Native Plants for Hummingbirds

YUCATÁN, MÉXICO

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WHO WE ARE

We are a science-based, project driven organization dedicated to maintaining hummingbird diversity and abundance throughout the Americas.

Founded in 2002, we reached the 501(C)(3) nonprofit status by 2004.

We combine collaborative research with community involvement and training to understand and appreciate hummingbirds' importance and their conservation issues in a changing world.

WHAT WE DO

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Maintain long-term monitoring sites that represent the region's hummingbird diversity across each species range;

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Encourage and support research projects that promote hummingbird conservation;

3

Collect detailed demographic information on hummingbird populations;

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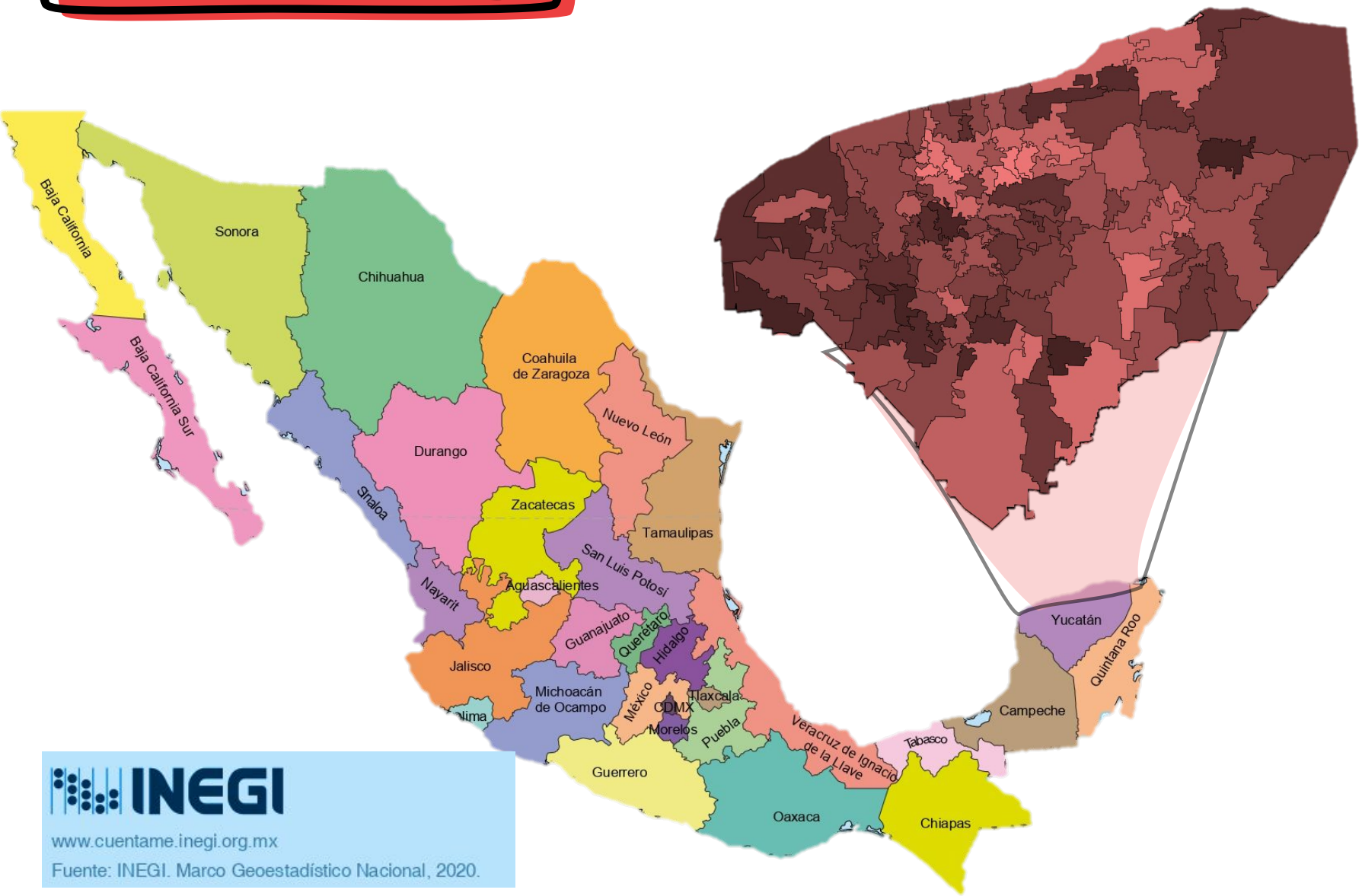
Support efforts that preserve and restore hummingbird habitats;

5

Educate by disseminating information about hummingbirds to land managers, the scientific community, and the general public.

THE YUCATÁN AREA



INEGI

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Fuente: INEGI. Marco Geoestadístico Nacional, 2020.

EXTENSION:	39,524.4 km^2
CLIMATE:	85.5% warm sub humid and 14.5% dry and subdry
HABITATS:	69.3% tropical forest
	17.7% grasslands
	6.9% agriculture areas
	13.8% grasslands
	2.5% mangrove
	3.6% other

THE GUIDE

This guide allows you to rapidly recognize and choose the most suited plants for a determined place.

It's a regional list of native plants intended to provide information for restoration and habitat enhancement activities where people can support hummingbird populations.

Incorporating native wildflowers, shrubs and trees into any landscape promotes local biological diversity and provides shelter and food for wildlife.

Additionally, most native plants require minimal irrigation, flourish without fertilizers and are unlikely to become weedy.

