



Flowering Trees

Alangium salviifolium (L.f.) Wangerin ssp. *salviifolium* (SAGE-LEAVED ALANGIUM) of Alangiaceae is a small deciduous tree, sometimes straggling and sometimes spinous. Leaves are alternate, variable, narrowly oblong or ovate-lanceolate. Flowers are in axillary fascicles. They are 1.5–2 cms long, white in color, attractive when in clusters and are sweet-scented. Fruits are ovoid or ellipsoid when young and globular when ripe. Bark is grey, orange-yellow when young.

Wood is olive-brown, hard, scented and is used for ornamental work.