### Spot Characters (1):

Schopfbäume Growth Form

# Spot Characters 1 : Schopfbäume Growth Form

- Caulescent trees bearing an apical tuft or 'rosette' of leaves
- This growth form gives the tree a more or less umbrella like shape
- Usually with large, crowded leaves
- Trees may be branched or unbranched for branched Schopfbäume habit, each branch bears a tuft of leaves (e.g Aralidium pinnatifidum)



Schizolobium parahyba (Brazilian Fern Tree)



Carica papaya cultivar (Golden Papaya)

#### Examples of plants recorded from Singapore:

Taxon that are recorded from Singapore (Native)	
*Listing is non-exhaustive	
Family	Genus
Araliaceae	Arthrophyllum, Schefflera (in part), Trevesia (in part)
Asparagaceae	Dracaena
Connaraceae	Cnestis (in part)- seen in young plants
Cycadaceae	Cycas
Euphorbiaceae	Agrogistachys, Trigonostemon (in part)
Lecythidaceae	Barringtonia (in part)
Malvaceae	Sterculia (in part)
Meliaceae	Aglaia (in part)
Pandanaceae	Pandanus
Phyllanthaceae	Glochidion (in part), Phyllanthus (in part)
Rubiaceae	Lasianthus (in part), Psydrax (in part), Urophyllum (in part)
Simaroubaceae	Eurycoma
Torricelliaceae	Aralidium
Vitaceae (Including Leeaceae)	Leea (In part)





Agrostistachys borneensis (Bornean Leaf Litter Plant)

#### Examples of plants recorded from Singapore:





Aralidium pinnatifidum (False Ivy Palm )



Cycas edentata (Native Cycad)



Eurycoma longifolia (Tongkat Ali)

## Examples of plants that exist only as cultivated specimens in Singapore:

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*Listing is non-exhaustive	
Family	Genus
Araliaceae	Osmoxylon (in part), Schefflera (in part), Trevesia (in part)
Asparagaceae	Cordyline
Bignoniaceae	Oroxylum
Caricaceae	Carica
Leguminosae	Schizolobium
Meliaceae	Toona (in part)
Oxalidaceae	Averrhoa (in part)
Sapindaceae	Lepisanthes (in part)
Xanthorrhoeaceae	Xanthorrhoea







Lepisanthes amonea (Kayu Mata Hari)