HOW TO USE

Blooming period

Color of the flowers

Optimal habitat for the species

COMMON SPANISH NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	Max. 📏 (m)	BLOOMS	LYFE CYCLE	COLORS	CONDITIONS	HABITATS	DISTRIBUTION
Muicle	*Justicia spiciguera*	5	all year	🟠	🔄	☀️; average	Damp or dry thickets, forest, hedgerows	all country
Camarón rojo	*Justicia brandegueana*	1	All year	🔴,⚪	🔄	☀️to 🌤️; 💦, 💧 soil and fertile; T° 20-28	tropical forest	Gulf coast
Cola de zorra	*Justicia aurea*	6	june-aug	🟡	🔄	☀️to 🌤️; 💦; T° 20-28	Humid Forest	central and south

Max. height reached by the species in meters

Information in which the plant growths: *sun exposure, moisture, pH soil & T°*

Species distribution in Mexico

LEGEND

Part shade

Full sun

Shade

Moist/wet

Well-drained

Medium

Perennial

Annual

AGU Aguascalientes
BCN Baja California North
BCS Baja California South
CHIH Chihuahua
CL Colima
CAMP Campeche
COA Coahuila
CHIA Chiapas
CDMX Ciudad de México
DUR Durango
GRO Guerrero
GT Guanajuato
HG Hidalgo
JAL Jalisco
MICH Michoacán
MOR Morelos
EDO MEX Estado de México
NAY Nayarit
NL Nuevo León
OAX Oaxaca
PUE Puebla
QROO Quintana Roo
QTR Querétaro
SI Sinaloa
SLP San Luis Potosí
SON Sonora
TAB Tabasco
TL Tlaxcala
TM Tamaulipas
VE Veracruz
YU Yucatán
ZA Zacatecas

HERBS

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Anilillo	*Aphelandra scabra*	3.5	nov-january	🔴	🔄	🌤️; 💦; T°>17	Dry and humid forest	CAMP, CHIA, GRO, OAX, QROO, TAB, TM, VE y YU
Pensamiento	*Dicliptera sexangularis*	1	oct-april	🔴	🔄	-	secondary vegetation at tropical forest	CHIA, and the states of TM, SLP, QTR, HG, PUE, VE, OAX, CAMP, YU, QROO and CHIA.
-	*Justicia breviflora*	-	feb-may	🎀	🔄	-	tropical deciduous forest	CHIS, GRO, JAL, MOR, OAX, TAB y VER
Damiana	*Justicia campechiana*	-	jan-may	🔵	🔄	-	tropical forest	CHIA, CAMP and YU
Cruz k'aax	*Justicia carthaginensis*	1.5	all year	🟣	🔄	🌤️	tropical deciduous forest, mangrove, secondary vegetation	CHIS, GRO, Méx., OAX y VER
Petunia mexicana	*Ruellia simplex*	1	all year	🟣	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️; 💧💧 to 💦	-	Along the Pacific and Gulf coast
Hierba del toro	*Ruellia inundata*	1.5	oct-feb	🎀	🔄	-	Medium subdeciduous forest, secondary vegetation	opened areas along Pacific coast
Mal de ojo	*Zinnia peruviana*	0.9	july-sept	🔴	🔁	☀️; fertile; pH 5.8-6.5; T° 25-30	scrub and grasslands	all country
Revienta caballos	*Hippobroma longiflora*	0.9	all year	⚪	🔄	☀️	riparian and secondary vegetation	CHIA, OAX, PUE, QROO, SLP, SON, TAB, VE y YU
Cardenal de la laguna	*Lobelia cardinalis*	2	june-january	🔴	🔄	☀️; damp; pH acid, alkaline, neutral; T° 5-30	pine-oak forest, riparian vegetation, acuatic	all country

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Hierba del pájaro	*Lobelia berlandieri*	0.45	mid-summer	🟣	🔁	☀️ to 🌤️; pH mildly acidic-neutral	subbdeciduous forest, medium subdeciduous forest, secondary vegetation	COA, GRO, HGO, PUE, SLP y TM
-	*Lobelia yucatana*	0.4	june	light 🔵	🔁	☀️ to 🌤️	tropical forest	YU Península
Platanillo	*Canna indica*	3.5	all year	🔴/🟡	🔄	☀️; deep rich 💧; pH 5.5-7.5; T° 12-32	Mostly in moist or wet thickets, or along streams, frequent in secondary growth	AGU, CAMP, CHIA, COL, CDMX, DUR, HG, JAL, MICH, MOR, NAY, OAX, PUE, QTR, QROO, SLP, SIN, TAB, TM, VE y YU
Achira	*Canna glauca*	1.5	all year	🟡	🔄	☀️; rich 💧	aquatic vegetation and medium forest	CHIS, JAL, Nay., OAX, TAB y VER
Caña agria	*Costus pulverulentus*	2	february	🔴 and 🟠	🔄	🌤️	evergreen high forest, medium forest	both slopes and YU Península
Zapatilla del diablo	*Euphorbia tithymaloides*	2.4	mid-spring	🔴	🔄	☀️; 💧 with sandy and nutrient-rich	deciduous forest	all country
Chipil	*Crotalaria pumila*	0.5	All year	🟡	🔁 /short 🔄	☀️; 💦 to 💧 fertile soil	Pastureland	AGU, BCS, CHIA, CHIH, COA, COL, DUR, GTO, GRO, HG, JAL, EDO MEX, MICH, MOR, NAY, NL, OAX, PUE, QTR, QROO, SLP, SIN, SON, TM, VE, YU, Zacateca
-	*Heliconia spissa*	2.5	April-may	🟢, 🟡	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	evergreen high forest	CHIS, OAX, TAB YU and VER
Flor de colibrí	*Salvia coccinea*	0.95	Feb-Dec	🔴, 🎀, ⚪	🔄	☀️, 🌤️, ☁️; 💦; pH 5.5-7.5	disturbed site, calcareous bluff, shell mouds	Gulf coast
Albahaca	*Scutellaria gaumeri*	0.4	april-jan	🟣	🔄	☀️	subbdeciduous forest, medium subdeciduous forest, secondary vegetation	VE y YU

