



TREE SPECIES (SCIENTIFIC NAME)

Inga saltensis

PERU COMMON NAME

Pacae maní, Pacay

TREE FAMILY

FABACEAE

AVERAGE LEAF SIZE (CM)

15.67cm × **7.16cm**
Length Width

DISTRIBUTION

 **UNKNOWN**

ELEVATIONAL RANGE (M)

600–1000m

TREE HEIGHT

SMALL (10–20M)



NATIVE TO

Region: Americas

Latin America: Argentina, Bolivia, Peru

COFFEE AGROFORESTRY INFORMATION

COFFEE SYSTEM

 **ARABICA**

COFFEE IMPACT

 **BENEFICIAL TO COFFEE**

TREE MANAGEMENT

Planted by seed and has an average incidence of pests.

CULTIVATION

 **PLANTED**

 **NATURAL**

PREVALENCE

 **COMMON IN COFFEE AGROFORESTRY**

TREE BENEFITS AND USES

FARMER USES



Firewood

FARM SERVICES



Coffee Shade, Soil Improvement, Erosion Control, Nitrogen Fixation

Coffee Shade: provides medium shade

BIODIVERSITY BENEFITS

 **YES**

It provides pod-like fruits that are consumed mainly by tanagers and blue-headed parrots. It houses arthropods in leaves, flowers and bark that serve as food for insectivorous birds. It produces nectar that is consumed by nectarivorous birds such as hummingbirds, tanagers and honeycreepers.

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