
				Schkuhr ex						
Carex	umbellata			Willd.		Umbel sedge		8	3	2
Panicum	capillare			L.		Witch grass		8	1	
Paspalum	setaceum			Michx.		Hairy beadgrass				
Ferns and Fer	n Allies									
Selaginella	rupestris			(L.) Spring		Rock spikemoss		42	8	33
Equisetum	hyemale	var.	affine	L.	(Engelm.) A. A. Eat.	Tall scouring-rush		8	3	2
Equisetum	laevigatum			A. Br.		Smooth scouring-rush		8	3	2
Botrychium	multifidum			(S. G. Gmel.) Rupr.		Leathery grapefern		8	1	
Exotic Invasiv	e Species - Do Not	Plant								
Poa	pratensis			L.		Kentucky bluegrass		50	13	65
Mollugo	verticillata			L.		Carpet-weed		25	4	10
Lonicera	tatarica			L.		Tartarian Honeysuckle		25	2	5
Asparagus	officinalis			L.		Asparagus		17	3	5
Potentilla	argentea			L.		Silvery cinquefoil		8	5	4
Berteroa	incana			(L.) DC.		Hoary alyssum		8	5	4
Tragopogon	dubius			Scop.		Yellow goat's-beard		17	2	
Rhamnus	cathartica			L.		Common buckthorn		8	3	
Rumex	acetosella			L.		Red sorrel		8		2
Bromus	tectorum			L.		Cheatgrass		8		
Poa	compressa			L.		Canada bluegrass		8		
Bromus	inermis			Leyss.		Smooth brome		8		
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Aristida	tuberculosa			Nutt.		Sea-beach needle-grass	SC	8	5	4

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²Rarity Status: State-listed rare species. E - Endangered, T - Threatened, SC - Special Concern

³Frequency: Number of releve plots in which species occurs divided by total number of releve plots, multiplied by 100

⁴Abundance: Average percent cover of species within the community. It is most appropriate to interpret each value as a cover class similar to those used for original data collection (see text of report for more details)

⁵Index of Commonness: Frequency multiplied by Abundance