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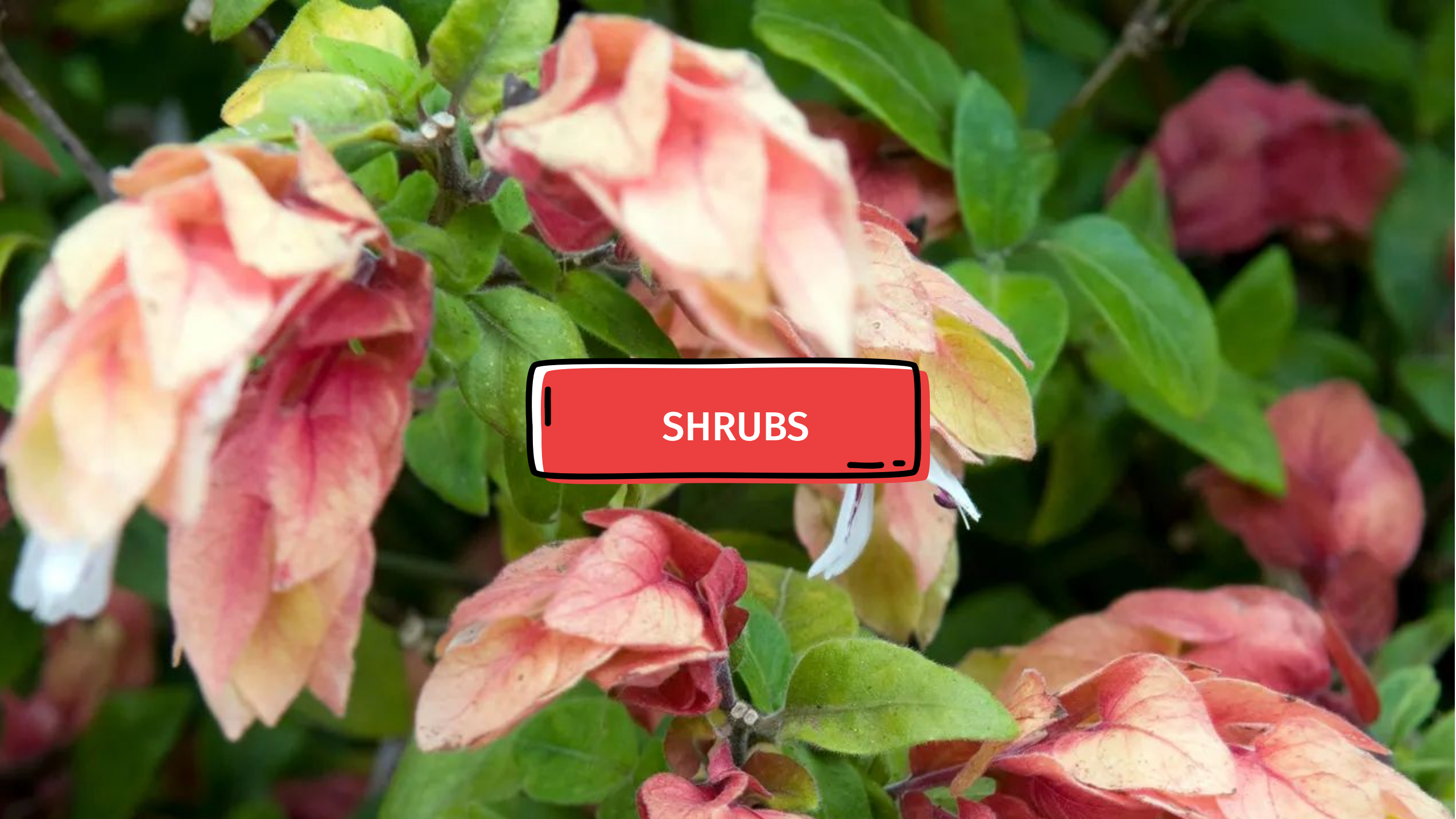
-	*Cuphea gaumeri*	0.3	may-feb	🎀	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	subbdecidous forest, medium subdeciduous forest, tintal	YU
sak miis	*Abutilon permolle*	-	december to june	🟡	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	subbdeciduous forest, medium subdeciduos forest, secondary vegetation	CHIA and YU
hibisco dormilón	*Hibiscus furcellatus*	2.5	spring	🎀	🔁 /short 🔄	☀️; sand, loam; pH not salt tolerance	marshes, wet areas	YU Península
Cresta de gallo	*Castilleja arvensis*	0.8	-	🔴	🔁	☀️ to 🌤️	Pine-oak forest	AGU, BCN, CHIA, COL, CDMX, DUR, GTO, GRO, HG, JAL, EDO MEX, MICH, MOR, NAY, OAX, PUE, QTR, QROO, SIN, TM, TL, VE, YU
Corrimiento	*Russelia campechiana*	-	december to april	🔴	🔄	☀️	evergreen high forest, deciduous forest, medium forest	CHIA, OAX, SLP and YU
Verbena	*Stachytarpheta angustifolia*	1	all year	🟣	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	tropical forest	CAMP, CHIA, JAL, OAX, PUE, QROO, TAB, TM, VE y YU
rabo de zorro	*Stachytarpheta cayennensis*	2.5	all year	🟣	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	Damp thickets, forest, or swamps, sometimes in pine forest, often a weed in waste places, at elevations from sea level to 1,500 metres	CHIA, TAB, VE and YU
verbena	*Stachytarpheta jamaicensis*	1	all year	🟣	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	oak forest, coastal dune vegetation, grassland, secondary vegetation	CAMP, CHIA, GRO, OAX, QROO, TAB, TM, VE y YU


SHRUBS

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Muicle	*Justicia spiciguera*	5	all year	🟠	🔄	☀️; average	Damp or dry thickets, forest, hedgerows	all country
Camarón rojo	*Justicia brandegeeana*	1	All year	🔴,⚪	🔄	☀️to 🌤️; 💦 to 💧 fertile soil; T° 20-28	tropical forest	Gulf coast
Cola de zorra	*Justicia aurea*	6	june-aug	🟡	🔄	☀️to 🌤️; 💦; T° 20-28	Humid Forest	central and south
Fuego	*Justicia chrysostephana*	0.9	summer	🟠	🔄	🌤️; 💦; pH all types; T° 21	tropical forest	southeast
Pico violeta	*Odontonema callistachyum*	2.5	autum	🎀-🔴	🔄	🌤️; 💦 and 💧	Tropical moist forest	central and south
Coral de jardín	*Odontonema cuspidatum*	2 m	autum	🔴	🔄	🌤️; 💦 to 💧 fertile soil	tropical forest	YU Península
Juluub	*Bravaisia berlandieriana*	-	jan-may	⚪/🎀	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	coastal dune, mangrove, deciduous tropical forest, secondary vegetation	CHIS, COL, GRO, OAX, TAB, TM y VER
Bacanora	*Agave angustifolia*	1.5	infrequent	⚪	🔄	☀️; 💧	subdecidous forest	Pacific slope and YU Peninsula
Nopal lengua de vaca	*Opuntia karwinskiana*	2	spring	🎀	🔄	☀️; 💧	arid and tropical forest	all country
Nopal de caballo	*Opuntia stricta*	3	march-may	🟠 and 🟡	🔄	☀️; 💧	semi-arid, subtropical, tropical and warmer temperate regions.	OAX, QRO, SLP, TAB, TM y VER
Nopal zacaam	*Opuntia inaperta*	5	april-may	🟡/🔴	🔄	☀️; 💧	tropical deciduous forest	TM, SIN, NAY, COL, OAX, CHIA, YU

