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Code: TREE-00146 **Category:** Trees **Local / Vernacular name:** Tulu: Nokate.

Botanical Details

Family : gnetaceae

Characteristic features :

Habit : Liana or large woody dioecious climber with jointed branches at the nodes.

Leaves : Leaves are ovate, oblong or elliptic in shape and are arranged in opposite manner.

Inflorescence : spicate, axillary with many superposed cupular connate bracts called collars, each collar containing unisexual sessile flowers.

Seeds : Seed is solitary, ellipsoid and hard, endospermous enclosed with three envelopes forming a pseudo-fruit, reddish orange when ripened.

Flowering and Fruiting time : December to June

Significance : IUCN listed Endangered Climber.

Location

GPS: 12.87286900, 74.84581300

Directions: <https://www.google.com/maps/dir/?api=1&travelmode=walking&destination=12.872869%2C74.845813>