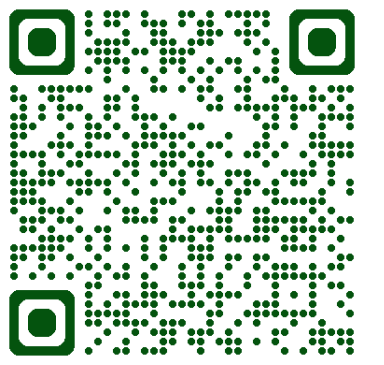


# You found a black oak!

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Scientific name: *Quercus velutina*



**"Velutina"** refers to the **leaves'**  
**soft, velvety texture**



In the southernmost  
U.S. states, black oak is  
**evergreen!**



Many mammals and  
birds enjoy **acorns as a  
food source**



Over 20 years, one healthy black oak\* will capture

*\*of 15" diameter in size*



the **CO<sub>2</sub>** of **9,101**  
car miles,



the weight of **69**  
**smartphones in air  
pollution,**



and **1,173**  
**bathtubs of  
stormwater!**



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