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Chaya	*Cnidoscolus aconitifolius*			⚪	🔄	☀️; drought tolerant	subbdecidous forest, medium subdeciduos forest	all country
Mareña	*Caesalpinia vesicaria*	6	august-marc h	🟡	🔄	☀️	mangrove, subdecidous forest	YU Península
-	*Calliandra belizensis*	2	november	🔴	🔄	☀️	medium forest, tropical forest	YU Península
Cinchote	*Calliandra caeciliae*	8	april-may	⚪/🔴	🔄	☀️	riparian and secondary vegetation	From NAY to YU Península
Cabello de ángel	*Calliandra calothyrsus*	6	All year	🔴	🔄	☀️; light textured; pH slightly acidic to acidic; T° 18-24	tropical forest and subdeciduos forest, pine-oak forest	COL, CHIA, GRO, NAY, YU
Cabeza de ángel	*Calliandra houstoniana*	6	july-decemb er	🔴	🔄	☀️	subdecidous forest, pine-oak forest	SON, SIN, NAY, JAL, COL, MICH, GRO, México, MOR, OAX, VE, SLP y CHIA
Chipiín	*Crotalaria longirostrata*	3	all year	🟡/🔴	🔂/🔄	☀️; 💧 soils	Moist or rather dry thickets or open, often rocky hillsides, frequently in pine or oak forest, often abundant in cultivated fields	CHIA, OAX, TAB and YU
Ala de pico	*Crotalaria retusa*	1.2	all year	🟡	🔂 /short 🔄	☀️; dry to 💦, 💧 soils	Coastal grassland, along rivers, waste places and fields, at elevations up to 250 meters	
Colorín yucateco	*Erythrina standleyana*	6	nov-may	🔴	🔄	☀️	-	YU, SLP, VE, TAB, TM
Ave del paraíso	*Heliconia latispatha*	2	May	🟢, 🟡	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️; T° 26-28	tropical forest edges	CAMP, CHIA, COL, GRO, JAL, MICH, NAY, OAX, QROO, TAB, VE y YU

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Platanillo	*Heliconia bihai*	5	spring	🟡/🔴	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️; 💦, fertile, humus-rich	evergreen high forest, medium forest	CHIS, OAX, TAB YU and VER
-	*Aegiphila monstrosa*	6	december to march	⚪	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	medium forest, tropical forest	CHIS, OAX, TAB YU y VER
Cigarro	*Cuphea ignea*	0.6	all year	🔴 and 🟠	🔄	☀️; 💧 soils; pH all types	tropical forest	all country
-	*Hibiscus costatus*	-	all year	🎀	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	deciduous forest	CHIS, OAX, PUE, TAB, VER, and YU
Tulipán de poeppig	*Hibiscus poeppigii*	2	all year	🔴	🔄	☀️	decidous tropical forest	TM, SLP, VE, CHIA, CAMP, YU y QROO
Altea	*Malvaviscus arboreus*	3	all year	🔴	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	subbdeciduous forest, medium subdeciduous forest, secondary vegetation, pine and oak forest	
Flor de mirto rojo	*Russelia sarmentosa*	2	June-Nov	🟣	🔄	☀️; messic; pH 6.1-6.5	medium forest, tropical forest	all country
Bengala	*Russelia equisetiformis*	1.8	All year	🔴	🔄	☀️; average; pH all types	tropical forest	all country
Coralillo	*Hamelia patens*	7	all year	🔴 and 🟠	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	riparian and secondary vegetation	CAMP, CHIA, HG, JAL, MOR, NAY, OAX, QTR, QROO, SLP, SIN, TAB, TM, VE, YU
Sanalotodo	*Hamelia rovirosae*	10	March and August	🔴 and 🟠	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	medium forest, tropical forest	CHIA, TAB, VE and YU
-	*Palicourea crocea*	-	all year	🟠 and 🟡	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	deciduous and sub deciduous forests, secondary vegetation	CHIA, TAB, VE and YU

