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## Supplementary file S1

Näslund's (1936) height curve as a function of the tree's *dbh* and the predicted height curve parameters  $b_0$  and  $b_1$  is  $h=(dbh/(b_0+b_1 dbh))^p +1.3$ . The power  $p$  was 2 for Scots pine and birch (and other broadleaved species) and 3 for Norway spruce. The parameters  $b_0$  and  $b_1$  were predicted from the assortment volumes using models by Siipilehto and Kangas (2015). The prediction models for parameters  $b_0$  and  $b_1$  were fitted as linear mixed effects model in R using the lme function.

Table 1. Height models predicted from assortments volume. The commercial volume ( $V_{com}$ ) is the sum of the saw log ( $Log$ ) and pulpwood ( $Pulp$ ) volume.  $DDY$  is the long-time average degree days using a 5 °C threshold temperature. The random components  $s(b_{0i})$  and  $s(b_{1i})$  are the stand-specific (i) constant and coefficient, respectively. The term  $s(e_{ij})$  is a scale parameter for the variance function, and the final standard deviation can be calculated as  $s_{yi} = s(e_{ij})(1000/DDY)^p$ . For pine, this number is  $0.257(1000/DDY)^{0.914}$ .

Parameter	Pine		Spruce		Birch	
	Estim.	Std.	Estim.	Std.	Estim.	Std.
$b_0$						
Intercept	3.128	0.065	3.011	0.144	1.400	0.161
$(DDY/1000)$	-0.537	0.058	-0.963	0.103	-0.666	0.158
$\ln(Log + 2)$	-0.041	0.005	0.161	0.013		
$\ln(Pulp + 2)$	-0.414	0.010	-0.212	0.026	-0.346	0.101
$\ln(V_{com} + 2)$					0.409	0.097
$b_1$						
Intercept	0.232	0.003	0.387	0.009	0.343	0.010
$\ln(Log+2)$	-0.025	0.0005	-0.021	0.001		
$\ln(Pulp+2)$	0.023	0.001	0.006	0.002	0.023	0.006
$\ln(V_{com} + 2)$					-0.054	0.006
$s(b_{0i})$	0.245		0.295		0.209	
$s(b_{1i})$	0.022		0.022		0.025	
$Corr(b_0, b_1)$	-0.621		-0.790		-0.673	
$s(e_{ij})$	0.257		0.261		0.209	
Variance function						
$(1000/DDY)$	0.914		0.800		0.790	