

Anogeissus pendula

Botanical name: *Anogeissus pendula*

Common name: Kardhai or Dhoy

Morphological characters:

It is a small tree, Bark is smooth grey, sliver white often with shallow fissures when old. Leaves elliptic, acute and narrow at the base, silky on both surface. Fruit small, one seeded with two wings, and a short beak at the apex.



Anogeissus pendula is a very important tree species of the fragile ecosystems. It is a drought hardy plant that yields timber, fodder and other products. It yields Gum and Tannin. *A. pendula* has ecological significance for the Aravallis and other hilly areas of the country.

Growing season and type:

1. The tree is essentially an inhabitant of dry and hot regions where the annual rainfall ranges between 400 and 800 mm.
2. The species can withstand a temperature regime of 23–478°C.



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1. Flower of *Anogeissus pendula*
2. Leaves of *Anogeissus pendula*
3. *Anogeissus pendula* tree

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