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# Evaluation of International Provenance Trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*

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# Foreword

*Casuarina equisetifolia* is widely grown throughout the tropics. It is a multi-purpose species, providing a range of products and services, from fuelwood to shelter and erosion control.

Australian species often form an important component of agroforestry in developing countries and wider use of this resource can bring assured benefits, especially in the more difficult situations of water stress and other environmental extremes, or where nitrogen accretion, tree fodder production and soil stabilisation are critical.

Some *Casuarina* species grow (often rapidly) over a wide range of sites, including arid and saline areas, many yield excellent firewood and some can be vegetatively propagated. ACIAR has supported projects to identify *Casuarina* species with potential for fuelwood, agroforestry and soil conservation.

The results published in this report have been collected from trials over many years. They reveal a considerable amount of genetic variation between provenances and provide important information for people interested in agroforestry and fuelwood production in the tropics and subtropics.

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# Preface

*Casuarina equisetifolia* is one of the most extensively planted exotic species in a large number of tropical and subtropical areas. It is a true multipurpose species, providing a range of services and products for industrial and local end users. It is of considerable importance for agroforestry systems and reclamation of unstable coastal ecosystems. Its wood has many uses but is renowned for fuel.

Following a recommendation of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations' (FAO's) Panel of Experts on Forest Gene Resources, range-wide provenance seed collection and provenance trials were coordinated by the Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO) Australian Tree Seed Centre. With 37 collaborators from 26 countries involved, it is among the largest international efforts in evaluation of provenance variation within a species. Apart from contributions from collaborating countries, the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID) and the Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR) provided core funding for most of the activities.

The results of this international collaboration are synthesised in this technical report. It is hoped that the information on provenance performance is useful for all those concerned with the planting of *C. equisetifolia*.

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# Summary

The Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO) Australian Tree Seed Centre (ATSC) coordinated a series of 38 international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia* subsp. *equisetifolia* which was established during 1992–1994 in 20 countries involving 60 seed sources of natural provenances and land races. The origins of these seed sources are categorised into five broad regions, namely:

1. natural distribution in Australia and the Pacific
2. natural distribution in Southeast Asia
3. locations of introductions in Asia
4. locations of introductions in Africa
5. locations of introductions in Central America.

These provenance trials were assessed for 14 growth and morphological characteristics:

- growth
  - height
  - diameter
- stem form
  - axis persistence
  - stem straightness
- branching habit (permanent branches)
  - density
  - thickness
  - angle
  - length
- branching habit (deciduous branchlets)
  - length
  - thickness
- health
  - stem damage
  - foliage damage
- reproduction
  - flowering
  - fruiting.

The collected data were forwarded to the ATSC for processing and after initial perusal of their quality, data from 25 trials were selected for analysis of individual trials and site-by-provenance interaction. Multiple regression analysis was performed to investigate the influence of environmental factors (i.e. latitude, longitude, altitude and rainfall) on provenance behaviour. In addition, a principal component analysis was conducted to determine if there was any pattern in the variation.



The results reveal a considerable amount of genetic variation among provenances and land races of *C. equisetifolia*. There was evidence of a site-by-provenance interaction although it was not as large as what would be expected from a large and diverse number of seed sources. In general, much of the variation between provenances could be better explained by country or provenance-region effects. This was further strengthened by the results obtained from the principal component analysis which revealed a separation between natural provenances from Southeast Asia and Australia/Pacific, and a separation between introduced populations from Asia and Africa.

Based on results at country and regional levels, the following general trends were apparent:

- Natural provenances from Southeast Asia and land races from Asia were generally more vigorous, while natural provenances from the Australia/Pacific region grew slowest. However, a few individual seedlots from Australia/Pacific and Africa were also fast-growing.
- Most seed sources had good axis persistence (i.e. good length of bole) but trees from planted-stand seed sources scored better in terms of stem straightness. The better stem form among the introduced populations could be attributed to recurrent selection of trees of good form in plantations for seed collection.
- Although there were differences in the branching habit among seed sources of *C. equisetifolia*, in general trees were densely branched with horizontally angled branches. These characteristics, together with the fine needle-like branchlets, underline the suitability of its planting for windbreaks in coastal areas.
- Although there was little evidence of any provenance variation in flowering, populations introduced to Asia and Africa appeared to flower more intensively than those from other regions, especially those from the natural distribution range in Australia/Pacific and Southeast Asia.

# 1 Introduction

There are two subspecies of *Casuarina equisetifolia* (L): subsp. *incana* and subsp. *equisetifolia* (Wilson and Johnson 1989). The former is typically a small tree or large shrub, 6–10 m tall, that grows exclusively in Vanuatu and along the coast of Queensland and northern New South Wales in Australia. The latter is a small to large tree (8–35 m tall) that has a wide natural distribution in subtropical and tropical coastlines from northern Queensland and the Northern Territory in Australia, throughout southern Thailand, Malaysia (Peninsular Malaysia, Sabah and Sarawak), the Philippines, Indonesia, Melanesia and Polynesia (see Figure 1). *Casuarina equisetifolia*, in particular subsp. *equisetifolia*, has been introduced into a large number of countries, and is now a common feature of the coastal landscape of most tropical and warm subtropical countries, where it is often naturalised. This report is mainly concerned with subsp. *equisetifolia*, and the following refers to that taxon only.