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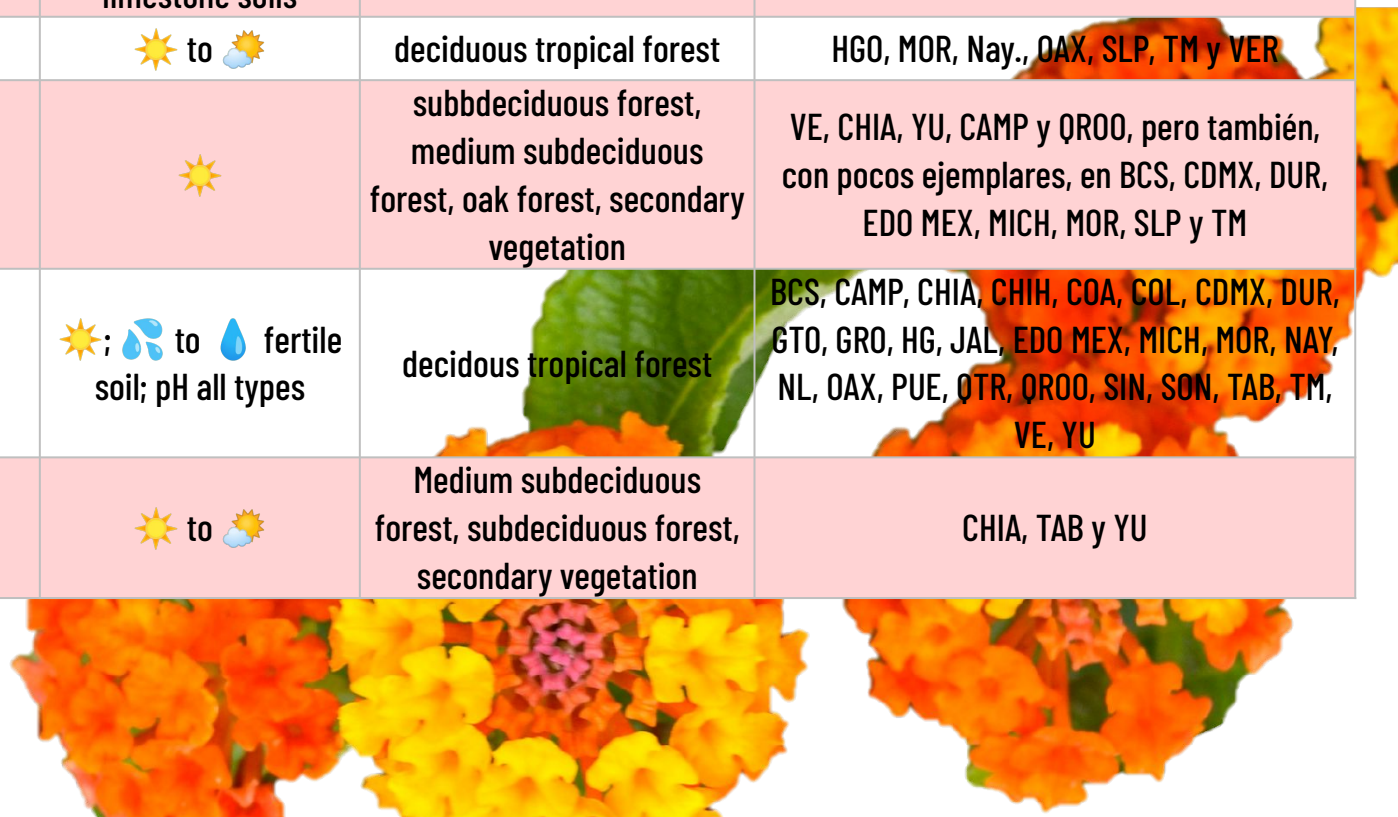
Cafesillo	*Palicourea guianensis*	3.5	april-july	🔴 and 🟡	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	deciduous and sub deciduous forests, secondary vegetation	CHIA, TAB, VE and YU
-	*Ernodea littoralis*	1	oct-june	🟠	🔄	☀️; 💦 to seasonally 💦, 💧 sandy or limestone soils	coastal dune	YU Península
Hediondilla	*Cestrum dumetorum*	7	-	🟡	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	deciduous tropical forest	HGO, MOR, Nay., OAX, SLP, TM y VER
Corona de novia	*Duranta erecta*	6	all year	🟣	🔄	☀️	subbdeciduous forest, medium subdeciduous forest, oak forest, secondary vegetation	VE, CHIA, YU, CAMP y QROO, pero también, con pocos ejemplares, en BCS, CDMX, DUR, EDO MEX, MICH, MOR, SLP y TM
Lantana	*Lantana camara*	3	all year	🔴 and 🟠	🔄	☀️; 💦 to 💧 fertile soil; pH all types	decidous tropical forest	BCS, CAMP, CHIA, CHIH, COA, COL, CDMX, DUR, GTO, GRO, HG, JAL, EDO MEX, MICH, MOR, NAY, NL, OAX, PUE, QTR, QROO, SIN, SON, TAB, TM, VE, YU
-	*Stachytarpheta miniacea*	-	all year	🔴	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	Medium subdeciduous forest, subdeciduous forest, secondary vegetation	CHIA, TAB y YU



EPIPHYTE/
PARASITE

COMMON SPANISH NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	Max 📏 (m)	BLOOMS	COLORS	LYFE CYCLE	CONDITIONS	HABITAT	DISTRIBUTION
Gallito	*Aechmea bracteata*	2	summer-autum	🔴/🟢	🔄	🌤️; 💦	Medium subdeciduous forest, secondary vegetation, sudeciduous forest	CHIS, COL, GRO, HGO, JAL, MICH, Nay., OAX, PUE, QRO, S. L. P., SIN, TAB y VER
Gallito	*Aechmea bromeliifolia*	0.9	summer	🔴	🔄	🌤️; 💦	medium forest	Península de YU
-	*Aechmea tillandsioides*	0.6	april-may	🔴/🟢	🔄	🌤️; 💦	medium forest	CHIA, TAB, VE y Península de YU
Piñuela	*Bromelia karatas*	3	july	🔴/🟢	🔄	🌤️	subbdecidous forest, medium subdeciduous forest, secondary vegetation	CHIS, GRO, JAL, MICH, Nay., OAX, QRO, SIN, S. L. P. y VER
Piñuela	*Bromelia pinguin*	2	all year	🔴/🟢	🔄	🌤️	Medium subdeciduous forest, sudeciduous forest	Península de YU
Bromelia	*Billbergia pallidiflora*	0.8	spring	🔴	🔄	🌤️; 💦, 💧	medium forest	Península de YU
-	*Catopsis sessiflora*	0.3	april-may	⚪	🔄	🌤️; 💦	humid Forest	Península de YU
Air plant	*Tillandsia bulbosa*	0.3	late winter, early spring	🔴/🟢	🔄	light 🌤️; drought tolerant	Medium subdeciduous forest, secondary vegetation, sudeciduous forest	CHIA, TAB, VE, YU Península

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Gallito	*Tillandsia fasciculata*	0.7	ago-may	🔴/🟢	🔄	light 🌤️	medium forest, tropical forest	From Guadalajara to YU Península
-	*Tillandsia maya*	0.2	august	🔴/🟢	🔄	light 🌤️	subdecidous tropical forest	YU Península
-	*Tillandsia variabilis*	0.3	april-nov	🔵	🔄	light 🌤️	humid Forest	VE, OAX, SLP, TAB, CHIA, YU, PUE,
-	*Tillandsia yucatana*	0.3	july and november	🔴	🔄	☀️	subbdecidous forest, medium subdeciduos forest, tintal	YU Península
Bromelia	*Vriesea heliconioides*	0.37	july-septemb er	🔴/🟢	🔄	☀️	evergreen high forest, medium forest	CHIS, OAX, TAB y VER

