

## 2010 Field Guide Addendum

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### 5.24 LENGTH TO DIAMETER MEASUREMENT POINT (CORE OPTIONAL)

Record this item when tree diameter measurement locations are not monumented. For those trees measured directly at 4.5 feet above the ground, leave this item blank. If the diameter is not measured at 4.5 feet, record the actual length from the ground, to the nearest 0.1 foot, at which the diameter was measured for each tally tree, 1.0 inch DBH and larger. Leave this item blank for woodland species measured for diameter at root collar.

When Collected: CORE OPTIONAL:

All live and dead tally trees (except woodland species)  $\geq 1.0$  in DBH

Field width: 3 digits

Tolerance: +/- 0.2 ft

MQO: At least 90% of the time

Values: 00.1 – 15.0

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### 3.8.1RM VEGETATION SAMPLE STATUS

Record whether Understory Vegetation is to be sampled on the subplot. If snow or water inhibits accurate data collection, do not collect any Understory Vegetation data.

When Collected: SUBPLOT STATUS = 1 and subplot center condition is forested or SUBPLOT STATUS = 2, nonforest SUBPLOT STATUS = 1 and subplot center condition is nonforest

Field width: 1 digit

Tolerance: No errors

MQO: At least 90% of the time

Values:

- 1 Vegetation sampled
- 2 Vegetation not sampled

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### 3.8.2RM VEGETATION NOT SAMPLED REASON

Record a reason that Understory Vegetation cannot be sampled on the subplot.

When collected: When VEGETATION SAMPLING STATUS = 2

Field Width: 2 digit

Tolerance: No errors

MQO: At least 90% of the time

Values:

- 04 Time limitation
- 10 Other (snow or water covering vegetation)