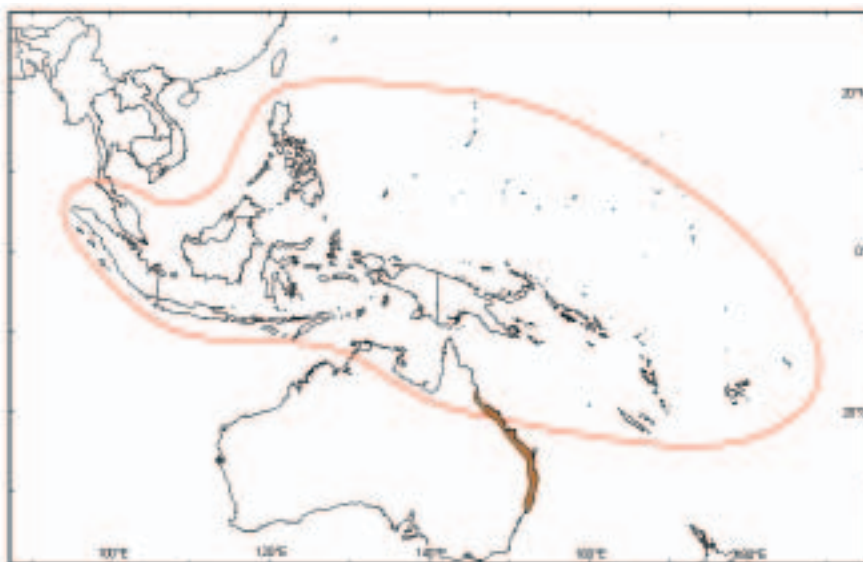
In its natural range, *C. equisetifolia* is commonly confined to a narrow strip adjacent to sandy coasts, usually from sea level to 100 m above sea level. It is found on sand dunes, in sand alongside estuaries behind foredunes and gentle slopes near the sea. It may be found at the leading edge of dune vegetation, subject to salt spray and inundation with sea water at extremely high tides. Soils are invariably well drained and rather coarse textured, principally sands of 2 m or more in depth. It tolerates both calcareous and slightly alkaline soils and is intolerant of waterlogging.

Within its natural range, the climate is hot humid to subhumid, with no frosts and rainfall between 700 mm and 4000 mm per annum. In most regions, there is a distinct dry season period of 6–8 months, although towards the equator in Southeast Asia and within part of the species' range in Australia, this seasonality decreases and annual rainfall can be as high as 3500 mm.

The form of *C. equisetifolia* in wild populations is very variable, from crooked low-branching trees on exposed seashores to straight-stemmed forest trees in more sheltered situations. The crown is finely branched, with furrowed, needle-like, greyish-green branchlets bearing minute, reduced, teeth-like leaves in whorls of 7–8 per node. Branchlets, 15–38 cm long and <1.0–1.5 mm in diameter, are formed by numerous segments of article each 5–8 mm long. Trees are predominantly dioecious (male and female flowers occurring on separate trees) with a small percentage being monoecious (single-sex male and female flowers on the same tree). Male inflorescences occur on simple, terminal, elongated spikes, 7–40 mm long, borne in whorls with 7–11.5 whorls per cm of spike. Female flowers are cone-shaped, ellipsoid, 5–10 mm long, and borne on lateral woody branches. Fruiting bodies (cones) are 10–24 mm long and 9–13 mm in diameter. The winged seed (samara) is dull brown, 6–8 mm long.

*Casuarina equisetifolia* is a nitrogen-fixing tree of considerable social, economic and environmental importance in tropical/subtropical littoral zones of Asia, the Pacific, Africa and Central America. It is commonly used in agroforestry systems, for soil stabilisation and reclamation, and in coastal protection and rehabilitation (Figure 2). The wood is dense, and makes very good fuelwood and charcoal as well as timber for general construction. It is one of the most extensively introduced tree species outside its natural range, especially into southern China, India, Vietnam,

East, West and North Africa, Central and South America, the Caribbean and many Middle Eastern countries. Some of the early introductions, such as those to India and Vietnam, date back more than a century (Kondas 1983; Ha and Le 1996). There are 300,000 ha of *C. equisetifolia* plantations in southern China (Zhong and Bai 1996), 500,000 ha in India (M. Paramathma 1998, pers. comm.) and 120,000 ha in Vietnam (Ha and Le 1996). The genetic background of the planting material is generally unknown. Marked variation in growth and branching habit between different populations has been observed (Pinyopusarerk and House 1993).



**Figure 1.** Natural distribution of *Casuarina equisetifolia* subsp. *equisetifolia* (red line) and subsp. *incana* (brown shading).

*Casuarina equisetifolia* has been given among the highest priorities with regard to genetic sampling and assessment by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations' (FAO's) Panel of Experts on Forest Gene Resources. The Second International Casuarina Workshop held in Cairo, Egypt, in January 1990 recommended an international collaborative effort be made to undertake a comprehensive collection of seed from the full range of both natural and derived occurrence (El-Lakany et al. 1991). Following that recommendation, the Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO) Australian Tree Seed Centre (ATSC) coordinated a range-wide provenance seed collection during 1991–1993, focusing on the subspecies *equisetifolia*, with financial support from the Australian International Development Assistance Bureau (AIDAB), now the Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID). More than 30 forest departments and research institutions in Asia, the Pacific, Central America and Africa assisted in the collections. Following the collections, seed was distributed for establishment of replicated trials in the tropical zone of many countries. Field establishment followed a common guideline (Pinyopusarerk and Chandler 1992), while an assessment

manual was provided for field measurements (Pinyopusarerk et al. 1995). Apart from height and diameter, other characteristics such as stem form, branching habit, health and reproduction were included in the measurements. Early results of a small number of these trials were reported at the Third International Casuarina Workshop held in Vietnam in 1996 (Pinyopusarerk et al. 1996). While growth differed from site to site following prevailing local environment conditions, there were clear differences between provenances in most of the growth parameters measured. There were also differences in the provenance ranking, indicating possible provenance and environment interaction.



**Figure 2.** Coastal planting of *Casuarina equisetifolia* in southern Thailand.

While results have been reported for some of the individual trials by collaborators, the ATSC has used data from selected trials to determine the magnitude of site-by-provenance interaction. This report discusses overall patterns of provenance performance in individual trials and an overall analysis across sites of selected trials.

# 2 Seed Collection and Distribution

## 2.1 Seed collection

The aim of the collection was to obtain a broad representation of the species from throughout the species' natural occurrence and locations of introductions. During 1991–1993, a total of 67 seedlots were collected in 21 countries both within and outside the species' natural distribution range. Most seedlots included seed from 10 or more parent trees, but some had less because of the small population size.

The origins of these seedlots can be categorised into five broad regions:

1. natural distribution in Australia and the Pacific (15 seedlots)
2. natural distribution in Southeast Asia (16 seedlots)
3. locations of introductions in Asia (18 seedlots)
4. locations of introductions in Africa (15 seedlots)
5. locations of introductions in Central America (3 seedlots).

