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Acronyms

CR	Critically Endangered	BGCI	Botanic Gardens Conservation International
EN	Endangered	DAPC	Database of Asian Plants in Cultivation
VU	Vulnerable	FFI	Fauna & Flora International
NT	Near Threatened	GTC	Global Trees Campaign
DD	Data Deficient	GSPC	Global Strategy for Plant Conservation
LC	Least Concern	ICCP	International Conifer Conservation Programme
		IPSN	International Plant Sentinel Network
		IUCN	International Union for Conservation of Nature
		IUCN/SSC	International Union for Conservation of Nature/Species Survival Commission
		USDA	United States Department of Agriculture

Summary

Following a collaborative international effort, *The Red List of Betulaceae* was published in 2014 by Botanic Gardens Conservation International (BGCI) as part of our ongoing contributions to the Global Trees Campaign (GTC). The report contained conservation assessments of 240 Betulaceae taxa, using IUCN Red List Categories and Criteria (version 3.1). *The Red List of Betulaceae* identified 16 taxa at risk of extinction in the wild (assessed as Critically Endangered, Endangered or Vulnerable) and in need of conservation action. A further five taxa were assessed as Near Threatened. The report also highlighted that there is a lack of data available for many Betulaceae taxa (83 taxa were classified as Data Deficient) and made a call for increased research to be undertaken for these taxa.

To further determine conservation priorities, BGCI has undertaken an analysis of *ex situ* collections of Betulaceae taxa. This report contains the results of a global survey of *ex situ* Betulaceae taxa, as recorded in BGCI's PlantSearch database, and supplemented by other online ex *situ* collection databases (as detailed below).

This *ex situ* survey has identified 6394 records of accepted Betulaceae taxa from 440 institutions. Of the 16 threatened taxa (Critically Endangered, Endangered and Vulnerable), 12 taxa are reported as held in *ex situ* collections (75%). The remaining four taxa should therefore be brought into *ex situ* collections as an immediate priority. *Ex situ* conservation should be stepped up for all threatened Betulaceae taxa, as those reported as present in collections are limited to a small number of collections. Analysis is presented in the Results section of this report (page 7).

Annex 1 of this report (page 18) provides a full list of Betulaceae taxa and the number of reported *ex situ* collections per taxon, enabling identification of taxa currently absent from, or represented only in a small number of collections.

A more comprehensive understanding of the conservation status of Betulaceae (as presented in *The Red List of Betulaceae*) as well as the analysis of *ex situ* collections presented in this report, provides a strong basis to set conservation priorities.

This report also provides recommendations to strengthen *ex situ* conservation efforts for the entire Betulaceae family through methods such as increasing the genetic diversity of existing collections, as well as accessioning new taxa to collections and increasing the number of collection holdings. The report also recommends the use of collections in reintroduction and restoration programmes, to support remaining wild populations of Betulaceae taxa.

Introduction

The Red List of Betulaceae (Shaw et al., 2014) was produced by Botanic Gardens Conservation International (BGCI) and the USDA Forest Service in 2014, as part of BGCI's contributions to the Global Trees Campaign (GTC). Electronic copies of the report are available to download from the BGCI website (www.bgci.org) and the GTC website (www.globaltrees.org).

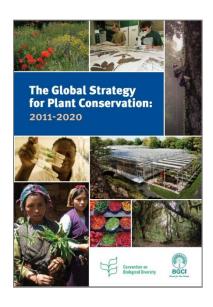
Betulaceae is a family containing many commercially important timber and nut producing trees. Betulaceae taxa are distributed across a large proportion of the northern hemisphere, from Canada in the West to China, Japan and Siberia in the East.

The Betulaceae family consists of six genera of trees and shrubs; *Alnus* (Alder), *Betula* (Birch), *Carpinus* (Hornbeam), *Corylus* (Hazel), *Ostrya* (Hop Hornbeam) and *Ostryopsis*. There are approximately 166 species and 240 taxa, however this number varies with taxonomic uncertainty.



There are several Betulaceae taxa which are only represented in the wild by small populations. *In situ* conservation action is a priority for these taxa to avoid their extinction. Options include habitat protection, monitoring, and propagation and reintroduction programmes to support remaining populations. Initiatives should aim to include local people to ensure sustainability of conservation measures and continued benefit from provisioning and ecosystem services provided by these species.

