

For a subset of the 357 indigenous tree species listed, information is provided in fact sheets that provide information that is particular for specific species. We obtained fact sheets from three different source materials: (i) the book by Maundu and Tengnas on Useful Trees and Shrubs for Kenya; (ii) the AgroForesTree database and (iii) the Seed Leaflets series of the Danish Centre for Forest and Landscape Planning. Table 1 shows for which species and from which sources fact sheets are available.

Be aware that sometimes different synonyms are used for the same species in different sources. The reference that we used for tree species names was the book on *Kenya Trees, Shrubs and Lianas* (Beentje 1994). The name of the fact sheet shows the species name that was used within a particular reference material. Note that in the Useful Trees and Shrubs for Kenya book, 32 species were not described in their own fact sheet, but references to those species were found in fact sheets of other species. In those cases, look in the *Remarks* section of the referenced fact sheet for information of your selected species. For example, information for the species *Boscia angustifolia* is available from the *Remarks* section from the [Boscia coriacea.pdf](#) document.

Please cite these references when you publish information from any of these sources:

Maundu P and Tengnas B. 2005. **Useful Trees and Shrubs for Kenya**. Nairobi: World Agroforestry Centre. 484 pp.

Simons AJ, Salim AS, Orwa C, Munjuga M and Mutua A. 2005. **AgroForesTree Database: a Tree Species Reference and Selection Guide**. Version 3.0 CD-ROM. ICRAF: World Agroforestry Centre.

The *Seed Leaflets* have a separate reference for each species as this series was originally published in separate leaflets.

The reference source that we used for species names was:

Beentje HJ. 1994. **Kenya Trees, Shrubs and Lianas**. Nairobi: National Museums of Kenya. 722 p

Table 1. Fact sheets obtained from the book on Useful Trees and Shrubs for Kenya, the AgroForesTree database or the Seed leaflets series.

Species	Useful Trees and Shrubs	AgroForesTree Database	Seed Leaflets
Abutilon longicuspe			
Acacia abyssinica	Acacia abyssinica.pdf		
Acacia albida	Faidherbia albida.pdf	Faidherbia albida.pdf	faidherbia albida.pdf
Acacia brevispica	Acacia brevispica.pdf		
Acacia bussei			
Acacia drepanolobium	Acacia drepanolobium.pdf		
Acacia elatior	Acacia elatior.pdf	Acacia elatior.pdf	
Acacia etbaica		Acacia etbaica.pdf	
Acacia gerrardii	Acacia gerrardii.pdf		
Acacia hockii	Acacia kirkii.pdf		
Acacia kirkii	Acacia kirkii.pdf		
Acacia lahai	Acacia lahai.pdf	Acacia lahai.pdf	
Acacia mellifera	Acacia mellifera.pdf	Acacia mellifera.pdf	
Acacia nilotica ssp nilotica	Acacia nilotica.pdf	Acacia nilotica subsp nilotica.pdf	
Acacia polyacantha ssp. campylacantha	Acacia polyacantha subsp. campylacantha.pdf		
Acacia reficiens			
Acacia senegal	Acacia senegal.pdf	Acacia senegal.pdf	acacia senegal.pdf
Acacia seyal	Acacia seyal.pdf	Acacia seyal.pdf	acacia seyal.pdf
Acacia sieberiana		Acacia sieberiana.pdf	
Acacia thomasi			
Acacia tortilis	Acacia tortilis.pdf	Acacia tortilis.pdf	acacia tortilis.pdf
Acacia xanthophloea	Acacia xanthophloea.pdf	Acacia xanthophloea.pdf	
Acalypha fruticosa			
Acokanthera schimperi	Acokanthera schimperi.pdf		
Adansonia digitata	Adansonia digitata.pdf	Adansonia digitata.pdf	adansonia digitata.pdf
Adenia metriosiphon			
Adenium obesum	Adenium obesum.pdf		
Afrocrania volkensii	Cornus volkensii.pdf		
Afrosersalisia cerasifera			
Alangium chinense			
Albizia amara	Albizia amara.pdf	Albizia amara.pdf	
Albizia anthelmintica	Albizia anthelmintica.pdf	Albizia anthelmintica.pdf	
Albizia coriaria	Albizia coriaria.pdf	Albizia coriaria.pdf	
Albizia grandibracteata			
Albizia gummifera	Albizia gummifera.pdf	Albizia gummifera.pdf	
Albizia harveyi			
Albizia schimperiana			
Albizia zygia		Albizia zygia.pdf	
Allophylus abyssinicus			
Allophylus africanus	Allophylus africanus.pdf		
Allophylus ferrugineus			
Aloe kedongensis			
Aningeria adolfi-friedericii	Pouteria adolfi-friedericii.pdf		