The locations of these collections are shown in Figure 3, and details of the provenance origins are given in Table 1. Note that two seedlots from Vanuatu and Tonga are designated as numbers 12 and 12a. The main reason is to keep the provenance numbers in line with those used in an early report of a trial planted in northern Australia (Pinyopusarek and Williams 2000).

All seed from the collections was sent to the CSIRO Australian Tree Seed Centre in Canberra for registration, storage, viability testing and subsequent dispatch to collaborators for trial establishment.



**Figure 3.** Locations of seed collections of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

**Table 1.** Results of international seed collection of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Prov. no.	CSIRO seedlot no.	Provenance name	Country	Latitude (°)	Longitude (°)	Altitude (m)	Rainfall (mm)	No. of parents
1	15958	Wangetti Beach, Queensland	Australia	16 41 S	145 34 E	30	3100	36
2	16166	Danger Point, Northern Territory	Australia	11 07 S	132 20 E	10	1300	5
3	18008	Darwin, Northern Territory	Australia	12 25 S	130 50 E	20	1500	11
4	18378	Prince of Wales Island, Northern Territory	Australia	10 45 S	142 08 E	1	1500	10
5	18153	Ela Beach	Papua New Guinea	9 05 S	147 17 E	10	1100	5
6	18270	Baravi, Viti Levu	Fiji	18 11 S	177 35 E	106	2200	10
7	18271	Waimunu, Vanua Levu	Fiji	16 50 S	178 49 E	30	2300	10
8	18272	Sigatoka, Viti Levu	Fiji	18 10 S	177 29 E	24	2400	10
9	18121	Mariana Island	Guam	13 20 N	144 40 E	2	2400	-
10	18402	Kolombangara	Solomon Islands	8 07 S	157 08 E	2	3500	11
11	18403	Gizo	Solomon Islands	8 07 S	156 54 E	2	3500	10
12	18312	Efate	Vanuatu	17 45 S	168 18 E	30	2400	4
12a	18040	Onetaka	Tonga	21 04 S	175 04 E	1	1800	10
13	18157	Pantai Moyog, Kota Kinabalu, Sabah	Malaysia	5 55 N	116 05 E	2	2600	2
14	18158	Tanjung Aru, Kota Kinabalu, Sabah	Malaysia	5 55 N	116 05 E	2	2600	2
15	18160	Pantai Dalit, Tuaran, Sabah	Malaysia	6 12 N	116 12 E	5	2600	3
16	18161	Pantai Menintaman, Sabah	Malaysia	5 02 N	115 32 E	40	2600	3
17	18244	Bako National Park, Sarawak	Malaysia	1 44 N	110 30 E	50	4000	4
18	18348	Kuantan, Pahang	Malaysia	3 48 N	103 20 E	30	2900	11
19	18374	Langkawi Island, Kedah	Malaysia	6 19 N	99 51 E	30	2600	10
20	18375	Desaru, Johor	Malaysia	1 30 N	104 17 E	15	2600	4
21	18376	Tanjong Balau, Johor	Malaysia	1 36 N	104 16 E	15	2600	4

**Table 1.** (cont'd) Results of international seed collection of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Prov. no.	CSIRO seedlot no.	Provenance name	Country	Latitude (°)	Longitude (°)	Altitude (m)	Rainfall (mm)	No. of parents
22	18117	San Jose, Mindoro	Philippines	12 25 N	121 03 E	20	2100	10
23	18154	Aklan, Panay Island	Philippines	11 55 N	122 23 E	30	2000	10
24	18357	Narra, Palawan	Philippines	9 19 N	118 29 E	10	2500	10
25	18296	Ban Bangsak, Phangnga	Thailand	8 46 N	98 16 E	5	4000	18
26	18297	Ban Kamphuam, Ranong	Thailand	9 21 N	98 27 E	10	3000	18
27	18298	Had Chaomai, Trang	Thailand	7 33 N	100 37 E	2	1600	21
28	18299	Had Samira, Songkhla	Thailand	7 09 N	100 37 E	2	1900	8
29	18267	Yanjing, Guangdong	China	23 00 N	113 03 E	4	1500	12
30	18268	Daodong, Hainan	China	19 58 N	110 59 E	10	1700	20
31	18586	Beihai, Guangxi	China	21 35 N	109 00 E	2	1500	11
32	18013	Kujang, Cuttack, Orissa	India	20 12 N	86 38 E	7	1400	10
33	18014	Haingara, Balukhand, Orissa	India	18 50 N	85 53 E	10	1400	12
34	18015	Chandipur, Balasore, Orissa	India	21 30 N	86 54 E	2	1600	10
35	18118	South Arcot, Tamil Nadu	India	11 42 N	79 44 E	40	1400	10
36	18119	Rameswaram, Tamil Nadu	India	9 15 N	79 20 E	5	900	13
37	18120	Chengai Anna, Tamil Nadu	India	12 36 N	79 48 E	50	1200	10
38	18286	Weligama	Sri Lanka	6 00 N	80 16 E	10	1500	-
39	18287	Hambantota	Sri Lanka	6 08 N	81 07 E	16	1000	-
40	18288	Madagama	Sri Lanka	8 06 N	80 15 E	80	1200	-
41	18085	Cua Loc, Nghi Loc, Nghe An	Vietnam	18 24 N	105 48 E	5	1900	5
42	18086	Non Nuoc, Da Nang	Vietnam	16 06 N	106 20 E	2	1900	8
43	18127	Thach Lien, Ha Tinh	Vietnam	18 44 N	105 45 E	2	2600	8
44	18128	Hai Thinh, Ha Nam Ninh	Vietnam	20 22 N	106 21 E	2	2000	8