Alongside *in situ* conservation measures, it is also important to ensure that all threatened taxa are represented in well-managed *ex situ* collections, providing an insurance policy for wild populations and mitigating the risks posed by natural disaster. *Ex situ* options for Betulaceae taxa include seed banking, cryopreservation, as well as maintenance of living collections in botanic gardens and arboreta. To maximise conservation value, *ex situ* collections should be genetically diverse, to enable recovery and restoration programmes. *Ex situ* conservation collections support the achievement of Target 8 of the Global Strategy for Plant Conservation (GSPC) (CBD, 2012).



Global Strategy for Plant
Conservation (2011-2020),
Target 8:

At least 75 per cent of threatened
plant species in ex situ
collections, preferably in the
country of origin, and at least 20
per cent available for recovery
and restoration programmes

Methodology

A global survey of *ex situ* collections of Betulaceae taxa was undertaken by BGCI, building on information held within BGCI's PlantSearch Database (BGCI, 2015). The aim of the survey was to assess gaps in reported *ex situ* collections of Betulaceae and to develop a prioritised plan for the long term integrated conservation of Betulaceae taxa, with a focus on threatened taxa; Critically Endangered (CR), Endangered (EN) and Vulnerable (VU).

The survey was promoted on the BGCI website (www.bgci.org), in BGCI's e-newsletter, *Cultivate*, and survey announcements were sent out via a number of relevant listserv and mailing lists as well as over social media. Botanic gardens, arboreta and seed banks were encouraged to upload or update their collection records in BGCI's PlantSearch database.

The list of 240 Betulaceae taxa assessed in *The Red List of Betulaceae* was compared to *ex situ* collection records held on:

- BGCI's PlantSearch database (www.bgci.org/plant_search.php)
- Other online databases of ex situ collections:
 - Database of Asian Plants in Cultivation (DAPC) maintained by Quarryhill Botanical Garden and California Academy of Sciences (www.research.calacademy.org/research/botany/quarryhill/index.asp)
 - Additional institutional collection records not represented on PlantSearch

Duplicate collection records were removed from the analysis.

The list of 240 taxa assessed in *The Red List of Betulaceae* is based on accepted names in the *Betula* monograph (Ashburner and McAllister, 2013) and accepted names in The World Checklist of Selected Plant Families (Govaerts & Bopp, 2015). Analysis of representation of Betulaceae taxa in *ex situ* collections is based on accepted names.

Records held in PlantSearch that matched to genus level, but did not match full accepted name records (cultivars, synonyms and incorrect nomenclature) were used in the analysis of collection balance.

Unstable taxonomy, unclear synonymy, as well as incorrect identification of specimens are inherent limitations associated with surveys of this nature. This survey also relies heavily on the participation of collection holders and provision of data to BGCl's PlantSearch database. It is likely that important additional specimens will be held in private collections which are poorly represented in surveys such as this, as botanic garden, arboreta and seed banks are the main users of PlantSearch and were the main focus of the calls collection information. In addition, collections are not static and changes are not always updated by PlantSearch users.

A final caveat is that this survey assesses presence or absence of taxa in collections, but does not attempt to assess the quality of the *ex situ* collections. It is therefore not possible to determine their true conservation value and suitability for recovery and restoration programmes from this survey alone. Readers of this report are therefore encouraged to search for specific taxa of interest in the online PlantSearch database to enable identification of the most up to date information on number of collections. PlantSearch also provides the facility to contact collection holders to request further information or plant material: www.bgci.org/plant_search.php.

Results

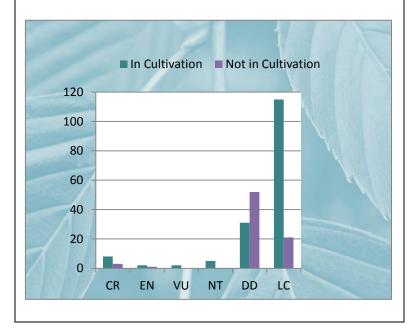
General findings

The survey identified 6394 records¹ of accepted Betulaceae taxa from 440 institutions. Analysis of these records indicates that 68% of accepted Betulaceae taxa (163 out of 240) are reported as held in *ex situ* collections.

Threatened taxa

Figure 1. Summary results – presence and absence of Betulaceae taxa reported in *ex situ* collections by IUCN Red List status

	In Cultivation	Not in Cultivation	Total
CR	8	3	11
EN	2	1	3
VU	2	0	2
NT	5	0	5
DD	31	52	83
LC	115	21	136
Total	163	77	240



Of the 16 threatened Betulaceae taxa, 12 taxa are reported as held in *ex situ* collections (75%), represented by 122 records. This indicates that the *ex situ* component of Target 8 of the GSPC is met for this family, but ideally all threatened taxa should be protected in *ex situ* collections.

