

SOME USEFUL REFERENCES FOR IDENTIFYING PLANTS, FUNGI, AND LICHENS OF MISSISSIPPI AND ADJACENT STATES

Native and Naturalized Species, Mississippi and Adjacent States (technical treatments, including most known species. NOTE: Currently there is no work available that includes all the species of Mississippi or just the species of Mississippi. Identifying a plant conclusively is often based on consulting several of these works, combined with comparison to material in a herbarium and consideration of nomenclatural updates. A preliminary checklist can be found at <http://www.herbarium.olemiss.edu/checklist.html>.)

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