**Table 1.** (cont'd) Results of international seed collection of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Prov. no.	CSIRO seedlot no.	Provenance name	Country	Latitude (°)	Longitude (°)	Altitude (m)	Rainfall (mm)	No. of parents
45	18152	Ninh Chu, Ninh Thuan	Vietnam	11 33 N	108 59 E	2	700	9
46	18355	Cotonou	Benin	6 24 N	2 31 E	8	1300	15
47	18122	Montazah	Egypt	31 16 N	30 05 E	13	200	10
48	18125	Maa'mora	Egypt	31 13 N	29 55 E	15	200	9
49	18126	Agamy	Egypt	31 13 N	29 45 E	9	200	10
50	18134	Kenyatta Beach	Kenya	4 00 S	39 00 E	10	1000	10
51	18135	Malindi	Kenya	3 15 S	40 09 E	7	900	10
52	18136	Diani	Kenya	4 17 S	39 35 E	10	1000	10
53	18137	Watamu	Kenya	3 19 S	39 17 E	12	900	10
54	18141	Robinson Island	Kenya	2 58 S	40 10 E	2	1000	7
55	18142	Kilifi	Kenya	3 38 S	39 51 E	20	1000	10
56	18143	Gede	Kenya	3 20 S	40 01 E	15	900	12
57	18144	Baobab	Kenya	4 00 S	39 06 E	25	1000	25
58	18565	Isle d'Ambre	Mauritius	20 03 S	57 39 E	2	1700	4
59	18752	Rio Piedres	Puerto Rico	18 00 N	66 00 W	20	1800	–
60	18345	Chili Beach, Queensland	Australia	12 39 S	143 25 E	1	1400	11
61	18383	Isle of Pines	New Caledonia	22 06 S	167 05 E	2	3000	2
62	18269	Xiamen, Fujian	China	24 24 N	118 06 E	50	1500	16
63	18123	Victoria College	Egypt	31 13 N	29 55 E	–	200	4
64	18124	Alda Beach	Egypt	31 16 N	30 05 E	–	200	10
65	19553	Villa Clara	Cuba	23 00 N	80 30 W	60	1500	12
66	19554	Matanzas	Cuba	23 04 N	81 35 W	20	1600	–

Note: Provenance numbers 60–66 were not included in the international provenance trials.



## 2.2 Seed distribution

Although 67 seedlots was collected, only 60 were distributed for planting in this series of trials. The 60 seedlots that were planted were numbered from 1 to 59 including 12a, as shown in Table 1. Numbers 60 to 66 were not included in these trials because they were either obtained late or had insufficient seed. A few seedlots were found to have very low viability.

The distribution of seed commenced in 1992, with the majority of the distribution taking place in 1993. Invitations to participate in the internationally coordinated trials were sent to all organisations which had assisted in the seed collection as well as those who were active in casuarina research and development. By the end of 1994, more than 40 subsets of the seed were dispatched to 37 forestry agencies in 26 countries. Most recipients obtained a common set of 28 seedlots representing the main geographical origins of the seed. The largest subset of 59 seedlots was supplied to a collaborator in northern Australia.

### 3 Trial Establishment

The first series of field trials was established in 1992, followed by the majority of trials in 1993 and some additional trials in 1994. Guidelines for establishment, maintenance and initial measurement were provided to collaborators to ensure standardisation across many trial collaborators and countries. For the majority of these trials, randomised complete block designs were used with four replicates, plot size of 25–36 trees, and planting distance of 2 × 2 m. In a few cases, latinised row–column designs were used.

Despite a generous quantity of seed for each provenance being dispatched to trial collaborators, varying skills in nursery operations resulted in some seedlots having too few seedlings for planting in some trials. In some cases, some provenances were either not represented in all four replicates or not planted at all. The majority of the trials reported were represented by more than 20 seed sources from all provenance regions.

Collaborators were requested to provide the following information for each trial:

- contact details
- location
- soil and climate
- management history
- trial layout.

By 1995, up to 38 trials in 20 countries were confirmed established. Some of these trials were, however, discontinued after only one or two growing seasons due to poor survival or damage by fire.



**Figure 4.** Locations of provenance trials included in this report.

**Table 2.** Geographical details of international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Trial no.	Trial location	Soil details	Mean annual rainfall (mm)	Mean annual temp (°C)	Latitude (°)	Longitude (°)	Altitude (m)
IPT-01	Weipa, Australia	Loam, pH 6-7	2000	28	12 36 S	141 50 E	6
IPT-02	Ratchaburi, Thailand	Sandy, pH 5	1100	29	13 20 N	99 29 E	160
IPT-03	Lad Krathing, Thailand	Light clay, pH 4.5-6	1300	28	13 42 N	101 06 E	80
IPT-04	Yangxi, China	Sand to loamy sand, pH 6-7.5	2290	23	21 48 N	111 41 E	1
IPT-05	Dongshan, China	Deep sand to loamy sand pH 5.8	950	21	23 40 N	117 28 E	4
IPT-06	Syh-hu, Taiwan	Sandy, pH 6-7.5	1010	23	23 40 N	120 08 E	10
IPT-07	Balukhanda, Orissa, India	Deep sand to loamy sand, pH 6-7.5	1420	33	19 53 N	85 53 E	10
IPT-08	Neyveli, Tamil Nadu, India	Deep loam, pH 6.5	1000	33	11 30 N	79 30 E	300
IPT-09	Beraliyakanda, Sri Lanka	Red gravel, pH 4.5-6	2200	30	06 16 N	80 09 E	60
IPT-10	Nghe An, Vietnam	Loamy sand, pH 4.5-6	1940	24	18 44 N	105 45 E	2
IPT-11	Sam Son, Vietnam	Loamy sand, pH 4.5-6	2540	26	15 36 N	108 30 E	2
IPT-12	Gede, Kenya	Loamy sand, pH 6-7	940	28	03 15 S	39 35 E	55
IPT-13	La Soledad, Honduras	Deep sandy loam, pH 7.2	880	25	14 27 N	87 42 W	640
IPT-14	Santa Rosa, Honduras	Deep loamy sand, pH 5.2	2500	26	13 10 N	87 10 W	100
IPT-15	Madang, PNG	Loamy sands, pH 6-7.5	3220	30	05 01 S	145 59 E	5
IPT-16	Kuiburi, Thailand	Sandy loam, pH 7.3	1180	27	12 05 N	99 36 E	30
IPT-17	Takuapa, Thailand	Loamy sand, pH 4.5-6	3600	27	08 46 N	98 16 E	15
IPT-18	Sai Thong, Thailand	Sandy, pH 6-7.5	1500	27	11 25 N	99 27 E	50
IPT-19	Lakkithalli, Karnataka, India	Sandy loam to clay loam, pH 5.3	700	26	13 12 N	76 24 E	930
IPT-20	Pondicherry, India	Deep clay loam, pH 5.9	1500	27	11 59 N	79 50 E	300
IPT-21	Tandojam, Pakistan	Clay, pH >7.5	200	30	25 24 N	68 31 E	28
IPT-22	Pothukulama, Sri Lanka	Very deep sandy loam, pH 6-7.5	1250	30	07 42 N	79 55 E	27
IPT-23	Ratmalagara, Sri Lanka	Sandy, pH 6-7.5	1630	32	07 31 N	79 54 E	2
IPT-24	South Tahrir, Egypt	Coarse sand with calcareous outcrops	<50 (irrigated)	27	30 30 N	29 30 E	50
IPT-25	Muthundtu, Malawi	Deep sand, pH 7	1000	24	14 29 S	35 15 E	600