Three Critically Endangered (CR) taxa are not reported as held in any *ex situ* collections; *Alnus maritima* ssp. *oklahomensis, Betula gynoterminalis* and *Carpinus hebestroma*.

One Endangered (EN) taxon is not reported as held in any *ex situ* collections; *Alnus maritima* ssp. *maritima*.

These taxa should be brought into *ex situ* collections as a priority. Country-level distribution information for priority taxa is provided in Table 1 below as a call to action for botanic gardens in these countries.

¹ For the purposes of this survey, a record is the presence of a single living accepted *Betulaceae* taxon within an institution and may include multiple accessions and/or individuals

All VU and NT are reported as represented in *ex situ* collections. However most of these taxa are limited to a small number of collections.

Ex situ collections, particularly of threatened taxa, should ideally be represented at multiple ex situ sites. Table 1 below shows that most threatened Betulaceae taxa reported as held in ex situ collections are limited to a small number of collections. The most well represented Betulaceae taxon reported in ex situ collections is the Vulnerable Alnus subcordata reported as held in 41 collections.

Table 1. Number of reported *ex situ* collections of threatened Betulaceae taxa (CR, EN and VU) and country-level distribution.

Species	Number of collections	Country of origin
Critically Endangered taxa	collections	
Betula chichibuensis	28	Japan
Ostrya rehderiana	10	China
Carpinus putoensis	6	China
Betula murrayana	5	Canada, United States of America
Alnus henryi	3	Taiwan
Ostrya chisosensis	3	United States of America
Alnus maritima ssp. georgiensis	1	United States of America
Carpinus tientaiensis	1	China
Alnus maritima ssp. oklahomensis	0	United States of America
Betula gynoterminalis	0	China
Carpinus hebestroma	0	Taiwan
Endangered taxa		
Alnus maritima	36	United States of America
Betula megrelica	8	Georgia
Alnus maritima ssp. maritima	0	United States of America
Vulnerable taxa		
Alnus subcordata	41	Azerbaijan, Iran
Corylus colchica	2	Georgia
Near Threatened taxa		
Betula medwediewii	43	Georgia, Turkey, Iran, Azerbaijan, Armenia
Betula tianschanica	36	China, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Mongolia, Tajikistan, Uzbekistan
Betula globispica	21	Japan
Betula calcicola	7	China
Betula bomiensis	5	Tibet

Data Deficient and Least Concern taxa

Of the 83 taxa assessed as Data Deficient (DD) in *The Red List of Betulaceae*, 52 taxa are not reported as represented in *ex situ* collections. There is taxonomic debate surrounding many of these taxa and they may therefore be listed in *ex situ* collection databases under different names. Seven of the DD taxa not reported in collections are recently described taxa (described since 2010) so are less likely to be found in collections, at least under that taxon name, compared to taxa described long ago. 24 of the DD taxa not reported in collections originate from China. It is possible that some of these taxa are found in Chinese botanic gardens that to date have not provided collection information to PlantSearch or other consulted databases.

Of the 136 taxa assessed as Least Concern (LC), 21 are not reported as found in *ex situ* collections. Ten of those taxa are found in China and were assessed as Least Concern on the Chinese Red List (CAS, 2014), but little or no additional information was available on distribution or threats. The lack of information available for these taxa may explain their absence from collections, and some may be represented in Chinese botanic gardens that to date have not provided collection information to consulted databases.

Although collection information held in BGCI's PlantSearch database and other consulted databases is not complete, it is the best information available and highlights that many DD and LC taxa reported as held in collections are represented by a small number of collections. Target 8 of the GSPC highlights the preference for *ex situ* collections to be held in the country of origin. An initial analysis of distribution information indicates that many taxa are held in collections far from their natural range. This can hinder the value of collections for use in restoration programmes. The results also highlight a need to encourage provision of more comprehensive collection data to PlantSearch from regions where many of the DD taxa occur, predominantly China and Japan.

Genus level analysis

Alnus

Of the 58 *Alnus* taxa, 45 (or 78%) are reported as found in *ex situ* collections. *Alnus*, commonly called Alders, are popular ornamental trees due to their attractive catkins and cones.



Alnus pendula, LC, Korea & Japan



Alnus henryi, CR, Taiwan



Alnus maritima ssp. georgiensis, CR, U.S.A

Betula

Of the 79 *Betula* taxa, 58 (or 73%) are reported as represented in *ex situ* collections. *Betula*, commonly called Birch, are popular ornamental trees and shrubs because of their unique bark and attractive catkins.