Species	Useful Trees and Shrubs	AgroForesTree Database	Seed Leaflets
Aningeria altissima			
Annona senegalensis	Annona senegalensis subsp. senegalensis.pdf	Annona senegalensis.pdf	
Anthocleista grandiflora			
Anthocleista vogelii			
Antiaris toxicaria	Antiaris toxicaria.pdf	Antiaris toxicaria.pdf	
Apodytes dimidiata	Apodytes dimidiata.pdf		
Arundinaria alpina	Arundinaria alpina.pdf		
Azanza garckeana	Thespesia garckeana.pdf	Azanza garckeana.pdf	azanza garckeana.pdf
Azima tetracantha			
Balanites aegyptiaca	Balanites aegyptiaca.pdf	Balanites aegyptiaca.pdf	balanites aegyptiaca.pdf
Balanites rotundifolia	Balanites rotundifolia.pdf		
Bauhinia taitensis			
Bequartiodendron oblanceolatum			
Berchemia discolor	Berchemia discolor.pdf	Berchemia discolor.pdf	
Bersama abyssinica	Bersama abyssinica.pdf		
Blighia unijugata	Blighia unijugata.pdf		
Borassus aethiopum	Borassus aethiopium.pdf	Borassus aethiopium.pdf	
Boscia angustifolia	Boscia coriacea.pdf	Boscia angustifolia.pdf	
Boscia coriacea	Boscia coriacea.pdf		
Boswellia neglecta	Boswellia neglecta.pdf		
Bourreria teitensis			
Brachylaena huillensis	Brachylaena huillensis.pdf	Brachylaena huillensis.pdf	
Bridelia micrantha	Bridelia micrantha.pdf	Bridelia micrantha.pdf	
Bridelia taitensis	Bridelia micrantha.pdf		
Cadaba farinosa	Cadaba farinosa.pdf	Cadaba farinosa.pdf	
Cadaba heterotricha			
Caesalpinia trothae	Caesalpinia volkensii.pdf		
Calodendrum capense	Calodendrum capense.pdf	Calodendrum capense.pdf	
Calypotrothea somalensis			
Calypotrothea taitensis			
Canthium keniense			
Canthium oligocarpum			
Capparis fascicularis	Capparis tomentosa.pdf		
Capparis tomentosa	Capparis tomentosa.pdf		
Carissa edulis	Carissa spinarum.pdf	Carissa edulis.pdf	
Carphalea glaucescens			
Casaeria battiscombei	Casaeria battiscombei.pdf		
Cassia abbreviata ssp. kassneri	Cassia abbreviata.pdf	Cassia abbreviata	
Cassipourea gummiflua	Cassipourea malosana.pdf		
Cassipourea malosana	Cassipourea malosana.pdf	Cassipourea malosana.pdf	
Cassipourea rotundifolia			
Cassipourea ruwensorensis	Cassipourea malosana.pdf		
Catha edulis			
Caucanthus albidus			
Celtis africana	Celtis africana.pdf		
Celtis gomphophylla	Celtis africana.pdf		

