

TARGET SPECIES

Accepted name *Trichilia breviflora* S. F. Blake & Standl.

Family Meliaceae

Local names none known

IUCN Red List status Endangered



HABIT

Small tree, up to 10m tall; largest recorded DBH is 10.1cm. Young branches have fine, short hairs.

LEAVES

Alternate, compound.

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Odd-pinnate, usually with 3-5 alternate or sub-opposite leaflets; Slender petioles approx. 1-2cm long.

LEAFLETS

8 – 14cm long; pinnate venation (prominent on underside); fine, short hairs along the primary vein.



TERMINAL BUD

INFLORESCENCE

Axillary; approx. 2.5-5.5cm long, many flowers.

FLOWERS (*T. martiana*)

Short pedicel; greenish-white petals c. 1.5mm long.

FRUITS

Ovoid capsule, splitting into 3 parts; shiny, black seeds with a red aril.