Betula chichibuensis, CR, Japan



Betula megrelica, EN, Georgia

Carpinus

There are 63 *Carpinus* taxa, 29 (or 46%) of which are reported as found in collections. Many *Carpinus* taxa, commonly known as Hornbeams, have attractive deeply ribbed leaves and are used in hedging.



Carpinus betulus, LC, Europe to Iran

Corylus

85%, or 22 of the 26 *Corylus* taxa are reported as represented in collections. The entire *Corylus* genus, or the Hazels, produce edible nuts known as hazelnuts or cobnuts.



Corylus sieboldiana var. mandshurica, LC Siberia to Japan

Ostrya

Of the 11 Ostrya taxa, seven (or 64%) are reported as found in collections. This includes the Critically Endangered Ostrya chisosensis, reported as found in three ex situ collections and also protected in situ in Big Bend National Park, Texas.



Ostrya carpinifolia, LC, Europe, Caucasus, Turkey, Lebanon

Ostryopsis

Ostryopsis is a genus with only three taxa, two of which are represented in ex situ collections. The species that is not held in a collection is Ostryopsis intermedia (DD). As Ostryopsis only contains three taxa, all should be conserved in ex situ collections as a priority, to mitigate the risk of losing the entire genus.

Collection balance

65% of Betulaceae records (6394 out of 9862 records consulted²) represent accepted names (following the taxonomy used in *The Red List of Betulaceae*). Only 1% or 122 records represent threatened taxa (Critically Endangered, Endangered or Vulnerable) and 1% represent Near Threatened taxa. 54% of the records (5289 records) represent Least Concern taxa. 38% represent cultivars (1691 records) or unplaced records (2030 records) which hold limited value to conservation.

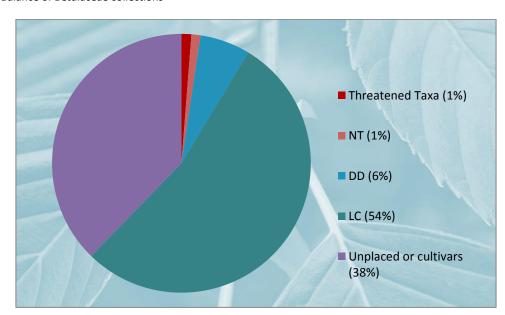


Figure 2. Balance of Betulaceae collections

² This analysis includes records held in PlantSearch that matched to genus level, but did not match full accepted name records (cultivars, synonyms and incorrect nomenclature). Only accepted name records (full match to accepted name) were included from DAPC and other consulted databases

Comparison with other families

BGCI and GTC have previously carried out several *ex situ* surveys of different taxonomic groups. Table 2 shows the percentage of each group's taxa found in collections.

Taxonomic group (number of taxa)	% of taxa in collections
Zelkova (6)	100%
Conifers (879)	85%
Aceraceae (191)	79%
Betulaceae (240)	68%
Rhododendron (1157)	67%
Quercus (216)	62%
Magnoliaceae (247)	48%

Table 2. Comparison of taxonomic groups that have been the subject of GTC ex situ surveys.

Recommendations and the way forward

Collection focus

To be of greatest direct conservation value, available resources should be used to maintain threatened taxa (CR, EN, VU) in *ex situ* collections. Whilst the 75% *ex situ* goal of Target 8 of the GSPC is met for Betulaceae, analysis shows that a large part of Betulaceae collections focus on Least Concern taxa and cultivars. An increased focus on threatened taxa in collections would improve conservation efforts.

The four threatened taxa which are currently not reported as held in *ex situ* collections (*Alnus maritima* ssp. *oklahomensis*, *Betula gynoterminalis*, *Carpinus hebestroma* and *Alnus maritima* ssp. *maritima*) should be brought into *ex situ* collections as a matter of urgency. Ideally this should be a coordinated effort between botanic gardens or similar institutions in the region as sharing of material between collections increases the security of the holdings. A good example of a collaborative collecting and conservation programme for trees is the International Conifer Conservation Programme (ICCP). More information about the ICCP can be found here: www.rbge.org.uk/science/genetics-and-conservation/international-conifer-conservation-programme.

If managed well, non-threatened and cultivar collections can provide indirect conservation value, through education and research programmes.