Species	Useful Trees and Shrubs	AgroForesTree Database	Seed Leaflets
<i>Celtis mildbraedii</i>	Celtis africana.pdf		
<i>Chaetacme aristata</i>			
<i>Chassalia kenensis</i>			
<i>Chrysophyllum albidum</i>		Chrysophyllum albidum.pdf	
<i>Chrysophyllum gorungosanum</i>			
<i>Chrysophyllum viridifolium</i>			
<i>Cissus quadrangularis</i>			
<i>Cissus rotundifolia</i>			
<i>Coffea fadenii</i>			
<i>Cola greenwayi</i>			
<i>Combretum aculeatum</i>	Combretum aculeatum.pdf	Combretum aculeatum.pdf	combretum aculeatum.pdf
<i>Combretum collinum</i>	Combretum collinum.pdf	Combretum collinum.pdf	
<i>Combretum molle</i>	Combretum molle.pdf	Combretum molle.pdf	
<i>Combretum zeyheri</i>			
<i>Commiphora africana</i>	Commiphora africana.pdf	Commiphora africana.pdf	
<i>Commiphora campestris</i>			
<i>Commiphora edulis</i>		Commiphora edulis.pdf	
<i>Commiphora holtziana</i>			
<i>Commiphora mollis</i>			
<i>Commiphora schimperi</i>			
<i>Cordia africana</i>	Cordia africana.pdf	Cordia africana.pdf	
<i>Cordia millenii</i>			
<i>Cordia monoica</i>	Cordia monoica.pdf		
<i>Cordia sinensis</i>	Cordia sinensis.pdf	Cordia sinensis.pdf	
<i>Craibia brownii</i>	Craibia brownii.pdf		
<i>Craibia zimmermannii</i>			
<i>Crotalaria goodiiiformis</i>	Crotalaria agatiflora.pdf	Crotalaria goodiaeformis.pdf	
<i>Croton dichogamus</i>			
<i>Croton macrostachyus</i>	Croton macrostachyus.pdf	Croton macrostachyus.pdf	
<i>Croton megalocarpus</i>	Croton megalocarpus.pdf	Croton megalocarpus.pdf	
<i>Croton sylvaticus</i>		Croton sylvaticus.pdf	
<i>Cussonia arborea</i>	Cussonia holstii.pdf		
<i>Cussonia holstii</i>	Cussonia holstii.pdf		
<i>Cussonia spicata</i>	Cussonia holstii.pdf		
<i>Cylicopmorpha parviflora</i>			
<i>Dalbergia melanoxylon</i>	Dalbergia melanoxylon.pdf	Dalbergia melanoxylon.pdf	dalbergia melanoxylon.pdf
<i>Delonix elata</i>	Delonix elata.pdf	Delonix elata.pdf	
<i>Dichrostachys cinerea</i>	Dichrostachys cinerea.pdf	Dichrostachys cinerea.pdf	
<i>Diospyros abyssinica</i>	Diospyros abyssinica.pdf		
<i>Diospyros mespiliformis</i>	Diospyros mespiliformis.pdf	Diospyros mespiliformis.pdf	
<i>Dobera glabra</i>	Dobera glabra.pdf	Dobera glabra.pdf	
<i>Dobera loranthifolia</i>	Dobera glabra.pdf		
<i>Dodonaea viscosa</i>	Dodonaea viscosa.pdf		
<i>Dombeya burgessiae</i>	Dombeya torrida.pdf		
<i>Dombeya torrida</i>	Dombeya torrida.pdf		
<i>Dovyalis abyssinica</i>	Dovyalis abyssinica.pdf		

