If in one or both resonance forms of an allylic radical the unpaired electron is on a tertiary carbon, the allylic radical is called a tertiary (3°) allylic radical.

eg. 1:

![Diagram 1](image1)

eg. 2:

![Diagram 2](image2)

See also primary allylic radical and secondary allylic radical.

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