Identification of taxa and use of current nomenclature

It is clear from the number of unplaced records in PlantSearch that improved identification of Betulaceae taxa already in collections is required, alongside updating of labelling and records to align with current nomenclature. There have been various taxonomic revisions of the Betulaceae family which likely contributes to the high number of unplaced records. Collectors and collection holders are advised to contact experts to verify their collections.

Ensuring collections are genetically viable

This survey has not attempted to investigate genetic diversity or source of collections, but the following guidelines are applicable when establishing any *ex situ* collection.

Target 8 of the GSPC calls for 20% of *ex situ* collections to be made available for recovery and restoration programmes, helping to ensure the survival of taxa *in situ* as well as in back-up collections. Wild collected material that captures genetic diversity enables *ex situ* collections to be used for such programmes.

Efforts should be made to adhere to the following guidance (adapted from Guerrant, et al., 2004) as far as possible:

For species with 50 or fewer populations, collect from as many populations as resources allow, up to all 50. For species with more than 50 populations, collect from as many populations as is practical, up to 50.

For populations with 50 or fewer individuals, collect from all known individuals; for populations with more than 50 individuals, collect from 50. This represents the ideal sample meant to serve the broad range of expected purposes, but it is recognised that in practice, and especially for very threatened species, sample sizes will often be much smaller than these benchmark guidelines.

It is essential to not damage natural populations or hinder natural regeneration when collecting wild material, again particularly important for threatened taxa with small remaining populations. As a benchmark figure for seed collection, no more than 20% of available seed should be collected. For further guidance on seed collection for threatened tree taxa, please consult GTC brief 5: *How to collect seeds from threatened tree species*, available from the GTC website (www.globaltrees.org/resources/resource-type/practical-guidance).

Further analysis of genetic potential in existing Betulaceae collections would help assess current availability of material for restoration and further inform collection planning.

Type of material

Seed banking is a good option for *ex situ* collections of trees, as this enables collections to capture a large amount of genetic diversity, but requires minimal space and resources to manage. This is only relevant for the Betulaceae taxa with orthodox seeds. It is recommended that taxon specific research is undertaken to determine the appropriate *ex situ* conservation measure, particularly for threatened species.

Multiple ex situ collections

Many of the threatened taxa, if found in *ex situ* collections, are only represented in a small number of collections. Having multiple *ex situ* collections is crucial in reducing the risk of loss from natural disaster, pests or diseases, etc. *Ex situ* collections can be important resources in studying the effects of climate change and the movement of pests and diseases across international borders. Sharing information internationally is critical for mitigating current and potential threats to plant survival. A good of this is BGCl's International Plant Sentinel Network. More information can be found at www.plantsentinel.org.

Curation and maintenance of collections

It is essential to collect data and maintain associated records for *ex situ* collections. This includes herbarium vouchers and photographs to enable correct identification, as well as GPS readings to enable propagated material to be reintroduced to the source location in future. Numbering and

labelling of collections is essential to ensure each accession is linked to its associated data and of maximum potential value for recovery programmes.

As with data management, horticultural management of collections is essential to ensure individuals are not lost unnecessarily. This is particularly important for threatened taxa.

Use of material in recovery and restoration programmes

When planning recovery programmes, in depth planning is essential. Involvement of local communities, botanic gardens and conservation partners is advised, to help identify and manage the threats to natural populations, and to ensure actions are sustainable. GTC brief 9: *How to plant and establish threatened trees in the wild*, provides further guidance (available at: www.globaltrees.org/resources/resource-type/practical-guidance).

A recovery programme is being developed by GTC for the Endangered Georgian endemic *Betula megrelica*, in collaboration with partners in country and experts from Stone Lane Gardens in the UK, following its assessment in *The Red List of Betulaceae* and publication on the IUCN Red List of Threatened Species. You can find more information about this project on the GTC website: www.globaltrees.org/projects.

Education programmes

Botanic gardens and other public facing organisations are key in encouraging broader public interest and engagement with the conservation of threatened species. This can be achieved through labelling and interpretations signs, highlighting the threats to specific species, as well as through literature, websites and social media. BGCI US's Care for the Rare programme (www.bgci.org/usa/CareForTheRare) offers free interpretation resources and a sign library.

Enhancing collection data

The accuracy of surveys such as this one is limited by the number of botanic gardens contributing data to PlantSearch, the quality of data, and the regularity that collections are updated. Botanic gardens are therefore encouraged to provide data to PlantSearch and ensure their collections records are regularly updated to enable surveys such as this to provide the most accurate assessment of conservation progress as possible. Whilst the PlantSearch database has its own inherent limitations, work is ongoing to improve the database, and it remains the best tool available for measuring *ex situ* conservation progress at the global level.

