



# Springboro Tree Farms

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## Butternut

SCIENTIFIC NAME: *Juglans cinerea*

FAMILY: Juglandaceae

ORIGIN: Eastern US and Southern Canada

We're all about nurturing tree species that have been the victims of disease or environmental impact of humans. And we chose to plant these Butternut trees because nearly all the Butternut trees in this part of the world have been killed by butternut canker disease. A fungus causes it.

The Butternut trees you see here are a canker disease resistant hybrid we purchased from Jasper – Pulaski State nursery in 2005. And yes, we could also tap these butternut trees to make walnut syrup! But let's not.

The scientific name for the Butternut is *Juglans cinerea*. It is commonly known as butternut or white walnut. And it is native to the eastern United States and southeast Canada.