Species	Useful Trees and Shrubs	AgroForesTree Database	Seed Leaflets
Dracaena afromontana	Dracaena steudneri.pdf		
Dracaena ellenbeckiana	Dracaena steudneri.pdf		
Dracaena steudneri	Dracaena steudneri.pdf		
Drypetes gerrardii			
Ehretia cymosa	Ehretia cymosa.pdf		
Ekebergia capensis	Ekebergia capensis.pdf	Ekebergia capensis.pdf	
Elaeodendron buchananii	Elaeodendron buchananii.pdf		
Embelia keniensis			
Entada abyssinica	Entada abyssinica.pdf	Entada abyssinica.pdf	
Entandophragma angolense			
Erythrina abyssinica	Erythrina abyssinica.pdf	Erythrina abyssinica.pdf	
Erythrochlamys spectabilis			
Erythrococca bongensis			
Euclea divinorum	Euclea divinorum.pdf	Euclea divinorum.pdf	
Euclea racemosa ssp. schimperi	Euclea divinorum.pdf		
Euphorbia candelabrum	Euphorbia candelabrum.pdf		
Euphorbia cussonoides			
Euphorbia nyikae			
Euphorbia obovalifolia			
Euphorbia quinquecostata			
Euphorbia robecchii			
Euphorbia scheffleri			
Euphorbia tirucalli	Euphorbia tirucalli.pdf	Euphorbia tirucalli.pdf	
Fagaropsis angolensis	Fagaropsis angolensis.pdf		
Faurea rochetiana	Faurea saligna.pdf		
Faurea saligna	Faurea saligna.pdf	Faurea saligna.pdf	
Ficus amadiensis			
Ficus exasperata			
Ficus glumosa	Ficus thonningii.pdf	Ficus glumosa.pdf	
Ficus lutea			
Ficus saussureana			
Ficus sur	Ficus sur.pdf		
Ficus sycomorus	Ficus sycomorus.pdf	Ficus sycomorus.pdf	
Ficus thonningii	Ficus thonningii.pdf	Ficus thonningii.pdf	
Flacourtia indica	Flacourtia indica.pdf	Flacourtia indica.pdf	
Funtumia africana		Funtumia africana.pdf	
Galiniera saxifraga			
Garcinia buchananii	Garcinia livingstonei.pdf		
Garcinia livingstonei	Garcinia livingstonei.pdf	Garcinia livingstonei.pdf	
Garcinia volkensii	Garcinia livingstonei.pdf		
Gardenia ternifolia	Gardenia volkensii.pdf		
Gerrardanthus lobatus			
Givotia gosai			
Gnidia glauca			
Gnidia subcordata			
Grewia bicolor	Grewia bicolor.pdf	Grewia bicolor.pdf	

Species	Useful Trees and Shrubs	AgroForesTree Database	Seed Leaflets
Grewia fallax			
Grewia similis	Grewia tembensis.pdf		
Grewia tembensis	Grewia tembensis.pdf		
Grewia tenax	Grewia tenax.pdf	Grewia tenax.pdf	
Grewia villosa	Grewia villosa.pdf	Grewia villosa.pdf	
Hagenia abyssinica	Hagenia abyssinica.pdf	Hagenia abyssinica.pdf	
Halleria lucida			
Harrisonia abyssinica	Harrisonia abyssinica.pdf		
Harungana madagascariensis	Harungana madagascariensis.pdf	Harungana madagascariensis.pdf	
Heinsenia diervilliioides			
Heywoodia lucens			
Hymenocardia acida		Hymenocardia acida.pdf	
Hymenodictyon parvifolium			
Hypericum revolutum			
Ilex mitis	Ilex mitis.pdf		
Ixora scheffleri ssp. keniensis			
Juniperus procera	Juniperus procera.pdf	Juniperus procera.pdf	
Kedrostis gijef	Kedrostis pseudoqief.pdf		
Kigelia africana	Kigelia africana.pdf	Kigelia pinnata.pdf	kigelia africana.pdf
Kigelia moosa			
Lannea alata	Lannea alata.pdf		
Lannea humilis			
Lannea schweinfurthii	Lannea schweinfurthii.pdf		
Lannea triphylla	Lannea triphylla.pdf		
Lawsonia inermis	Lawsonia inermis.pdf	Lawsonia inermis.pdf	
Lecaniodiscus fraxinifolius	Lecaniodiscus fraxinifolius.pdf		
Lepidotrichilia volkensii			
Lepisanthes senegalensis	Lepisanthes senegalensis.pdf		
Lovoa swynnertonii		Lovoa swynnertonii.pdf	
Macaranga capensis			
Macaranga kilimandscharica	Macaranga kilimandscharica.pdf	Macaranga kilimandscharica.pdf	
Maerua decumbens	Maerua decumbens.pdf		
Maerua denhardtiorum			
Maerua triphylla			
Maesa lanceolata			
Maesopsis eminii	Maesopsis eminii.pdf	Maesopsis eminii.pdf	maesopsis eminii.pdf
Manilkara butugi	Manilkara sulcata.pdf		
Manilkara discolor	Manilkara sulcata.pdf		
Margaritaria discoidea	Margaritaria discoidea.pdf		
Markhamia lutea	Markhamia lutea.pdf	Markhamia lutea.pdf	
Maytenus acuminata			
Maytenus heterophylla			
Maytenus keniensis			
Maytenus senegalensis	Maytenus senegalensis.pdf		
Maytenus undata			
Melia volkensii	Melia volkensii.pdf	Melia volkensii.pdf	melia volkensii.pdf