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Annex 1: IUCN assessed Betulaceae taxa with number of reported ex situ collections and IUCN Red List status

Taxon Name	Number of <i>ex situ</i> collections	IUCN Status
Alnus acuminata	10	LC
Alnus acuminata ssp. acuminata	0	LC
Alnus acuminata ssp. arguta	4	LC
Alnus acuminata ssp. glabrata	1	LC
Alnus cordata	91	LC
Alnus cremastogyne	10	LC
Alnus djavanshirii	0	DD
Alnus dolichocarpa	0	DD
Alnus fauriei	20	DD
Alnus ferdinandi-coburgii	6	LC
Alnus firma	49	DD
Alnus formosana	14	LC
Alnus glutinosa	174	LC
Alnus glutinosa ssp. antitaurica	0	DD
Alnus glutinosa ssp. barbata	17	DD
Alnus glutinosa ssp. betuloides	6	DD
Alnus glutinosa ssp. glutinosa	3	LC
Alnus glutipes	0	DD
Alnus hakkodensis	0	DD
Alnus henryi	3	CR
Alnus hirsuta	75	LC
Alnus incana	102	LC
Alnus incana ssp. incana	10	LC

	Number	IUCN
Taxon Name	of ex situ	Status
	collections	
Alnus incana ssp. kolaensis	0	DD
Alnus incana ssp. rugosa	30	LC
Alnus incana ssp. tenuifolia	21	LC
Alnus japonica	82	LC
Alnus jorullensis	7	LC
Alnus jorullensis ssp. jorullensis	3	DD
Alnus jorullensis ssp. lutea	0	DD
Alnus lanata	9	DD
Alnus mairei	0	DD
Alnus mandshurica	9	LC
Alnus maritima	36	EN
Alnus maritima ssp. georgiensis	1	CR
Alnus maritima ssp. maritima	0	EN
Alnus maritima ssp. oklahomensis	0	CR
Alnus matsumurae	10	LC
Alnus maximowiczii	51	DD
Alnus nepalensis	24	LC
Alnus nitida	8	LC
Alnus oblongifolia	9	LC
Alnus orientalis	19	DD
Alnus paniculata	0	DD
Alnus pendula	21	LC
Alnus rhombifolia	40	LC

Taxon Name	Number of <i>ex situ</i> collections	IUCN Status
Alnus rubra	69	LC
Alnus serrulata	65	LC
Alnus serrulatoides	4	DD
Alnus sieboldiana	23	DD
Alnus subcordata	41	VU
Alnus trabeculosa	17	LC
Alnus vermicularis	0	DD
Alnus viridis	62	LC
Alnus viridis ssp. crispa	29	LC
Alnus viridis ssp. fruticosa	10	LC
Alnus viridis ssp. sinuata	19	LC
Alnus viridis ssp. viridis	13	LC
Betula alleghaniensis	140	LC
Betula alnoides	23	LC
Betula ashburneri	4	LC
Betula baschkirica	0	DD
Betula bomiensis	5	NT
Betula calcicola	7	NT
Betula celtiberica	13	DD
Betula chichibuensis	28	CR
Betula chinensis	43	LC
Betula cordifolia	14	LC
Betula coriaceifolia	1	DD
Betula corylifolia	24	DD
Betula costata	75	LC
Betula cylindrostachya	4	LC
Betula dahurica	26	LC

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Betula dahurica var. dahurica	0	LC
Betula dahurica var. okuboi	0	DD
Betula dahurica var. parvifolia	0	DD
Betula delavayi	14	DD
Betula ermanii	107	LC
Betula ermanii var. ermanii	5	LC
Betula ermanii var. lanata	4	LC
Betula falcata	0	DD
Betula fargesii	6	DD
Betula fruticosa	34	LC
Betula glandulosa	43	LC
Betula globispica	21	NT
Betula gmelinii	1	LC
Betula grossa	63	LC
Betula gynoterminalis	0	CR
Betula honanensis	0	DD
Betula humilis	94	LC
Betula insignis	13	LC
Betula insignis ssp. fansipanensis	0	DD
Betula insignis ssp. insignis	0	LC
Betula karagandensis	0	DD
Betula klokovii	1	DD
Betula kotulae	0	DD
Betula lenta	146	LC
Betula luminifera	26	LC
Betula maximowicziana	108	LC
Betula medwediewii	43	NT

