



TREE SPECIES (SCIENTIFIC NAME)

# *Cedrela angustifolia*

PERU COMMON NAME

Cedro lila, Cedro virgen

TREE FAMILY

**MELIACEAE**

AVERAGE LEAF SIZE (CM)

**13.72cm** × **3.73cm**  
Length Width

DISTRIBUTION



**NATIVE TO PERU**

ELEVATIONAL RANGE (M)

**0-3400m**

TREE HEIGHT

**UNKNOWN**

NATIVE TO

**Region:** Americas

**Latin America:** Argentina, Bolivia, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru

## COFFEE AGROFORESTRY INFORMATION

COFFEE SYSTEM



**ARABICA**

COFFEE IMPACT



**BENEFICIAL TO COFFEE**

TREE MANAGEMENT

High incidence of pests, especially in the early stages of growth, where they are attacked by borer moth larvae (*Hypsipyla grandella*).

CULTIVATION



**NATURAL**

PREVALENCE



**COMMON IN COFFEE AGROFORESTRY**

## TREE BENEFITS AND USES

FARMER USES



**Lumber**

Soft with good pink brown veining, it is used in carpentry, veneered and plywood furniture.

FARM SERVICES



**Coffee Shade, Soil Improvement**

**Coffee Shade:** A deciduous species, it loses its leaves during the dry season, generating greater light to coffee plantations but generally offers a sparse to medium shade

**Soil Improvement:** it incorporates organic material in the soil through falling leaves during the dry season

BIODIVERSITY BENEFITS

**✓ YES**

Insects and arachnids that are located in leaves, flowers, bark and dry capsules are consumed by birds.

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