



TREE SPECIES (SCIENTIFIC NAME)

Cedrela montana

PERU COMMON NAME

Cedro de montaña, Cedro de tierra fria, Cedro de altura

TREE FAMILY

MELIACEAE

AVERAGE LEAF SIZE (CM)

12cm × **4.82cm**
Length Width

DISTRIBUTION



NATIVE TO PERU

ELEVATIONAL RANGE (M)

2000–3500m

TREE HEIGHT

LARGE (> 35M)



NATIVE TO

Region: Americas

Latin America: Colombia, Ecuador, Peru, Venezuela

COFFEE AGROFORESTRY INFORMATION

COFFEE SYSTEM



ARABICA

COFFEE IMPACT



BENEFICIAL TO COFFEE

TREE MANAGEMENT

Planted in nursery by cuttings and seeds. Low incidence of pests. Being in colder habitats presents less attacks by pests.

CULTIVATION



PLANTED



NATURAL

PREVALENCE

Not Common in Coffee Agroforestry

TREE BENEFITS AND USES

FARMER USES



Lumber

It is used for the construction of houses and cabinetmaking

FARM SERVICES



Coffee Shade, Soil Improvement

Coffee Shade: a deciduous species, it provides sparse shade usually in the shape of a cup

BIODIVERSITY BENEFITS



YES

It houses insects that are food for insectivorous birds and the flowers provide food for bumblebees (*Bombus*) and hummingbirds (*Lesbia nuna*, *Metallura tyrianthina*).

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