



New Species of Tree in Tanzania

A new species of a flowering tree named *Mischogyne iddi* (M iddi) has been discovered in the Usambara Mountains of Tanzania.

It has been categorised as Endangered by the International Union for Conservation of Nature list.

- With decreased forest areas, they are now threatened by climate change.
- It is unknown what kind of wildlife might rely on the tree.
- The Usambara Mountains, located in tropical East Africa, comprises the easternmost ranges of the Eastern Arc Mountains.
- The discovery of this extremely rare species reaffirms the importance of the Eastern Arc Mountains as one of the most important reservoirs of biodiversity in Africa.



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