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Tectona grandis L.f.

Family: Lamiaceae

Common name: Teak

Vernacular name: തേക്ക്

Nativity: India to Indo-China

Habit: Tree

Habitat: moist forests with up to 5,000 mm of rain per year

IUCN Status: Endangered

Keynotes: *Tectona grandis* is a large, deciduous tree reaching over 30 m in height in favourable conditions. Crown open with many small branches; the bole is often buttressed and may be fluted, up to 15 m long below the 1st branches, up to 1 m dbh.

Uses: Used for poles, beams, trusses, columns, roofs, doors, window frames, flooring, planking, panelling, and staircases, and other constructional work. One of the best timbers for furniture and cabinet-making, wagon and railway carriages.



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