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Betula megrelica	8	EN
Betula michauxii	7	LC
Betula microphylla	22	LC
Betula murrayana	5	CR
Betula nana	119	LC
Betula nigra	167	LC
Betula occidentalis	72	LC
Betula papyrifera	166	LC
Betula pendula	194	LC
Betula pendula ssp. mandshurica	4	LC
Betula pendula ssp. szechuanica	2	DD
Betula pendula var. pendula	12	LC
Betula populifolia	112	LC
Betula potamophila	0	DD
Betula potaninii	27	LC
Betula psammophila	0	DD
Betula pubescens	128	LC
Betula pubescens var. fragrans	0	DD
Betula pubescens var. golitsinii	0	DD
Betula pubescens var. litwinowii	2	DD
Betula pubescens var. pubescens	19	LC
Betula pubescens var. pumila	4	DD
Betula pumila	9	LC
Betula raddeana	56	LC
Betula saksarensis	0	DD
Betula saviczii	0	DD
Betula schmidtii	63	DD

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Betula skvorsovii	0	DD
Betula sunanensis	0	DD
Betula tianschanica	36	NT
Betula utilis	100	LC
Betula utilis ssp. albosinensis	4	DD
Betula utilis ssp. occidentalis	8	LC
Betula utilis ssp. utilis	22	LC
Betula utilis var. jacquemontii	68	DD
Betula wuyiensis	0	DD
Betula zinserlingii	0	DD
Carpinus betulus	193	LC
Carpinus caroliniana	165	LC
Carpinus caroliniana ssp. caroliniana	3	LC
Carpinus caroliniana ssp. virginiana	19	LC
Carpinus chuniana	0	LC
Carpinus cordata	82	LC
Carpinus cordata var. chinensis	7	LC
Carpinus cordata var. cordata	0	LC
Carpinus cordata var. mollis	0	LC
Carpinus dayongiana	0	DD
Carpinus eximia	3	DD
Carpinus faginea	0	DD
Carpinus fangiana	16	LC
Carpinus fargesiana	17	LC
Carpinus fargesiana var. fargesiana	0	LC
Carpinus fargesiana var. hwai	0	LC
Carpinus firmifolia	0	LC

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Carpinus kweichowensis 1 LC
Carpinus laxiflora 58 DD
Carpinus lipoensis 0 DD
Carpinus Iondoniana 4 LC
Carpinus Iondoniana var. 0 DD Ianceolata
Carpinus Iondoniana var. Iatifolius 0 LC
Carpinus Iondoniana var. 0 LC Iondoniana
Carpinus londoniana var. 0 DD xiphobracteata
Carpinus luochengensis 0 DD
Carpinus mengshanensis 0 DD
Carpinus microphylla 0 DD
Carpinus mollicoma 1 LC
Carpinus monbeigiana 8 LC
Carpinus omeiensis 7 DD
Carpinus orientalis 75 LC
Carpinus orientalis ssp. 0 DD macrocarpa
Carpinus orientalis ssp. orientalis 0 LC
Carpinus paohsingensis 0 DD

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Carpinus polyneura	15	LC
Carpinus polyneura var. polyneura	0	DD
Carpinus polyneura var. sunpanensis	0	DD
Carpinus polyneura var. tsunyihensis	0	DD
Carpinus pubescens	6	LC
Carpinus purpurinervis	0	DD
Carpinus putoensis	6	CR
Carpinus rankanensis	5	LC
Carpinus rupestris	0	LC
Carpinus shensiensis	18	LC
Carpinus shimenensis	0	DD
Carpinus tientaiensis	1	CR
Carpinus tropicalis	0	LC
Carpinus tropicalis ssp. mexicana	0	DD
Carpinus tropicalis ssp. tropicalis	0	LC
Carpinus tsaiana	0	LC
Carpinus tschonoskii	58	LC
Carpinus turczaninowii	46	LC
Carpinus viminea	18	LC
Corylus americana	141	LC
Corylus avellana	175	LC
Corylus avellana var. avellana	2	LC
Corylus avellana var. pontica	3	DD
Corylus chinensis	67	LC
Corylus colchica	2	VU
Corylus colurna	174	LC
Corylus cornuta	72	LC

