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## **Root Characteristics of Evergreen Azaleas — Root D Transplanted Plants—**

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Characteristics of root development of evergreen azaleas were evalu 'Oomurasaki' and 'Shiro-ryukyu', which are vigorous in growth an landscaping, had a greater root length density and developed root s soil layers. Most azaleas developed greater root length density in a moisture area than in a wet soil area. However, *R. indicum* which c riverside areas, demonstrated a greater root length density only in w development was especially concentrated in the surface soil layer. T development system and root adaptation to moisture environments species and/or cultivars, would have originated from the adaptation natural environment.

Key Words: *<u>Rhododendron</u>*, <u>root length density</u>

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