Species	Useful Trees and Shrubs	AgroForesTree Database	Seed Leaflets
Memecylon teitense			
Milicia excelsa	Milicia excelsa.pdf	Milicia excelsa.pdf	milicia excelsa.pdf
Millettia dura	Millettia dura.pdf	Millettia dura.pdf	
Millettia oblata ssp. teitensis			
Mimusops bagshawei	Mimusops kummel.pdf		
Mimusops kummel	Mimusops kummel.pdf		
Mitragyna rubrostipulata			
Monodera myristica	Monodora grandidieri.pdf		
Morus mesozygia			
Myrianthus holstii	Myrianthus holstii.pdf		
Myrica salicifolia			
Myrsine africana	Myrsine africana.pdf		
Mystroxydon aethiopicum			
Nauclea latifolia			
Neoboutonia macrocalyx			
Newtonia buchananii	Newtonia buchananii.pdf	Newtonia buchananii.pdf	
Nuxia congesta	Nuxia congesta.pdf	Nuxia congesta.pdf	
Nuxia floribunda	Nuxia congesta.pdf		
Ochna holstii			
Ochna keniensis			
Ochna ovata			
Ocotea kenyensis	Ocotea usambarensis.pdf		
Ocotea usambarensis	Ocotea usambarensis.pdf	Ocotea usambarensis.pdf	
Olea capensis	Olea capensis subsp. macrocarpa.pdf	Olea capensis.pdf	
Olea europaea ssp. africana	Olea europaea subsp. cuspidata.pdf	Olea europaea ssp.africana.pdf	
Olinia rochetiana			
Oxyanthus speciosus			
Ozoroa insignis	Ozoroa insignis subsp. reticulata.pdf		
Pachystela brevipes	Synsepalum brevipes.pdf		
Parinari curatellifolia	Parinari curatellifolia.pdf	Parinari curatellifolia.pdf	parinari curatellifolia.pdf
Phoenix reclinata	Phoenix reclinata.pdf	Phoenix reclinata.pdf	
Piliostigma thonningii	Piliostigma thonningii.pdf	Piliostigma thonningii.pdf	
Pistacia aethiopica	Pistacia aethiopica.pdf		
Pittosporum lanatum			
Pittosporum viridiflorum			
Platycelyphium voense			
Podocarpus falcatus	Podocarpus falcatus.pdf	Podocarpus falcatus.pdf	podocarpus falcatus.pdf
Podocarpus latifolius	Podocarpus latifolius.pdf		
Polyscias fulva	Polyscias fulva.pdf	Polyscias fulva.pdf	
Polyscias kikuyuensis	Polyscias fulva.pdf	Polyscias kikuyuensis.pdf	
Premna angolensis	Premna resinosa.pdf		
Premna hildebrandtii			
Premna maxima	Premna resinosa.pdf		
Premna resinosa	Premna resinosa.pdf		
Prunus africana	Prunus africana.pdf	Prunus africana.pdf	prunus africana.pdf
Pseudospondias microcarpa			

