



Flowering Trees

Tetrameles nudiflora R. Br., belongs to the family Tetramelaceae and is the only species belonging to this genus. It is a large deciduous tree which can attain a height of more than 40 meters with large buttressed trunk. It is found in most tropical old world countries in deciduous and semi-evergreen forests. Male and female flowers are produced on separate trees. Large specimens of this tree provide ideal nesting sites for large birds such as hornbills which make their nests in tree hollows.