

TREE SPECIES (SCIENTIFIC NAME)

Rhodostemonodaphne Sp.

PERU COMMON NAME

Roble amarillo, Laurel, Jigua baboso, Jigua laurel, Jigua negro, Jigua pava, Guacharaco morruco

TREE FAMILY

LAURACEAE

AVERAGE LEAF SIZE (CM)

21.49cm × 8.11cm

Length Width

ELEVATIONAL RANGE (M)

0 - 900 M

TREE HEIGHT

MEDIUM (20-35M)









DISTRIBUTION



NATIVE TO PERU

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Region: Americas

Latin America: Bolivia, Brazil, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Guyana, Panama,

Peru, Suriname, Venezuela

COFFEE AGROFORESTRY INFORMATION

COFFEE SYSTEM



COFFEE IMPACT



BENEFICIAL TO COFFEE

TREE MANAGEMENT

Planted by seed in a nursery and has a low incidence of pests.

CULTIVATION



PLANTED

PREVALENCE

Not Common in Coffee Agroforestry

TREE BENEFITS AND USES

FARMER USES



Lumber

The trunk is used in the construction of housing.

FARM SERVICES





Coffee Shade, Soil Improvement

Coffee Shade: provides medium to dense shade

BIODIVERSITY BENEFITS



The fruits are food for birds, monkeys and rodents. It provides fruits that are preferred by toucans and turkeys mainly. They retain insects in flowers, leaves and bark that are consumed by insectivorous birds.

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