The physical and climatic conditions of these trials varied greatly, with altitude ranging from 1 m to more than 900 m, and mean annual rainfall as low as <50 mm (a site requiring irrigation) to as high as 3600 mm. Table 2 provides information on locality, climate and soil conditions of 25 trials established in 13 countries which have been included in this report. The locations of these provenance trials are indicated in Figure 4.

# 4 Selection of Traits for Assessment

The earlier guidelines on trial establishment advised collaborators on measurement of height and diameter growth only. Observations of the progress in some trials revealed obvious differences among provenances in both growth and several morphological characteristics. Subsequently, an assessment procedure was developed to include, apart from height and stem diameter, a number of qualitative traits such as stem form and branching habit (Pinyopusarek et al. 1995). Classification and scoring techniques were applied to characteristics which could not be measured quantitatively. This assessment as a whole summarises the quality of individual trees. A data-recording form was constructed so that the data could be transferred to a computer, processed and analysed.

The following summarises the assessment procedure for the 14 growth traits measured.

## 4.1 Quantitative traits

Height and diameter at breast height were the only two quantitative traits included in the assessment.

**Height (*Ht*)** referred to the total tree height. If there was more than one stem per tree, only the tallest was measured. Height was measured to the nearest 0.1 m.

**Diameter at breast height (*Dbh*)** was defined as the stem diameter taken at 1.3 m from ground level and was measured to the nearest 0.1 cm.

For forking trees or trees with multiple leaders, *Dbh* was measured on all stems 1.3 m above ground level. A branching leader was considered a stem if its diameter was equal to or greater than half of the diameter of the principal leader at the same height. The diameter, equivalent to that of a single stem with the same cross-sectional area, was calculated using the formula:

$$Dbh = (d_1^2 + d_2^2 + \dots + d_n^2)^{1/2} \quad (1)$$

where  $d_1, d_2, \dots, d_n$  were the diameters of the stems measured at 1.3 m above ground level.

## 4.2 Qualitative traits

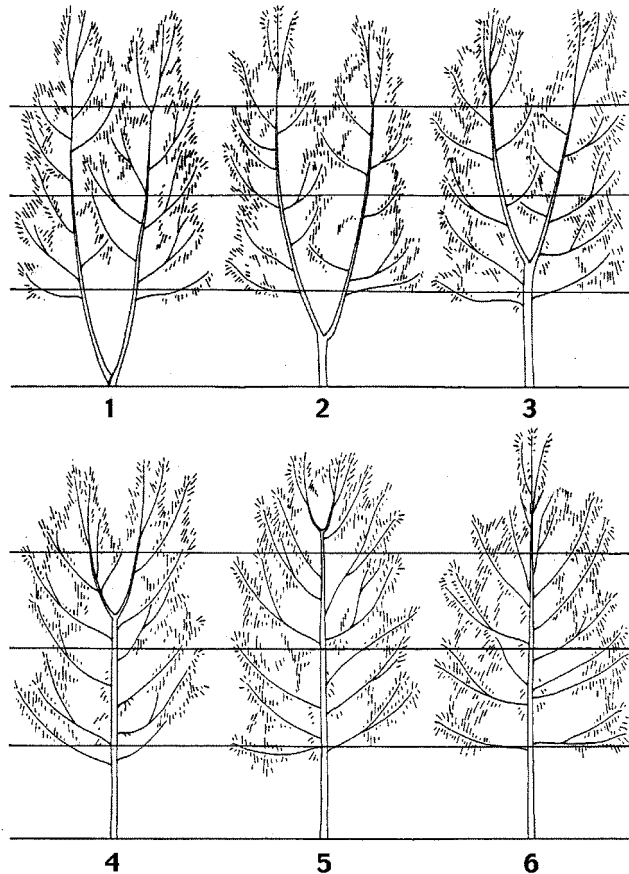
These were characteristics where quantitative measurements were either not possible or too time-consuming to make. The variability of such characteristics was recorded by visual classification. The number of classes varied between characteristics, depending on the extent of variation within each characteristic. Twelve qualitative characteristics were assessed, reflecting stem form, branching habit, health and reproduction.

#### 4.2.1 Stem form

*Axis persistence (Axpst)*. This characteristic explained the ability of the tree to retain its primary stem axis. From a utilisation point of view, the longer the main axis, the higher the quality of the resulting log.

Axis persistence was categorised into six classes. The total height of the tree was divided into four equal parts (Figure 5). The length of the unbroken axis was scored according to the quarter section to which it could be followed. In addition, classes at the beginning and the end of the scale respectively were incorporated. The score in each class was as follows:

- 1 = double or multiple stems from ground level
- 2 = axis loses persistence in the first (lowest) quarter of the tree
- 3 = axis loses persistence in the second quarter of the tree
- 4 = axis loses persistence in the third quarter of the tree
- 5 = axis loses persistence in the fourth quarter of the tree
- 6 = complete persistence.



**Figure 5.** Guidelines for recording axis persistence.

**Stem straightness (*Strst*).** This characteristic was recorded only for the trees that scored 4–6 in axis persistence. In scoring this characteristic, we first looked at whether the stem was vertical and then the number of bends, if any. A stem was considered not vertical if its main axis deviated from the imaginary vertical line; the deviation might be at any point between the first and third quarters of total height. The deviation or bend at the tip of the stem was ignored. There were six classes as follows:

- 1 = not vertical with more than two bends
- 2 = roughly vertical with more than two bends
- 3 = not vertical with one to two bends
- 4 = roughly vertical with one to two bends
- 5 = roughly vertical and straight
- 6 = completely vertical and straight.

