

## For 274: Forest Measurements and Inventory

### Lab 1: Walk in the Woods & Species ID

Objectives of this laboratory exercise:

- Recognize several species that you will commonly encounter in forestry
- Become familiar with the Blodgett Track outdoor teaching forest
- Be familiar with the scientific names and the 4-letter codes
- Learn good data recording practices

**Location:** Meet at **gold gravel parking lot**, beside power plant  
We will drive to Blodgett Track (20 minute drive) in 2 vehicles.

#### Materials and Supplies:

- Hard Hat (must be worn at all times)
- Clipboard
- Pencils

#### Provided Materials and Supplies:

- White Cards
- Scotch Tape

#### Task #1:

For each of the identified species we encounter tape a sample of each species to the card and fill out the following information:

- The common name of the species
- The scientific name of the species
- The 4-letter scientific code for the species

**Task #2:** Fill out the following table:

<b>Examiner:</b>				
<b>Location:</b>				
<b>Notes:</b>				
<b>ID</b>	<b>Species: Code</b>	<b>Species: Scientific Name</b>	<b>Species: Common Name</b>	<b>Tree Status</b>

