

Introduction

Bottomland Hardwood Quality

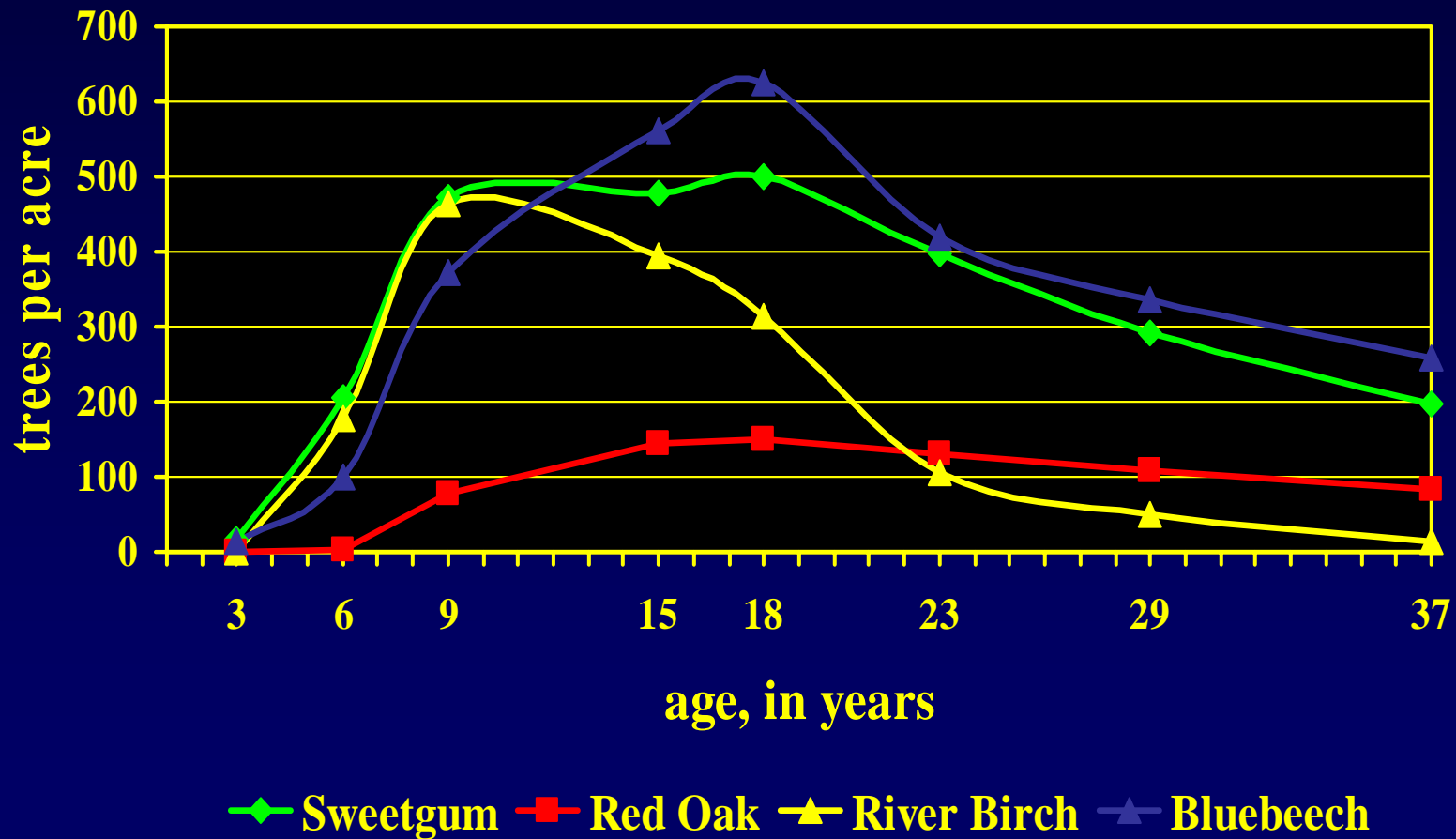
- ✓ individual tree
- ✓ stand



Mixed-Species Stand Development

Long-Term Research

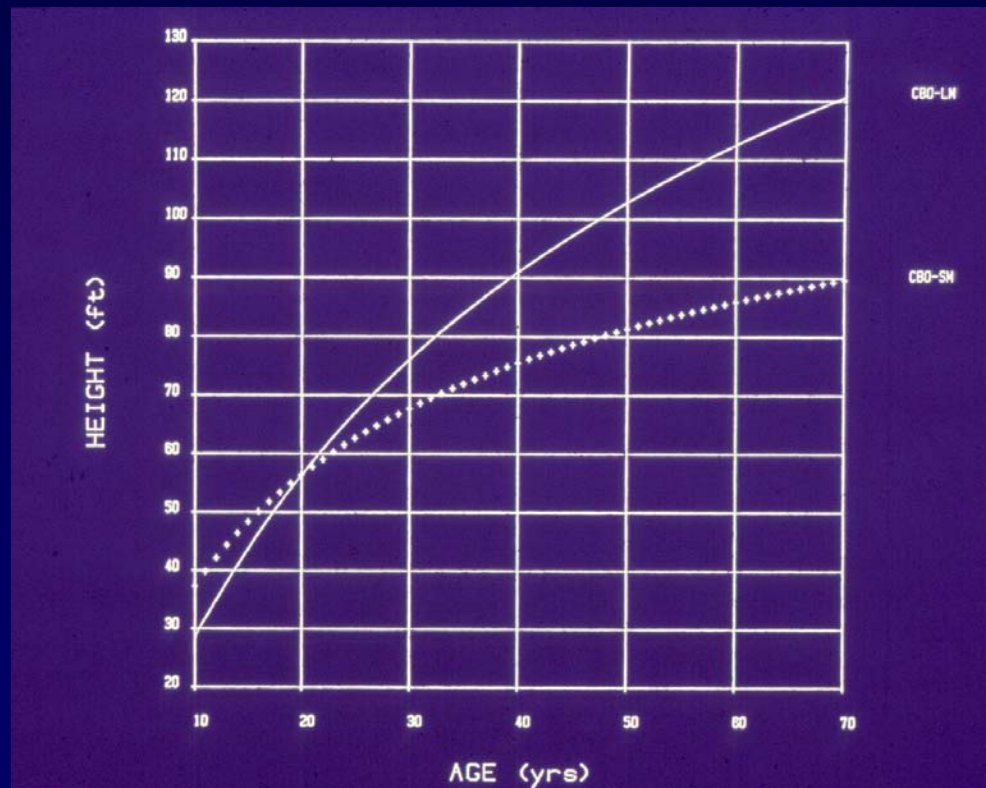
- ✓ natural stand (clearcut winter 1956-1957)



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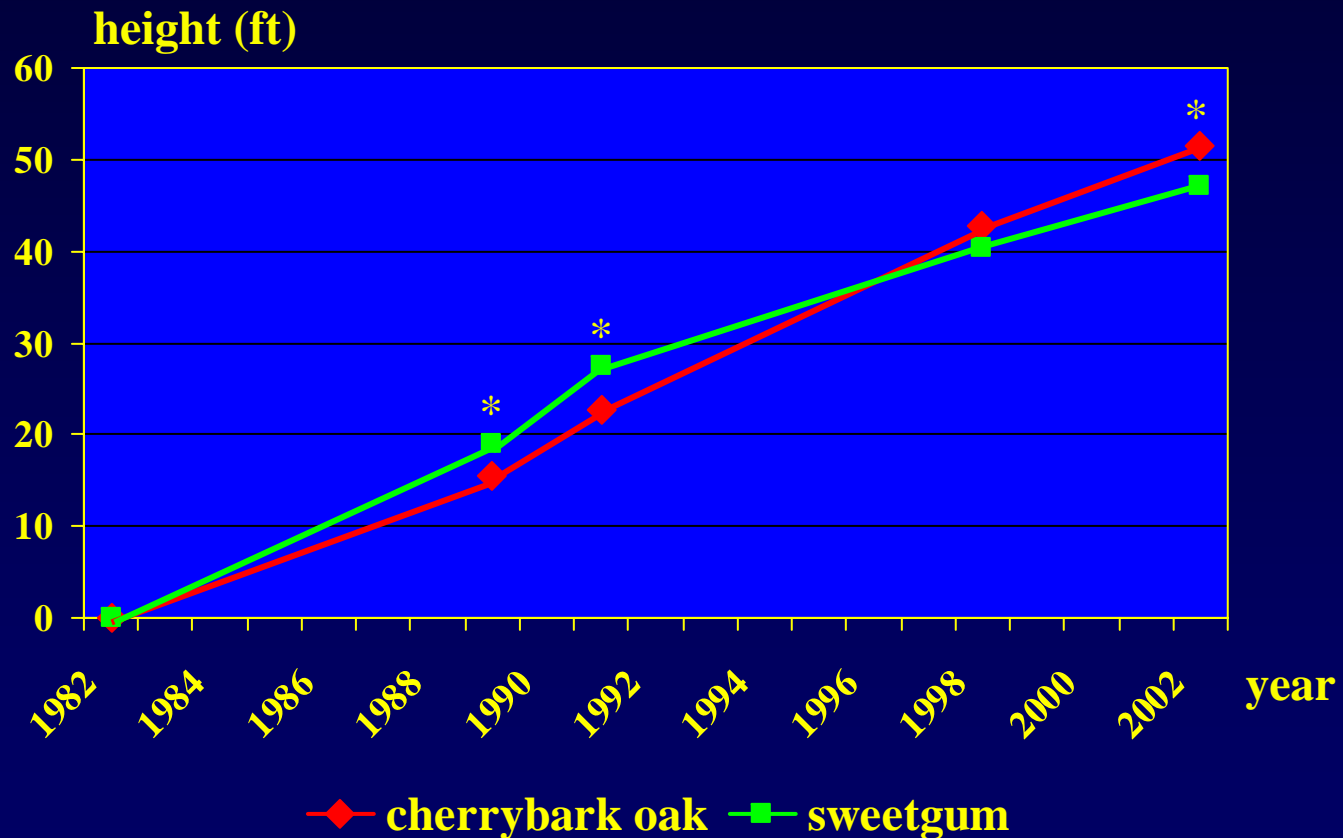
Cherrybark Oak-Sweetgum – Natural Stands

- ✓ 20-23 years later, cherrybark oak overtopped sweetgum and emerged into the overstory
- ✓ How?



Stand Development Based Afforestation

Results – 8 ft x 8 ft spacing



Stand Development Based Afforestation

Cherrybark oak-Sweetgum – Results

- ✓ 1990
(age 9)

