

Allergenic Trees of the Houston Area

	Waller	Montgomery	Liberty	Harris	Fort Bend	Brazoria	Galveston	Chambers
Cross-Reactive Trees								
Ash, Red/Green ¹ Ash, White	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark
Oak, Bur Oak, Post Oak, Virginia Live Oak, Water Oak, White Oak, others	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark
Box Elder Maple, Red	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark
<i>Cottonwood, Eastern</i> ² <i>Willow, Black</i>	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark
Elm, American Elm, Cedar	Dark	Dark	Light	Dark	Light	Dark	Dark	Light
Hickory, Shagbark Hickory, White (Mockernut) Pecan <i>Walnut, Black</i> ²	Dark	Dark	Light	Dark	Light	Light	Light	Light
Mulberry, Paper Mulberry, Red	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark
Pine, Loblolly Pine, Longleaf Pine, Slash Pine, Yellow (Shortleaf)	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Light	Dark	Dark	Dark
Other Trees								
Acacia ³ Bayberry Birch, Red/River Cedar, Red Cypress, Bald Hackberry Locust, Black ³ Mesquite ³ Palm Privet ³ Sweet Gum Sycamore, Eastern	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark	Dark

¹ Species grouped in boxes are cross-reactive

² Italicized species demonstrate only moderate cross-reactivity with other(s) in the respective box

³ This species is insect-pollinated

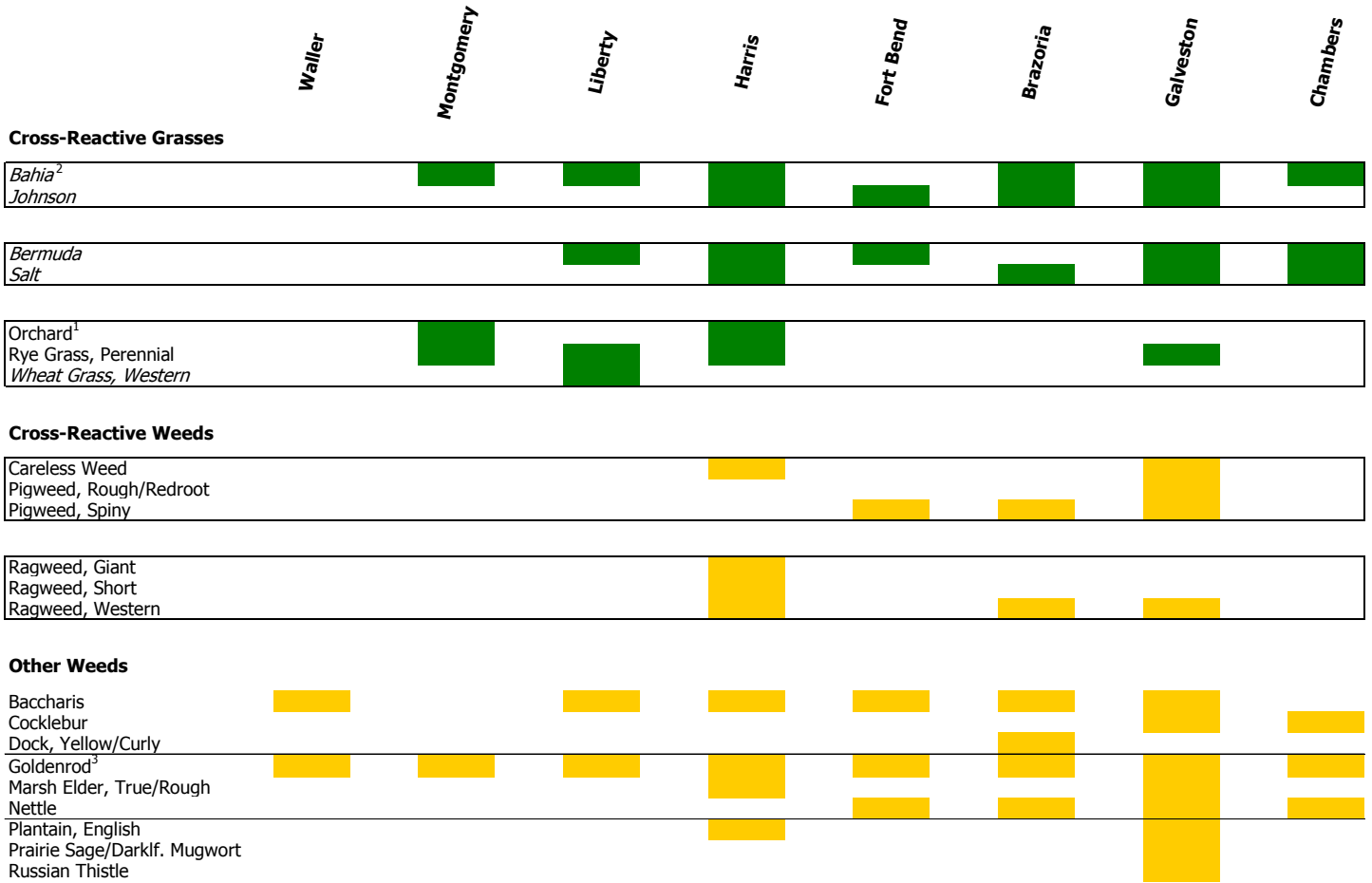
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Data obtained from: USDA Plants Database (plants.usda.gov); USDA-FS Silvics of N Amer (www.na.fs.fed.us/spfo/pubs/silvics_manual); Simpson, B.J. 1988. A Field Guide to Texas Trees. Gulf Publishing Co., Houston; and personal observations

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Allergenic Grasses and Weeds of the Houston Area



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