Sylamore Experimental Forest

The Sylamore Experimental Forest in Stone County, Arkansas near the community of Mountain View was established in 1934. The Sylamore Experimental Forest was the site of many early research projects pertaining to the management of upland hardwood forests. Consisting of 4,180 acres, this experimental forest is dominated by oak-hickory stands interspersed with pine. The forest has a number of scenic streams bisecting it, and was the location of numerous hydrologic studies. Much of the region is now treated as a wildlife management area by the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission.

A Few Interesting facts about the Sylamore Experimental Forest

- This was the first and largest experimental forest to be established in Arkansas.

- John McGuire, former Chief of the USFS did his masters thesis on the Sylamore EF in 1941.