PARASITE

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Mata palo	*Psittacanthus mayanus*	-	Jan-Feb, May-Sept	🔴	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️		CHIA, TAB y YU
Muérdago	*Psittacanthus rhynchanthus*	1.5	july-novemb er	🟠	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	subdeciduous forest, pine-oak forest	GTO, GRO, JAL, México, MICH, MOR, NAY, OAX, PUE, QTR, QROO, SIN, SON, TAB, TM, TL, VE y YU

CLIMBERS

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Salsilla	*Bomarea edulis*	-	summer	/		; ; pH slightly acid; T° >5	mountains, in oak woodlands to tropical woodlands	tropical areas
Bejuco de sapo	*Mandevilla hirsuta*	-	all year	/			opened areas	southeast
Biperol	*Mandevilla subsagittata*	-	all year				secondary vegetation at tropical forest	southeast
Bejuco morado	*Fridericia floribunda*	-	spring				subdecidous tropical forest	southeast
Bejuco de ajo	*Bignonia binata*	-	summer				wet forest	southern
Bejuco de carape	*Combretum farinosum*	20	december to may	and			deciduous and sub deciduous forests, mountain cloud forest, thorny forest, oak and pine forest	
Flor de cepillos	*Combretum fruticosum*	5	oct-decembe r				Dry or wet thickets or forests at elevations below 1,200 metres	West México
-	*Combretum laxum*	4	april, may, september				medium forest, tropical forest	CHIS, GRO, JAL, OAX, TAB y VER
Gloria de la mañana	*Ipomoea violacea*	4	autum				subdecidous tropical forest	YU Península
Mich-doh	*Ipomoea tricolor*	10	july-october	, or			tropical forest and secondary vegetation	CDMX, GTO, GRO, HG, EDO MEX, MICH, MOR, OAX, PUE, QTR, VE y YU.
-	*Ipomoea sagittata*	1.8	All year			; Sandy soil; pH adaptable	coastal areas	Caribbean

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Gloria de la mañana azul	*Ipomoea indica*	10	all year	🔵, 🟣	🔄	☀️; 💦 and rich; T° >7	Waste places, thickets, forest borders, occasionally on sandy sea-shores; at elevations up to 1,650 metres	tropical areas
Pata de cochino blanco	*Bauhinia herrerae*	-	jan-may, sept-dec	🟡	🔄	☀️	evergreen high forest, decidous forest	CHIS, Nay., OAX, TAB y VER
-	*Centrosema angustifolium*	-	july	🟣	🔄	☀️	mangrove, coastal dune	CHIA, CAMP and YU
Frijolito	*Centrosema plumieri*	-	june-decemb er	🎀	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	secondary vegetation at tropical forest	CHIA, COL, GRO, HG, JAL, México, MICH, MOR, NAY, OAX, TAB, TM, VE y YU
-	*Dioclea wilsoni*	-	november	🟣	🔄	☀️	evergreen high forest, medium forest	CHIA, VE y YU
-	*Souroubea loczyi*	-	-	🟡/🔴	🔄	☀️	evergreen high forest	CHIA, VE y YU
Ojo de luna	*Passiflora bicornis*	-	june-aug	🟣	🔄	☀️	-	CHIA, OAX, YU
Poch k'aak'	*Passiflora ciliata*	-	all year	⚪/🎀	🔄	☀️	-	CHIS, GRO OAX, PUE, TAB, Yuc. and VER
Caguajasa	*Passiflora pedata*	-	october-dec ember	🟣	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	-	TAB and YU
-	*Passiflora rovirosae*	-	march and october	🟣	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	Medium subdeciduous forest	CHIS, OAX, TAB, YU and VER

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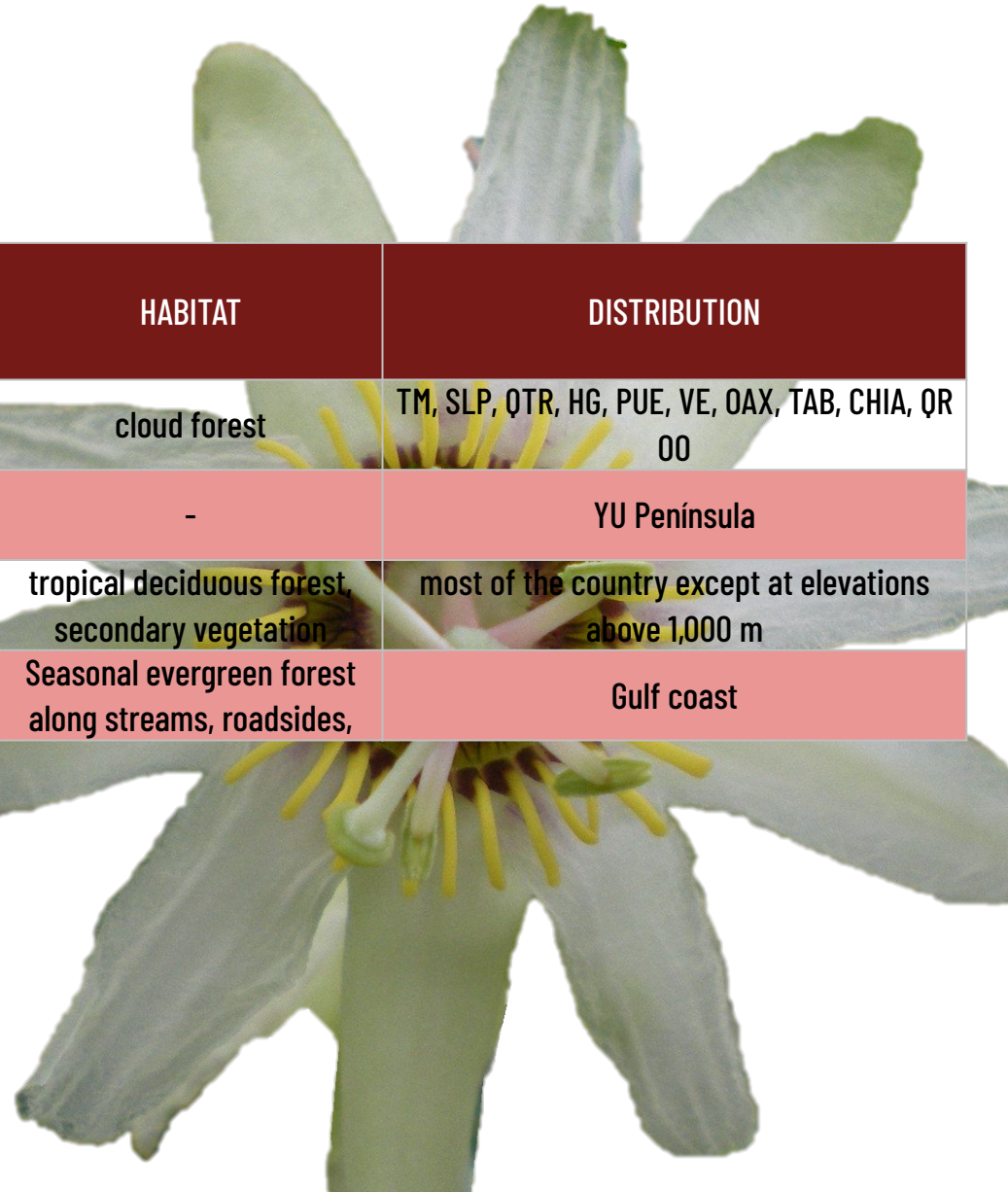
Granadilla	*Passiflora serratifolia*	-	nov-february	🎀	🔄	☀️to 🌤️	cloud forest	TM, SLP, QTR, HG, PUE, VE, OAX, TAB, CHIA, QR OO
-	*Passiflora yucatanensis*	-	june	⚪	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	-	YU Península
Primavera	*Antigonon leptopus*	-	spring	🎀	🔄	☀️; 💦 to 💧 fertile soil	tropical deciduous forest, secondary vegetation	most of the country except at elevations above 1,000 m
Bejuco de ajo	*Petrea volubilis*	-	spring	🟣	🔄	☀️; 💦 to 💧 fertile soil	Seasonal evergreen forest along streams, roadsides,	Gulf coast



