

Continuation
of 7/24/06
hike
See p. 290-92

Cold Spring Hollow

Sept 13, 2007 with
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from Huckleberry Loop Trail North Segment

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site	P	Dr	De	e calc	emap	time	R
(A) Hill Rd. trailhead	29-84			$R_1 = 0.888$	1920'	11:33 AM	$\frac{1920' - 1920'}{29-84 - 28-50} = 0.888$
(B) log cross road	28-98	0.86	764	2684			
(C) ±90% defoliation	28-92	0.92	817	2737	SNK ca 1982		
(D) Trail on skid road	28-90	0.94	835	2755			
(E) Aster pres. on road	28-72	1.12	995	2915			
(F) on crest of DBR	28-52	1.32	1172	3092	3100'	12:47 AM to 1:07	
(G) Leave DBR trail at or near former Cold Spring Hollow Trail Junc.	28-50	1.34		$R_2 = 0.950$	3110'	1:40	$\frac{3110' - 1780'}{29-90 - 28-50} = 0.950$
(H) vegetation; e-p	28-60	1.30	1235	3015	e-p # 533		
(I) terrace	28-72	1.18	1121	2901		2:03 on blaze	
(J) summit on blaze	28-73	1.17	1112	2892		2:20	
(K) seep & spring	28-80	1.10	1045	2825			
(L) blaze crosses dry brook bed	28-92	0.98	931	2711		2:40	
(M) SNK corner	28-89	1.01	960	2740		2:45	
(N) reascend; oaks end	28-56	1.34	1273	3053	e-p # 534	3:07 to 3:15	
(O) rejoin blaze down	28-90	1.00	950	2730		3:30	
(P) opening	29-04	0.86	817	2597			
(Q) blaze follows dry brook	29-16	0.74	703	2483			
(R) old pasture	29-20	0.70	665	2445			
(S) Norway spruce planted	29-27	0.63	599	2379			
(T) base of moderate slope	29-28?	0.62	589	2369			
(U) enter field	29-23?	—	—	—		3:50	
(V) enter N. Brook Rd.	29-50	0.40	380	2160		4:01	
(W) N. Brook & Hill Rds.	29-90	0.00	—	—	1780'	4:20	
(A) Hill Road trailhead	29-72	-0.18			1920'	4:33	

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Vegetation

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(A) Red pine plantation 65+ y old, dating to C.C.C.

Ground cover under plantations:

BOREALS = AN & TB only
N KWDS = NYF, ADIV, MITCH
DP, MANITROPA, UVUL, OST

S KWDS = VIB ACER, COSTONIA
Damaged oak with trail reroute
Is 75y with 16" radius.

MO dense understory under last ^{pine} plantation. No max spruce naturalization. Some B beneath.

(B) Above old pasture, ground cover spr enter almost immediately: MC, AA, \$int, Medeola, Viola, Adiv, Mitch, Ox, CB with more boreals.

oak defoliated more than SUG.

(C) 2737 SUGs defoliated maybe 90%

(E) 2915' Aster pren. on road

(F) 3092' campyl. Less defoliation on ridge because of BC dom, not SUG.

Between Wet Flat #1 &

Bog #307, the crest is BC-dom & also barely defoliated. Only 25 to 30' down on NE shoulder SUG ^{becomes} completely comant & defoliated.

(G) 3110' One 15" oak at beginning of bushwhack. Not enough to be 20. This is site of junction of Cold Spring Hollow Trail? (Check 1970 field notes)

re-p. 533

(H) 3015' Several more oak 15" to 20". Some seed. Baldern. Peili profuse

(I) 2901 ASH 16". Bushwhack scorch dramatically down slope through more dense PEILI. SUGs partly defol.

Tree k

(II) to (J) 1st oak stump on private land 28" diam, 140 y. Bark off, but to still ^{stump} oak flat on top. ∴ 20 to

2892' 25y. oak established 1845 ca. — too early for acidwood industry.

(N) to (O) R.T. MEAD owns private tract 2nd oak stump ^{below} SUGs above to 24". No record-breakers. ASH+OST.

(K) Steep = CALO, PA, SLAT, ACTAEA

2825' PACHY, EUP, SOLID LAT, HYDRO, MYRTIX
ASTER CORO, SUG hegen., TIAR
oak + ASH several on SUG.

(L) BASS | Base of steep slope at 2711' cove head.

(M) Defoliation below on private land where SUG is more a bun. Nil 2740' defol. above on SUG & less SUG. SUG come

(N) e-p #534 Upper oak limit. 3053' B, YB, BC, RM, \$int, slightly less steep above, toward base of ~~Rock~~ talus terrace.

old pasture

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3083 (N) to (S) = Broken oak with heart rot. Full diam - 22". 95y in 7" of radius. $\frac{7"}{95y} = \frac{11"}{?y}$ How old is break? Tree

Age ca. 150y See (II) for 140y oak. → prob less but at least 125.

Too early for acid wood industry
Estab maybe 1880s?

2597' (P) opening has EUP-LSP in deep + SRUG Also open from logging.

2483 (C) SUB REPRO. CARP. CX PLANT

2445 (R) roots exposed + nil humus in old pasture. Humus removed by sheet wash? Much bare

2379' mineral soil at surface. OST, PB

(S) Plantation not age-determined

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