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Corylus cornuta ssp. californica	22	LC
Corylus cornuta ssp. cornuta	4	LC
Corylus fargesii	28	LC
Corylus ferox	14	LC
Corylus ferox var. ferox	0	LC
Corylus ferox var. tibetica	8	LC
Corylus heterophylla	5	LC
Corylus heterophylla var. heterophylla	3	LC
Corylus heterophylla var. sutchuenensis	10	LC
Corylus jacquemontii	15	DD
Corylus maxima	38	LC
Corylus potaninii	0	DD
Corylus sieboldiana	49	LC
Corylus sieboldiana var. mandshurica	31	LC
Corylus sieboldiana var. sieboldiana	0	DD
Corylus wangii	1	DD

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Corylus wulingensis	0	LC
Corylus yunnanensis	6	LC
Ostrya carpinifolia	136	LC
Ostrya chisosensis	3	CR
Ostrya japonica	57	LC
Ostrya knowltonii	4	LC
Ostrya multinervis	0	LC
Ostrya rehderiana	10	CR
Ostrya trichocarpa	0	LC
Ostrya virginiana	156	LC
Ostrya virginiana ssp. guatemalensis	0	LC
Ostrya virginiana ssp. virginiana	2	LC
Ostrya yunnanensis	0	DD
Ostryopsis davidiana	15	LC
Ostryopsis intermedia	0	DD
Ostryopsis nobilis	5	DD

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Bondone; Giardino Botanico Friuli "Cormor"; Gibraltar Botanic Gardens; Glasgow Botanic Gardens; Gradina Agrobotanica; Gradina Botanica a `Anastasie Fatu`, Iasi; Gradina Botanica Targu Mures; Grapevine Botanical Gardens at Heritage Park; Great Lakes Forestry Centre Arboretum; Green Bay Botanical Garden; Green Spring Gardens; Greenwood Gardens; Grugapark und Botanischer Garten der Stadt Essen; Hangzhou Botanical Garden; Harmas de Fabre; Harriet Irving Botanical Gardens; Helsinki University Botanic Garden; Henry Schmieder Arboretum; Hergest Croft Gardens; Hershey Gardens; Hessische Landesanstalt fur Forsteinrichtung; Hidden Lake Gardens; Historische Tuin Aalsmeer; Hof ter Saksen Arboretum; Holden Arboretum, The; Hortus Botanicus Amsterdam; Hortus Botanicus Reykjavikensis; Hortus Haren; Howick Arboretum; Hoyt Arboretum; Hunan Forest Botanical Garden; Huntington Botanical Gardens; Huntington Botanical Gardens - Seed Bank; Huntsville Botanical Garden; il Giardino della Minerva; Incheon Arboretum; International Forest Line Arboretum; Istituto e Orto Botanico dell'Universita di Pavia; Jade Garden Natural Arboretum; Jangheung Naturalk Arboretum; Jardi Botanic de Barcelona; Jardí Botànic de la Universitat de València; Jardi Botanic de Soller; Jardim Botanico da Madeira; Jardim Botânico da Universidade de Coimbra; Jardim Botânico da Universidade de Lisboa; Jardim Botânico da Universidade de Trás-os-Montes e Alto Douro; Jardim Botânico da Universidade do Porto; Jardim Botanico do Faial; Jardín Botánico "Carlos Thays"; Jardín Botánico Atlántico de Gijón; Jardín Botánico Francisco Javier Clavijero; Jardin Botanico Nacional; Jardin Botanique Camifolia; Jardin Botanique Alpin de la Jaÿsinia; Jardin Botanique de la Ville de Caen; Jardin Botanique de la Ville de Lyon; Jardin Botanique de l'Université de Strasbourg; Jardin Botanique de Marnay sur Seine; Jardin botanique de Neuchâtel; Jardin botanique de Paris; Jardin Botanique et Arboretum Henri Gaussen; Jardin Botanique Exotique " Val Rahmeh "; Jardin Botanique Yves Rocher; Jardin des Plantes de Paris et Arboretum de Chevreloup; Jardin des Serres d' Auteuil; Jardins des Plantes de l'Université; JC Raulston Arboretum; Jerusalem Botanical Gardens; Kalmthout Arboretum; Keum Kang Arboretum; Knightshayes; Kobe Municipal Arboretum; Korea Botanic Garden; Kurpark Bad Bellingen; Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center - seed bank; Landis Arboretum; L'Arboretum de Chevreloup.; Lauritzen Gardens; Les Jardins Suspendus; Leuven Botanic Garden; Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden; Living Desert Zoo and Gardens; Ljubljana University Botanic Garden; Logan Botanic Garden; Longwood Gardens; Los Angeles County Arboretum and Botanic Garden; Lushan Botanical Garden; Lyme Park; Lystigardur Akureyrar; M.M. 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