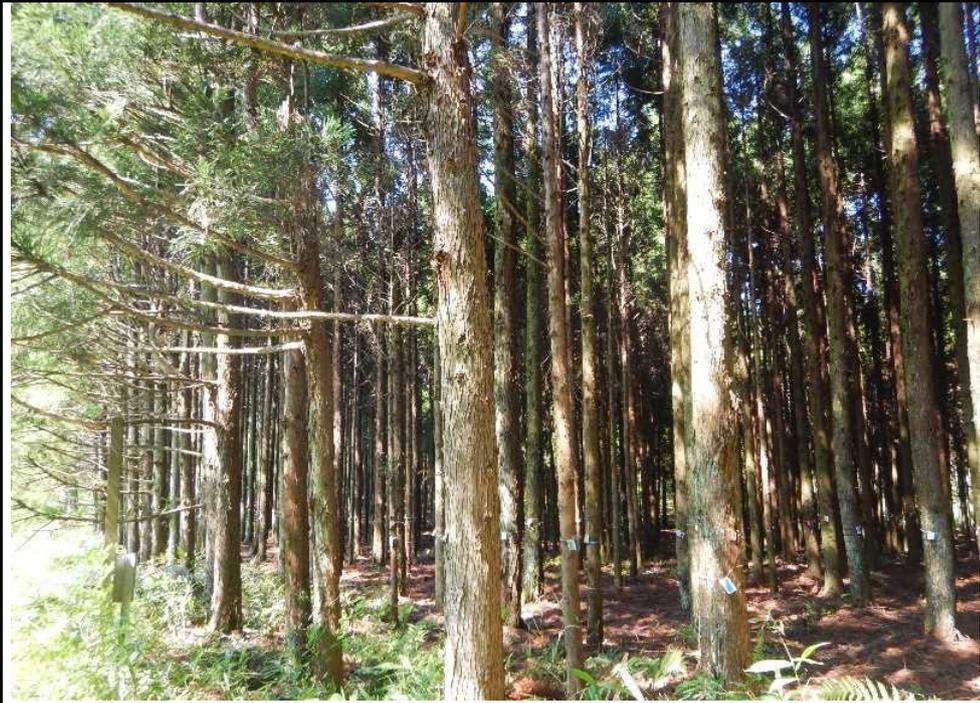


Inter-individual Competition Test

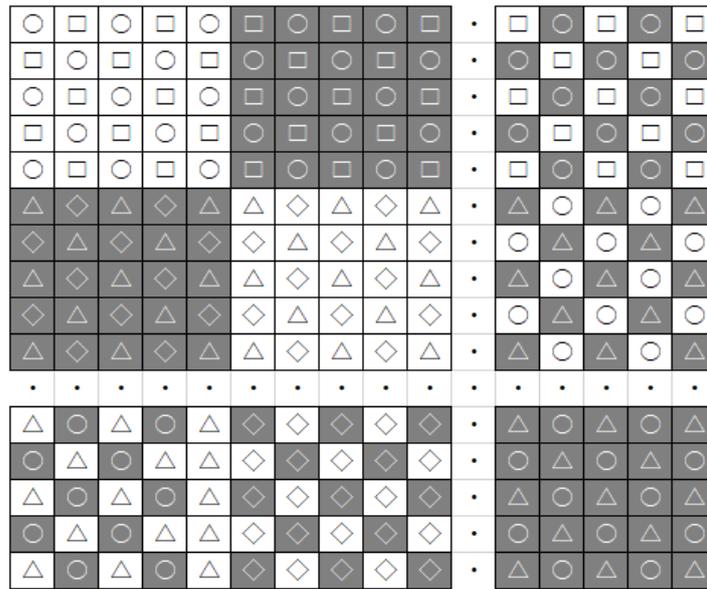


FTBC plants seedlings of various clones that are collected from progeny test sites in various regions in order to research genetic differences among lineage.

However, it is believed that the individual traits of trees are strongly influenced not only by genetics and inorganic growing environment, but also by the phenomenon of competition between neighboring individuals.

For this reason, in order to reveal the competitive relationship between clones, FTBC plants a mixture of clones in different combinations.

Individual Arrangement Chart



One plot consists, $5 \times 5 = 25$ individuals with two different clones. Different symbols indicate different clones.