TREE SPECIES (SCIENTIFIC NAME)

Vitex cymosa

TREE FAMILY

LAMIACEAE

AVERAGE LEAF SIZE (CM)

13.5CM × 4.8CM

Length Width

DISTRIBUTION

NATIVE TO PERU

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Region: Americas
Latin America: Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Venezuela

ELEVATIONAL RANGE (M)

0–2350M

TREE HEIGHT

MEDIUM (20–35M)

COFFEE AGROFORESTRY INFORMATION

COFFEE SYSTEM

ARABICA

COFFEE IMPACT

Unknown

TREE MANAGEMENT

Unknown

CULTIVATION

Unknown

PREVALENCE

Unknown

TREE BENEFITS AND USES

FARMER USES

Food, **Lumber**, **Medicinal**

Used in the construction of houses and fences, and to make fence posts and barnyard poles. When cooked the fruits become a delicious preserve with a very sweet taste that is very popular.

FARM SERVICES

Unknown

BIODIVERSITY BENEFITS

YES

Food of the white-headed tamarin (S. oedipus) and frugivorous and insectivorous birds.

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