#### 4.2.2 Branching habit

Two types of branches were assessed, permanent branches and deciduous branchlets. Permanent branches referred to first-order branches that originated from the main stem, while deciduous branchlets were the needle-like foliage that originated from either the first- or second-order branches.

*Permanent branches* were scored for four characteristics.

**Density (*Denpb*),** four classes:

- 1 = very high — regular branching with internode length around 15 cm
- 2 = high — irregular branching with internode length mainly around 15 cm
- 3 = low — irregular branching with internode length mainly around 30 cm
- 4 = very low — sparse branching with internode length generally >30 cm.

**Thickness (*Thkpb*),** four classes:

- 1 = very heavy — more than three branches, diameter > one-third of adjacent stem
- 2 = heavy — one to three branches, diameter > one-third of adjacent stem
- 3 = light — branch diameter up to one-third of adjacent stem
- 4 = very light — branch diameter < one-quarter of adjacent stem and uniform.

**Angle (*Angpb*),** two classes:

- 1 = branch angle <60° (upright)
- 2 = branch angle >60° (horizontal).

**Length (*Lenpb*),** two classes:

- 1 = long — generally > one-quarter of total height
- 2 = short — generally < one-quarter of total height.

*Deciduous branchlets* were scored according to two characteristics.

**Length (*Lendb*),** two classes:

- 1 = long — generally >15 cm
- 2 = short — generally <15 cm.

**Thickness (*Thkdb*)**, two classes (a template was provided to trial collaborators for this characteristic):

- 1 = coarse
- 2 = fine.

#### 4.2.3 Health

Stem and foliage were simply assessed as healthy or unhealthy. Damage was normally caused either by insects or diseases. We excluded damage caused by machinery or fire.

**Stem damage (*Stmhe*)**, two classes:

- 1 = yes
- 2 = no.

**Foliage damage (*Folhe*)**, two classes:

- 1 = yes
- 2 = no.

#### 4.2.4 Reproduction

The presence of flowers, and sex expression and fruiting bodies (cones), were recorded as follows:

**Flowering (*Flwre*)**, two classes:

- 1 = yes
- 2 = no.

**Fruiting (*Frtrt*)**, two classes:

- 1 = yes
- 2 = no.

### 4.3 Trial assessment

Collaborators were responsible for measurement of field trials following the guidelines provided by ATSC. Trial data were forwarded to ATSC for processing and statistical analysis. Of 38 trials established, 28 were fully assessed according to the assessment procedure described above. The remaining trials were assessed on height and diameter growth only.

Not all the trials assessed are reported here. Some were excluded due to incomplete data collection or discrepancies between layout and field data which could not be clarified.

The age at which the assessments were carried out varied between trials. The youngest of the trials reported here was 12 months and the oldest was 48 months. This prevents direct comparison between trials on some traits, such as height and diameter growth, but it does not affect evaluation of provenance differences or site-by-provenance interaction.



# 5 Data Analysis

## 5.1 Data processing

Data processing was a lengthy process. Some collaborators supplied data in the recording sheets which needed to be transferred into Microsoft Excel files. After receiving the data, our first task was to check the data to ensure that they corresponded to the planting layout. Very often, data were supplied without a planting layout or the supplied data did not match the layout. In these situations, it was necessary to ask collaborators to send layouts or clarify the discrepancies.

All data sets were transferred into Microsoft Excel file format in either of the following two structures, depending on the experimental design employed in the planting:

- data structure for trials established using randomised block designs  
*Replicate – Plot No. – Tree No. – CSIRO Seedlot No. – Variates*
- data structure for trials established using latinised row–column designs  
*Replicate – Row – Column – Tree No. – CSIRO Seedlot No. – Variates.*

The CSIRO-developed computer software, DataPlus (Williams et al. 2000), was then used to process experimental data and generate plot means, variances and counts (for automatic calculation of survival percentage) for analysis of the data by the statistical package GenStat (GenStat 2002). The use of DataPlus for data processing also ensured that incorrect treatment allocation and outlying values for variates outside of pre-specified data ranges were detected before we proceeded to the statistical analysis.

Following the screening and processing of the trial data, there were 14 trials from nine countries for which we had both quantitative and qualitative data. Data on height (*Ht*) for an extra 11 trials and on diameter at breast height (*Dbh*) for seven trials from seven countries were also available for analysis. In total, data from 25 trials (see details in Table 2) were analysed for this report.

## 5.2 Individual sites

Simple analysis of variance was used for the trials laid out as randomised complete block designs. In this analysis, the plot mean from each site was modelled as consisting of an overall mean, a component for the particular replicate the plot is in, a component for the particular provenance which is on the plot, and a residual or remainder term, i.e.

(plot mean) = (overall mean) + (replicate effect) + (provenance effect) + (residual)

or symbolically

$$Y_{ij} = \mu + \alpha_i + \beta_j + \epsilon_{ij} \quad (1)$$

where the  $Y_{ij}$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, r; j = 1, 2, \dots, v$ ) are the plot means;  $\mu$  is a parameter for the overall mean; the  $\alpha_i$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, r$ ) are parameters for  $r$  replicates; the  $\beta_j$  are parameters

for  $v$  provenances; and the  $\epsilon_{ij}$  are the residuals in the model, i.e. what is left over from the proposed model. By making the assumption that the  $\epsilon_{ij}$  are distributed according to the normal distribution with zero mean and variance  $\sigma^2$ , it is possible to test the significance of provenance differences using analysis of variance (ANOVA). DataPlus generated GenStat code for these analyses. The ANOVA command in GenStat was used to perform the analyses on all the quantitative and qualitative plot means. The plot survivals and the log-transformed plot variances were also analysed; significant differences between provenances for the analysis of plot variances would tell us that the seedlings from some of the provenances are more variable than others.

For the trials laid out as latinised row-column designs, mixed-model analysis was carried out. Here the plot means were modelled as

$$Y_{ij} = \mu + \alpha_i + \beta_g + \gamma_j + \epsilon_{ij}$$

where the  $\beta_g$  ( $g = 1, 2, \dots, s$ ) are parameters for the  $s$  long columns in the latinised design and the  $\epsilon_{ij}$  are correlated random effects made up of components for rows within replicates, columns within replicates and the residuals. Hence, the random part of the mixed model is more complicated than for the randomised complete block design since we have to estimate variance components for both the rows and columns within replicates. But the inclusion of these terms in the model can reduce the size of the residuals considerably and therefore give us a much better fit to the data and more chance to detect significant differences between provenances if they exist. DataPlus was used to generate GenStat code for the residual maximum likelihood analysis of the mixed model.