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Adelfa amarilla	*Cascabela thevetia*	1.20	all year	🟡	🔄	☀️; 💧	subbdecidous forest, medium subdeciduous forest, secondary vegetation	CHIS, GTO, GRO, HGO, Mex., MICH, MOR, OAX, PUE, SLP, TAB, TM y VER
Roble amarillo	*Handroanthus chrysanthus*	12	spring	🟡	🔄	☀️; 💧 ; pH 6.5-8.5; T° 18-23	subdecidous tropical forest	Pacific slope and YU Peninsula
Guayacán rosado	*Tabebuia rosea*	10	summer	🎀	🔄	☀️; 💦; T° 20-27	tropical forest and subdeciduous forest	From the south of TM to CHIA and QROO
Tronadora	*Tecoma stans*	6	All year	🟡	🔄	☀️; pH all types	tropical forest	all country
Bakal che	*Bourreria pulchra*	12	jan-march	⚪	🔄	☀️	subbdeciduous forest, medium subdeciduous forest, secondary vegetation	península de YU
Anacahuite	*Cordia sebestena*	8	mar-nov	🟠	🔄	☀️; 💧 ; pH average; T° 15-30	Medium subdeciduous forest, secondary vegetation, sudeciduous forest	NL, CHIA and Península de YU
Siricote	*Cordia dodecandra*	30	spring	🟠	🔄	☀️; 💧 , clayey; pH slightly acidic; T° 25-38	Medium subdeciduous forest, secondary vegetation, sudeciduous forest	CHIA, TAB, VE y Península de YU
-	*Bourreria pulchra*	7	jan-sept	⚪	🔄	☀️	subdeciduous tropical forest	YU Península
Pitayo yucateco	*Stenocereus laevigatus*	6	mid spring	⚪	🔄	☀️; 💧	tropical deciduous forest	YU Península

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Memelita	*Clusia flava*	10	january, february, may, august, december	🟡	🔄	☀️	Medium subdeciduous forest, subdeciduous forest, secondary vegetation	CHIS, MOR, OAX, TAB y VER
Copey	*Clusia rosea*	14	winter	🎀/🟡	🔄	🌤️; 💧 rich soil	medium forest, tropical forest	Pacific slope and YU Peninsula
Pata de cabra	*Bauhinia divaricata*	8	feb-july	⚪/🎀	🔄	☀️	deciduous and medium sub deciduous forests	BCS, SIN, TM, DUR, SLP, NAY, JAL, COL, MICH, QTR, MOR, PUE, VE, GRO, OAX, TAB, CHIA, CAMP, YU y QROO
Pata de venado	*Bauhinia ungulata*	8	spring	⚪/🔴	🔄	☀️; cambisol, litosol, rigosol; T° 21-26	deciduous and sub deciduous forests, oak forest	-
Bigotillo	*Caesalpinia pulcherrima*	3	Summer	🔴 and 🟠	🔄	☀️; 💧 💧 ; pH all types	tropical forest	all country
Kitim che	*Caesalpinia gaumeri*	20	all year	🟡	🔄	☀️	tropical deciduous forest	OAX, TAB and YU Península
Viga	*Caesalpinia mollis*	15	April-Aug	🟡	🔄	☀️	tropical deciduous forest	YU Península
Taa k'in che'	*Caesalpinia yucatanensis*	10	nov-march	🟡/🔴	🔄	☀️	Medium subdeciduous forest, secondary vegetation, deciduous forest	CHIA, MICH, TAB y YU Península
Cacahuananche	*Gliricidia sepium*	12	spring	🎀	🔄	☀️; calcareous soils of atolls; pH 5.5-6.5; T° 15-44	Early and middle successional vegetation types on disturbed sites such as coastal sand dunes, riverbanks, floodplains and fallow land at elevations from sea level up to 1,500 metres	