Species	Useful Trees and Shrubs	AgroForesTree Database	Seed Leaflets
Psiadia punctulata			
Psorospermum febrifugum			
Psychotria crassipetala			
Psychotria mahonii			
Psychotria petiti			
Psydrax parviflora			
Psydrax schimperiana			
Pterolobium stellatum			
Rapanea melanophloeos	Myrsine africana.pdf		
Rauvolfia caffra	Rauvolfia caffra.pdf	Rauvolfia caffra.pdf	
Rawsonia lucida			
Rhus natalensis	Rhus natalensis.pdf	Rhus natalensis.pdf	
Rinorea convallarioides ssp. marsabitensis			
Ritchiea albersii			
Rothmannia urcelliformis			
Rubus keniensis			
Salvadora persica	Salvadora persica.pdf	Salvadora persica.pdf	
Sapium ellipticum	Sapium ellipticum.pdf	Sapium ellipticum.pdf	
Schefflera abyssinica			
Schefflera volkensii		Schefflera volkensii.pdf	
Schrebera alata	Schrebera alata.pdf		
Sclerocarya birrea ssp. caffra	Sclerocarya birrea.pdf	Sclerocarya birrea ssp. caffra.pdf	sclerocarya birrea.pdf
Scutia myrtina	Scutia myrtina.pdf		
Securidaca longepedunculata		Securidaca longepedunculata.pdf	
Senna singueana	Senna singueana.pdf	Senna singueana.pdf	
Sesamothamnus rivaie			
Sesbania sesban	Sesbania sesban.pdf	Sesbania sesban.pdf	
Spathodea campanulata	Spathodea campanulata.pdf	Spathodea campanulata.pdf	
Sterculia africana	Sterculia africana.pdf		
Sterculia stenocarpa			
Stereospermum kunthianum	Stereospermum kunthianum.pdf	Stereospermum kunthianum.pdf	
Strombosia scheffleri	Strombosia scheffleri.pdf		
Strychnos henningsii	Strychnos henningsii.pdf	Strychnos henningsii.pdf	
Strychnos madagascariensis	Strychnos mitis.pdf		
Strychnos mitis	Strychnos mitis.pdf		
Strychnos spinosa	Strychnos spinosa.pdf	Strychnos spinosa	
Suregada procera			
Syzygium cordatum	Syzygium cordatum.pdf	Syzygium cordatum.pdf	
Syzygium guineense	Syzygium guineense.pdf	Syzygium guineense.pdf	
Tabernaemontana pachysiphon			
Tabernaemontana stapfiana			
Tabernaemontana ventricosa			
Tamarindus indica	Tamarindus indica.pdf	Tamarindus indica.pdf	tamarindus indica.pdf
Tarchonanthus camphoratus		Tarchonanthus camphoratus.pdf	
Tarenna graveolens			
Teclea nobilis	Vepris nobilis.pdf	Teclea nobilis.pdf	

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Teclea simplicifolia	Vepris nobilis.pdf		
Teclea trichocarpa			
Terminalia brownii	Terminalia brownii.pdf	Terminalia brownii.pdf	
Terminalia mollis	Terminalia mollis.pdf		
Terminalia orbicularis	Terminalia orbicularis.pdf		
Terminalia parvula			
Terminalia prunioides	Terminalia prunioides.pdf	Terminalia prunioides.pdf	
Terminalia spinosa	Terminalia spinosa.pdf		
Thunbergia guerkeana			
Thylachium thomasii	Thylachium thomasii.pdf		
Tiliacora kenyensis			
Trema orientalis	Trema orientalis.pdf	Trema orientalis.pdf	
Trichilia dregeana			
Trichilia emetica	Trichilia emetica.pdf	Trichilia emetica.pdf	trichilia emetica.pdf
Trichocladus ellipticus			
Trilepisium madagascariense			
Turraea holstii			
Turraea mombassana			
Turraea nilotica			
Turraea robusta			
Uvariadendron anisatum			
Vangueria infausta	Vangueria infausta.pdf	Vangueria infausta.pdf	
Vangueria madagascariensis	Vangueria madagascariensis.pdf	Vangueria madagascariensis.pdf	
Vernonia amygdalina	Vernonia amygdalina.pdf	Vernonia amygdalina.pdf	
Vernonia auriculifera			
Vitex doniana	Vitex doniana.pdf	Vitex doniana.pdf	
Vitex keniensis	Vitex keniensis.pdf	Vitex keniensis.pdf	vitex keniensis.pdf
Vitex payos	Vitex payos.pdf	Vitex payos.pdf	
Warburgia ugandensis	Warburgia ugandensis.pdf	Warburgia ugandensis.pdf	
Ximenia americana	Ximenia americana.pdf	Ximenia americana.pdf	ximenia americana.pdf
Xymalos monospora			
Zanthoxylum chalybeum	Zanthoxylum chalybeum.pdf	Zanthoxylum chalybeum.pdf	
Zanthoxylum gillettii	Zanthoxylum gillettii.pdf	Zanthoxylum gillettii.pdf	
Zanthoxylum mildbraedii	Zanthoxylum gillettii.pdf		
Zanthoxylum rubescens	Zanthoxylum gillettii.pdf		
Zanthoxylum usambarense	Zanthoxylum usambarense.pdf		
Ziziphus abyssinica	Ziziphus abyssinica.pdf	Ziziphus abyssinica.pdf	
Ziziphus mucronata	Ziziphus mucronata.pdf	Ziziphus mucronata.pdf	