

Cardome Historic Centre

800 Cincinnati Rd, Georgetown, KY



Background

Cardome Historic Centre has been an important part of Georgetown's history and community since 1821, promoting the arts and education, and cultivating a sense of community. The site features many amazing, mature trees, such as the large ginkgo found east of the main building and healthy examples of other tree species. Each tree works to benefit the ecosystem and people who visit the Centre. In June 2022, the University of Kentucky Urban Forest Initiative (UFI) team mapped and measured trees at Cardome.

It is recommended that no more than 10% of any one species, 20% of any one genus, and 30% of any one family make up a location's canopy.

About the trees

193 trees, 37 species

Size Diversity



There are many large trees, but not many smaller trees. Planting young trees will help replace the large, aging trees that will die over time.

Species Diversity



Tree diversity is fair, but the number of red maple (>20% of the total) slightly exceeds recommendations. As more trees are planted, efforts should be made to promote native tree diversity.

Overall health



The Cardome Centre trees are in good health, which helps provide numerous benefits (e.g. stormwater mitigation, cooling shade, aesthetics).



| Tree species | # of trees | % total |
|----------------|------------|---------|
| red maple | 41 | 21% |
| white ash | 31 | 16% |
| sugar maple | 15 | 8% |
| Norway spruce | 12 | 6% |
| tree of heaven | 11 | 6% |
| other | 83 | 43% |
| total | 193 | 100% |

These trees annually provide...

103,216

3,503

7,137

\$1,966

gallons of stormwater capture

ounces of pollution removal

pounds of carbon sequestration

annual monetary benefits

Georgetown Cemetery

710 S Broadway Street, Georgetown, KY



Background

Georgetown Cemetery, incorporated in 1850, is the resting place of historic Georgetown figures. In June 2022, the University of Kentucky Urban Forest Initiative (UFI) team mapped trees at Georgetown Cemetery.

It is recommended that no more than 10% of any one species, 20% of any one genus, and 30% of any one family make up a location's canopy.

About the trees

266 trees, 57 species

Overall health



The majority of trees are in good health. Unfortunately, there are also many in poor health, and a few are dead or dying.

Species Diversity



Tree diversity at Georgetown Cemetery is good. Eastern red cedar is the dominant species at 13%.

Size Diversity



Tree size distribution is fair. New plantings should include smaller trees.



| Tree species | # of trees | % total |
|-------------------|------------|---------|
| Eastern red cedar | 36 | 13% |
| crabapple | 25 | 9% |
| white pine | 21 | 8% |
| American holly | 14 | 5% |
| flowering dogwood | 13 | 5% |
| other | 157 | 59% |
| total | 266 | 100% |

These trees annually provide...

133,123

7,360

8,920 \$139,911

gallons of stormwater capture

ounces of pollution removal

pounds of carbon sequestration

annual monetary benefits

Georgetown College

400 E College St, Georgetown, KY



Background

Georgetown College has been an integral part of the larger Georgetown community since it was chartered in 1829. Its diverse tree canopy provides a beautiful environment for learning and recreating with others. Research proves that a view of trees, even through a classroom window, can have stress-relieving effects, while shade keeps temperatures lower overall. In August 2021, the University of Kentucky Urban Forest Initiative (UFI) team mapped trees at Georgetown College.

It is recommended that no more than 10% of any one species, 20% of any one genus, and 30% of any one family make up a location's canopy.

About the trees

376 trees, 58 species

Overall health



Georgetown College trees are in good health and provide numerous benefits in this highly used space.

Species Diversity



Tree species diversity is great. No species makes up more than 10% of the overall canopy. As more trees are planted, consider planting a diversity of native species.

Size Diversity



Mature trees provide the most benefits for an ecosystem, so continue planting young trees to replace the aging trees that will die over time.



| Tree species | # of trees | % total |
|-------------------|------------|---------|
| hackberry | 35 | 9% |
| red maple | 30 | 8% |
| flowering dogwood | 26 | 7% |
| black walnut | 22 | 6% |
| southern magnolia | 20 | 5% |
| other | 243 | 65% |
| total | 376 | 100% |

These trees annually provide...

187,215

6,415

11,351

\$3,024

gallons of stormwater capture

ounces of pollution removal

pounds of carbon sequestration

annual monetary benefits

Toyota Camry Trail

Toyota Motor Manufacturing Kentucky, Georgetown, KY



Background

Toyota Motor Manufacturing KY (TMMK) has been an important branch of global Toyota vehicle production since 1988. In Summer 2023, the University of Kentucky Urban Forest Initiative (UFI) team mapped trees on the Camry Trail off Cherry Blossom Way.

It is recommended that no more than 10% of any one species, 20% of any one genus, and 30% of any one family make up a location's canopy.

About the trees

Overall health



The trees along this trail are in good health and provide numerous benefits to the area.

259 trees, 22 species

Species Diversity



Size Diversity



Crabapple, white pine, and Japanese cherry are disproportionately numerous. Future plantings should include a variety of native species.

Although there are many mature trees, planting young trees is recommended to diversify the tree canopy.

| Tree species | # of trees | % total |
|-----------------|------------|---------|
| crabapple | 52 | 20% |
| white pine | 47 | 18% |
| Japanese cherry | 46 | 18% |
| redbud | 15 | 6% |
| hawthorn | 15 | 6% |
| other | 84 | 32% |
| total | 259 | 100% |



These trees annually provide...

57,414

3,200

5,280

\$44,540

gallons of stormwater capture

ounces of pollution removal

pounds of carbon sequestration

annual monetary benefits

Yuko-En on the Elkhorn

700 US-25 N, Georgetown, KY



Background

The Yuko-En Garden is a greenspace dedicated to recreation and calming through nature. Researchers say that exposure to trees has an inherent calming effect. In June 2022, the University of Kentucky Urban Forest Initiative (UFI) team mapped trees at Yuko-En.

It is recommended that no more than 10% of any one species, 20% of any one genus, and 30% of any one family make up a location's canopy.

About the trees

151 trees, 28 species

Overall health



The majority of trees are in good or fair health and provide numerous benefits.

Species Diversity

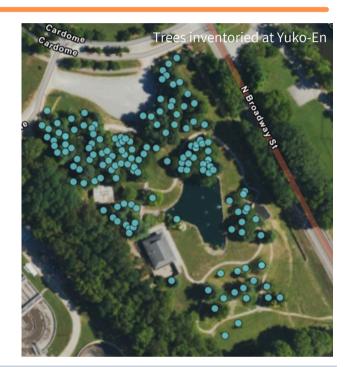


White pine, redbud, and Eastern red cedar dominate the canopy. As more trees are planted, consider planting a diversity of native species.

Size Diversity



Most trees are medium size. A healthy canopy should have plenty of all sizes, with a focus on planting new trees to replace large trees that will die over time.



| Tree species | # of trees | % total |
|-------------------|------------|---------|
| white pine | 34 | 23% |
| redbud | 31 | 21% |
| Eastern red cedar | 18 | 12% |
| sugar maple | 17 | 11% |
| red maple | 11 | 7% |
| other | 40 | 26% |
| total | 151 | 100% |

These trees annually provide...

38,919

2,240

2,660

\$28,300

gallons of stormwater capture

ounces of pollution removal

pounds of carbon sequestration

annual monetary benefits