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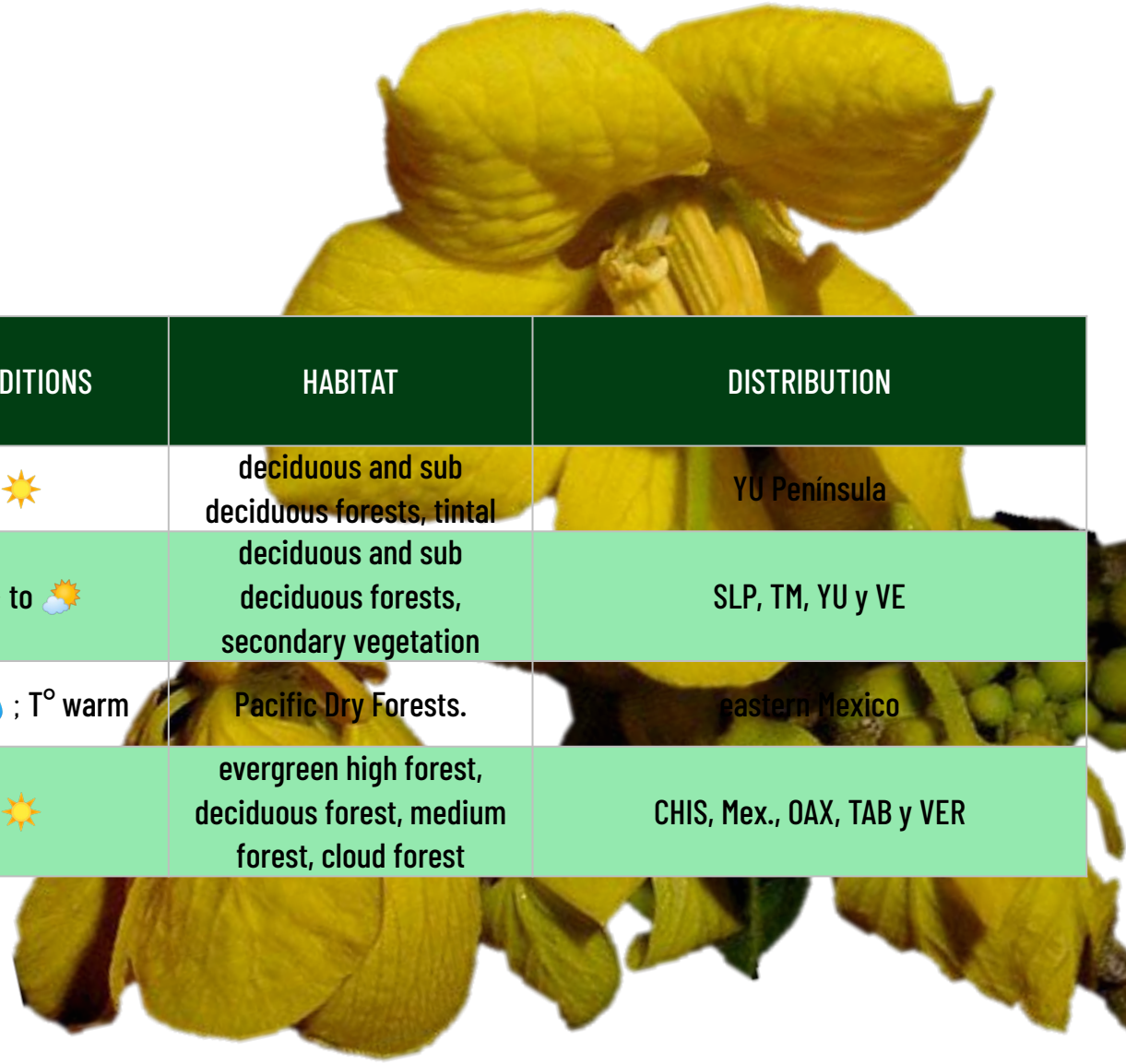
Aguatope	*Inga vera*	12	all year	⚪	🔄	☀️; damp to 💦; pH 6.8	Tropical moist forest	CAMP. COL CHIS CHIH GTO GRO HGO MEX. MICH MOR NAY. OAX PUE QRO QROO. SLP SIN TAB TM VER
Muk	*Sphinga platyloba*	7	mar-nov	⚪	🔄	☀️	primary and disturbed forest or scrub-woodland	CHIA, OAX, YU
Guaje blanco	*Leucanea leucocephala*	20	all year	⚪	🔄	☀️; calcareous and 💧; pH slightly acid	deciduous tropical forest and medium forest	Both slopes and YU Península
Kanjabin	*Senna racemosa*	8	oct-april	🟡	🔄	☀️; drought tolerant	subbdeciduous forest, medium subdeciduous forest	CHIA, COL and YU Península
Lengua de vaca	*Cornutia pyramidata*	10	jan-augoust	🟣	🔄	☀️	Medium subdeciduous forest, subdeciduous forest, secondary vegetation	CHIS, OAX, TAB YU y VER
Carrete	*Vitex gaumeri*	20	june and july	🟣	🔄	☀️	subbdeciduous forest, medium subdeciduous forest, secondary vegetation	CHIS, GRO, MICH, Mor, YU y TAB
Pochote	*Ceiba aesculifolia*	30	jan-april	⚪	🔄	☀️	subbdeciduous forest, medium subdeciduous forest	GRO, MOR, SIN, NAY, PUE, JAL, COL, MICH, OAX, TAB, JAL, MICH, QROO, CHIA y VE.
Ceiba	*Ceiba pentandra*	40	december to march	⚪/🎀	🔄	☀️; 💧, clayey	deciduous and sub deciduous forests, oak forest	CAMP, CHIA, COL, GRO, JAL, MICH, NAY, OAX, QROO, TAB, VE y YU



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Pochote	*Ceiba schottii*	9	june-october	⚪	🔄	☀️	deciduous and sub deciduous forests, tintal	YU Península
Jol	*Hibiscus clypeatus*	-	october-jan	🟡	🔄	☀️ to 🌤️	deciduous and sub deciduous forests, secondary vegetation	SLP, TM, YU y VE
Coquito	*Pseudobombax ellipticum*	30	december to may	🎀-🔴	🔄	☀️; 💧 ; T° warm	Pacific Dry Forests.	eastern Mexico
Chancarro	*Cecropia peltata*	30	April-Aug	🟡	🔄	☀️	evergreen high forest, deciduous forest, medium forest, cloud forest	CHIS, Mex., OAX, TAB y VER

SUGGESTIONS

For choosing the right native plants

Try including natural structures like old trees

Choose species that blooms almost all year around

Add clusters of different tubular plants

Use a mix of colors and sizes that bloom throughout the year

Place plants in clusters of at least 5 species

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