

# Supplementary Materials: Classification of tree species in diverse African agroforestry landscape using imaging spectroscopy and laser scanning

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**Table S1.** List of narrowband vegetation indices. Full citations are found in Roberts et al. (2011)[1].

Index	Equation	Category	Reference
NDVI	$(R750 - R679)/(R750 + R679)$	Structure	Rouse et al. (1973)
SR	$R750 / R679$	Structure	Jordan (1969)
EVI	$2.5 \times (R860 - R646)/(R860 + 6 \times R646 - 7.5 \times R472 + 1)$	Structure	Huete et al. (1997)
WBI	$R902 / R969$	Structure	Peñuelas et al. (1997)
ARVI	$(R860 - [R646 - y \times \{R472 - R646\}]) / (R860 + [R646 - y \times (R472 - R646)])$	Structure	Kaufman & Tanré (1992)
SAVI	$[ (R860 - R646) / (R860 + R646 + L) ] \times (1 + L)$	Structure	Huete (1988)
VARI	$(R549 - R670) / (R549 + R670 - R481)$	Structure	Gitelson et al. (2002a)
VI <sub>green</sub>	$(R549 - R670) / (R549 + R670)$	Structure	Gitelson et al. (2002a)
VI <sub>700</sub>	$(R698 - R670) / (R698 - R670)$	Structure	Gitelson et al. (2002a)
SIPI	$(R800 - R445) / (R800 - R680)$	Pigments	Peñuelas et al. (1995)
PSSR	$(R800/R675)$	Pigments	Blackburn (1998a)
PSND	$[(R800 - R675) / (R800 + R675)]$	Pigments	Blackburn (1998b)
PSRI	$(R680 - R500) / R750$	Pigments	Merzlyak et al. (1999)
CARI	$(R700 - R670) - 0.2 \times (R700 - R550)$	Chlorophyll	Kim (1994)
MCARI	$[(R700 - R670) - 0.2 \times (R700 - R550)] \times (R700/R670)$	Chlorophyll	Daughtry et al.(2000)
CI <sub>red edge</sub>	$R788 / R698 - 1$	Chlorophyll	Gitelson et al. (2006)
ARI	$(1/R549) - (1/R698)$	Anthocyanins	Gitelson et al. (2001)
mARI	$[(1/R549) - (1/R698)] \times R788$	Anthocyanins	Gitelson et al. (2006)
RGRI	$R670/R549$	Anthocyanins	Gamon & Surfus (1999) Van den Berg & Perkins (2005)
ACI	$R549/R788$	Anthocyanins	
CRI1	$(1/R510) - (1/R550)$	Carotenoids	Gitelson et al. (2002b)
CRI2	$(1/R510) - (1/R700)$	Carotenoids	Gitelson et al. (2002b)
PRI	$(R531 - R570) / (R531 + R570)$	LUE	Gamon et al. (1997)

R = reflectance, L = user defined value in SAVI (set to default of 0.5), LUE = light use efficiency

**Table S2.** McNemar's score and statistical significance of difference in overall accuracy between support vector machine and random forest classifiers for different feature sets.

	Refl.	NVI	MNF	ALS	Refl.+ALS	NVI+ALS	MNF+ALS
McNemar's score	10.6	25.6	1.7	0.4	0.0	0.2	3.4
p-value	0.00	0.00	0.19	0.54	1.00	0.66	0.07

**Table S3.** McNemar's score (lower triangular part) and statistical significance of difference in overall accuracy (upper triangular part) between different feature sets using support vector machine.

	<b>Refl.</b>	<b>NVI</b>	<b>MNF</b>	<b>ALS</b>	<b>Refl.+ALS</b>	<b>NVI+ALS</b>	<b>MNF+ALS</b>
<b>Refl.</b>	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.00
<b>NVI</b>	12.0	0.00	0.00	0.20	0.31	0.00	0.00
<b>MNF</b>	43.9	17.9	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.02
<b>ALS</b>	6.5	31.5	69.4	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Refl.+ALS</b>	6.1	1.6	23.3	26.1	0.77	0.00	0.00
<b>NVI+ALS</b>	6.4	1.0	19.2	29.3	0.1	0.00	0.00
<b>MNF+ALS</b>	61.4	28.5	5.1	101.4	41.7	44.5	0.00

**Table S4.** McNemar's score (lower triangular part) and statistical significance of change in overall accuracy (upper triangular part) between different feature sets using random forest.

	<b>Refl.</b>	<b>NVI</b>	<b>MNF</b>	<b>ALS</b>	<b>Refl.+ALS</b>	<b>NVI+ALS</b>	<b>MNF+ALS</b>
<b>Refl.</b>	0.04	0.00	0.68	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>NVI</b>	4.3	0.00	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>MNF</b>	58.6	43.3	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.08
<b>ALS</b>	0.2	4.3	59.9	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Refl.+ALS</b>	32.7	9.5	12.4	32.9	0.40	0.00	0.00
<b>NVI+ALS</b>	29.8	15.2	9.1	37.3	0.7	0.00	0.00
<b>MNF+ALS</b>	80.4	62.3	3.0	85.0	29.0	22.4	0.00

**Table S5.** Change in overall accuracy and Kappa after feature selection.

<b>Feature set</b>	<b>Support vector machine</b>		<b>Random forest</b>	
	<b>Accuracy</b>	<b>Kappa</b>	<b>Accuracy</b>	<b>Kappa</b>
Refl.	2.2	-1.1	-2	-2.6
NVI	-2.8*	-3.9	0.3	0.9
MNF	0.8	1.7	0.2	0.1
ALS	-0.8	-0.5	-0.5	-1
Refl.+ALS	0.2	-0.2	0	0
NVI+ALS	0.8	-0.4	0.4	-0.2
MNF+ALS	0.4	0.5	-0.8	-0.8

\* Statistically significant change ( $p < 0.05$ )

- [1] Roberts, D. A, K. . L. Roth, and R. L. Perroy, “Hyperspectral vegetation indices,” in *Hyperspectral Remote Sensing of Vegetation*, P. S. Thenkabail, P. S. Lyon, and J. G. Huete, Eds. CRC press, 2011, pp. 309–328.