



(photo from Beaver Creek Nursery website)



(photo of fall color from Morton Arboretum)

Shawnee Brave™ Baldcypress (*Taxodium distichum*)

Origin: Heritage Trees (IL); native to SE US, north to IL and IN

Mature Size: Large (>45' tall)

Description: Baldcypress is a deciduous conifer native to wet soil areas in the southern U.S., but it is fully hardy in Michigan. It has a slow to moderate growth rate (in MI), will grow in a wide range of soil conditions (preferring moist soil), and has no serious disease or pest problems. Shawnee Brave™ has a relatively narrow upright growth form, and is reported to be seedless. It has orange-brown fall color.