The provenances were grouped into countries and regions as detailed in Table 1. Hence, the provenance effects in Equation 1, above, could be sub-modelled into effects for regions and countries within regions as follows:

$$\gamma_j = \delta_k + \eta_{km} + \theta_{kmj}$$

where the  $\delta_k$  are effects for each region ( $k = 1, 2, 3, 4$ ),  $\eta_{km}$  are effects for the countries within each region ( $m = 1, 2, \dots, 18$ ) and the  $\theta_{kmj}$  are effects for the provenances within each country. DataPlus was used to generate GenStat code to carry out the analysis of variance to partition the estimated provenance means into variation between provenances within countries and countries within regions. Estimated provenance means from the individual site analyses were assembled into two-way tables of sites by provenances for each of the 14 traits plus survival.

The grouping of provenances into countries and regions facilitates determination of provenance variation for a given trait at different levels. The following scenarios may arise from the above separate analyses:

- a. no significant differences between either provenances, countries or regions
- b. no significant differences between provenances, but significant between countries and regions
- c. no significant differences between provenances or between countries, but significant between regions
- d. no significant differences between provenances or between regions, but significant between countries

- e. significant differences are found on provenance, country, and regional levels
- f. significant differences between provenances, but not between countries and regions
- g. significant differences between provenances and between countries, but not between regions
- h. significant differences between provenances and between regions, but not between countries.

### 5.3 Site-by-provenance interaction

#### 5.3.1 Analysis of variance

For each variate, the site-by-provenance tables were processed by first fitting a two-factor model to investigate the presence of site-by-provenance interaction. The model was of the form

$$(\text{observation}) = (\text{overall mean}) + (\text{site effect}) + (\text{provenance effect}) + (\text{site.provenance effect})$$

or symbolically

$$Y_{ij} = \mu + \alpha_i + \beta_j + \gamma_{ij} \quad (2)$$

where  $Y_{ij}$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, l; j = 1, 2, \dots, v$ ) are entries in a  $l \times v$  site-by-provenance table;  $\mu$  is a parameter for the overall mean; the  $\alpha_i$  and  $\beta_j$  are parameters for the sites and provenances, respectively; and the  $\gamma_{ij}$  are the interaction effects between sites and provenances. Because not every provenance was present at every site, the two-way tables were incomplete and so a non-orthogonal analysis of variance was carried out using the FIT command of GenStat. A pooled error term was obtained by pooling the residual mean squares ( $s_j^2$ ) from the individual site analyses, having first checked that the variances were homogeneous across all sites. In other words, an analysis of variance table of the form

Source of variation	degrees of freedom	mean square
site	$l - 1$	
provenance	$v - 1$	
site.provenance	$(l - 1)(v - 1)$	
residual	$l(v - 1)(r - 1)$	$S^2 = s^2/(lr)$

was obtained for each of the 14 variates where  $r$  is the number of replicates at each site; for our trials  $r = 4$ . As was done with the individual analyses, the provenance variation was again further partitioned into differences between provenances within countries and countries within regions.

#### 5.3.2 Joint regression analysis

The site-by-provenance interaction for the quantitative variates height ( $Ht$ ) and diameter at breast height ( $Dbh$ ) was analysed in more detail using the method of joint regression analysis (Williams et al. 2002). Here the two-factor model was expanded to take the form

(observation) = (overall mean) + (provenance regression coefficient)  
 (site effect) + (provenance effect) + (residual)

or symbolically

$$Y_{ij} = \mu + \beta_j + \alpha_i + \gamma_{ij} + \epsilon_{ij}$$

This model contains extra parameters not present in the simple two-factor model in Section 5.3.1. The extra parameters are the provenance regression coefficients ( $\beta_j$ ), introduced as multipliers for the site effects. If there is no interaction, all the provenance regression coefficients are equal to one and the model simplifies to the two-factor model in Section 5.3.1. Normally there will be some interaction and the  $\beta_j$  will vary about one; some will be higher and some will be lower. Only provenances represented at four or more sites were included in these analyses; this left 43 provenances over the 14 sites and 47 provenances if all sites were analysed. Estimated provenance means were plotted against the regression coefficients for each provenance to investigate possible structure in the interaction.

## 5.4 Multivariate analysis

The estimated provenance means from the Section 5.3.1 analyses of the 14 quantitative and qualitative variates across 14 sites were subjected to a principal component analysis. This multivariate technique derives a linear combination of the variates that maximises the variation between the provenances; this is known as the first principal component. The coefficients in the linear combination are called loadings and indicate the relative importance of the particular variates in elucidating differences in provenances from different geographical regions as well as providing a convenient summary of the geographical variation. The importance of the first principal component depends on how much of the overall variation across the 14 variates is captured. A second principal component can be obtained which is uncorrelated with the first and captures further variation that has not been picked up by the first. We normally hope that we can summarise most of the variation between provenances with just two principal components. In other words, the principal components analysis tries to reduce the information in 14 variates down to just two, or at most three, principal components which can then be conveniently represented on two-dimensional graphs.

# 6 Results

## 6.1 Individual site analyses

Table 3 summarises the results from separate analyses for 25 individual sites on 14 growth traits and survival, indicating the distribution of the eight possible scenarios of significant differences. The overall results show that the larger extent of variation between seed sources is caused by either the country origins or provenance regions or both. As far as the frequency of significance is concerned, the influence of provenance region is most dominant with 119 significant cases (scenarios b, c, e and h) compared to that of country origin, 109 cases (b, d, e and g), and provenance origin, 74 cases (e, f, g and h). There are 12 cases only (i.e. scenario f) where the significant differences are explained solely by provenance effect. In this scenario, the differences between country origins and between provenance regions were not significant.

**Table 3.** Distribution of different scenarios of significance from separate analysis of 25 trials for 14 growth traits and survival.

