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*Cassia fistula* L.

**Family:** Fabaceae

**Common name:** Golden shower tree

**Vernacular name:** കണിക്കൊന്ന

**Nativity:** Indian Sub-Continent to Myanmar

**Habit:** Tree

**Habitat:** Humid valley forest, open forest, open area

**IUCN Status:** Least Concerned

**Keynotes:** The golden shower tree, The leaves are deciduous, The flowers are produced in pendulous racemes.

**Uses:** The leaves have also been used to supplement the diets of cattle, sheep, and goats fed with low-quality forages. A paste of the flowers is used as an ointment for pimples.



## References

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