



TREE SPECIES (SCIENTIFIC NAME)

# *Salacia macrantha*

PERU COMMON NAME

Chuchuhuasi

TREE FAMILY

**CELASTRACEAE**

AVERAGE LEAF SIZE (CM)

Unknown

ELEVATIONAL RANGE (M)

**100–800M**

TREE HEIGHT

**SHRUB (1–10M)**



DISTRIBUTION



**NATIVE TO PERU**

NATIVE TO

**Region:** Americas

**Latin America:** Bolivia, Brazil, Colombia, Ecuador, Peru, Venezuela

## COFFEE AGROFORESTRY INFORMATION

COFFEE SYSTEM



**ARABICA**

COFFEE IMPACT



**BENEFICIAL TO COFFEE**

TREE MANAGEMENT

Planted by seed and has a low incidence of pests.

CULTIVATION



**PLANTED**

PREVALENCE

Not Common in Coffee Agroforestry

## TREE BENEFITS AND USES

FARMER USES



**Food**

FARM SERVICES



**Coffee Shade, Soil Improvement**

Coffee Shade: provides sparse to medium shade

BIODIVERSITY BENEFITS

**✓ YES**

Its fruits are part of the diet of rodent mammals such as the Lowland paca (Cuniculus paca).

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