Trait	Scenario of significance*								Total
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	
<i>Surv</i>	11	1	4	3	2	1	2	1	25
<i>Ht</i>	5	5	4	1	6	2	2	–	25
<i>Dbh</i>	4	4	3	1	6	3	–	–	21
<i>Axpst</i>	6	–	2	2	2	2	–	–	14
<i>Strst</i>	1	2	3	3	3	–	1	1	14
<i>Denpb</i>	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	2	14
<i>Thkpb</i>	4	1	4	–	3	–	–	2	14
<i>Angpb</i>	3	4	1	3	2	1	–	–	14
<i>Lenpb</i>	6	5	1	–	1	–	1	–	14
<i>Lendb</i>	5	1	1	2	3	1	1	–	14
<i>Thkdb</i>	4	4	–	1	5	–	–	–	14
<i>Stmhe</i>	11	2	–	–	–	1	–	–	14
<i>Folhe</i>	7	1	4	1	–	–	–	1	14
<i>Flwre</i>	3	1	2	2	4	–	–	2	14
<i>Frre</i>	5	1	1	1	5	–	1	–	14
Total	77	34	32	22	44	12	9	9	239

\* a = no significant differences either between provenances, countries or regions

b = no significant differences between provenances, but significant between countries and regions

c = no significant differences between provenances and between countries, but significant between regions

d = no significant differences between provenances and between regions, but significant between countries

e = significant differences between provenances, between countries and between regions

f = significant differences between provenances, but not between countries and regions

g = significant differences between provenances and countries, but not between regions

h = significant differences between provenances and between regions, but not between countries

Estimated means from individual analyses of 25 trials are summarised in Appendixes 1 and 2. Appendix 1 provides information on survival and both quantitative and qualitative traits for 14 growth trials. Each table in Appendix 1 has a column for each site. The rows of each table correspond to the 60 provenances that were

planted. There is a table for each of our 14 traits (two quantitative and 12 qualitative) and another for survival percentage (*Surv*). A blank cell means that the particular provenance was not planted at a site. Also included in the tables are (i) columns for the country of provenance origin (grouped by region), provenance number and the CSIRO seedlot number and (ii) rows showing the residual mean squares from the individual analyses and the standard error of differences for the comparison of two provenance means. The last three rows in each table indicate the significant level at provenance, country and region levels. Appendix 2 shows quantitative growth data only; information on height (Appendix 2.1) and survival (Appendix 2.2) was available for 11 other sites and on diameter at breast height (*Dbh*) for seven of the 11 sites (Appendix 2.3).

It is somewhat complicated to discuss the results for each trait because of the large number of seed sources and sites involved. Therefore, to assist in the presentation of results, we have decided to also show here (and in advance of the results in Section 6.2) the estimated provenance means from the site-by-provenance interaction model (Equation 2). These provenance means (Table 4) give us a convenient summary for each trait across all 14 sites. However, the information in Table 4 should be treated as a general guide only, and should be examined in conjunction with more detailed information for specific sites presented in Appendixes 1 and 2.

### 6.1.1 General trends

#### *Survival*

Mean trial survival ranged from very poor (i.e. 23% for IPT-7 in Orissa, India and 38% for IPT-25 in Malawi) to very good (more than 85%) (Appendixes 1.1 and 2.1). There were no significant differences in survival between seedlots in 11 out of 25 trials. The trials that were found to have significant differences did not show a clear pattern of variation, so it was not feasible to elaborate on the differences between provenances. It appears most likely that the different standards of trial maintenance might have contributed to the differences in the survival rate.

#### *Height and diameter*

Similar to the results observed for survival, there were marked differences in the growth rate between planting sites. Relatively, trees grew notably slower at IPT-5 (Dongshan, China), IPT-7 (Balukhanda, India), IPT-11 (Sam Son, Vietnam) and IPT-17 (Takuapa, Thailand). The trials at Dongshan and Sam Son were located near the seashore, and were clearly affected by the strong winds.

Despite significant differences between provenances within countries and between countries within regions, height and diameter growth showed a similar trend in that natural provenances from Southeast Asia and land races from Asia generally grew faster than natural provenances from Australia/Pacific and land races from Africa. Natural provenances from Australia and the Pacific recorded the slowest growth; in most cases, the region means are smaller than overall site means (Appendixes 1.2, 1.3, 2.2, 2.3).

No particular group of provenances was found to grow consistently well across all the trial sites, indicating seed source and site interaction (see Section 6.2 for more detail). Nevertheless, several provenances from Malaysia contributed to the overall better growth for provenances from the Southeast Asian region.

**Table 4.** Pooled mean values of 14 growth and morphological characteristics at 14 trial sites.

	Prov. no.	CSIRO seedlot	Ht	Dbh	Axpr	Srst	Denpb	Thkpb	Angpb	Lenpb	Lendb	Thkdb	Stmhe	Folhe	Flwre	Frrre
Natural – Australia/Pacific																
Australia	1	15958	3.8	2.7	4.9	3.0	2.3	2.6	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.6	1.9	1.8	1.1	1.9
	2	16166	3.8	2.7	5.1	3.2	1.7	3.0	1.6	1.6	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.1	1.9
	3	18008	4.5	3.0	5.2	3.3	2.1	2.7	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.2	1.8
	4	18378	4.3	2.0	5.0	2.9	2.2	3.0	1.5	1.6	1.3	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.1	1.9
PNG	5	18153	4.5	3.1	5.3	3.3	2.2	2.7	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.1	1.8
Fiji	6	18270	3.9	2.6	4.5	2.1	2.3	2.3	1.9	1.4	1.6	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.1	1.8
	7	18271	4.0	2.6	5.1	2.9	2.4	2.6	1.7	1.4	1.5	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.1	1.9
	8	18272	4.3	2.9	4.8	2.9	2.3	2.3	1.8	1.3	1.5	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.0	1.8
Guam	9	18121	3.8	2.7	5.1	3.6	2.1	2.5	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.1	1.8
Solomon	10	18402	4.5	3.6	5.0	3.1	2.0	2.6	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.0	1.9
	11	18403	4.7	3.6	4.0	2.9	2.5	2.4	1.4	1.3	1.7	2.1	1.9	1.9	1.0	1.9
Vanuatu	12	18312	4.2	3.0	5.2	3.4	2.2	2.7	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.1	1.9
Tonga	12a	18040	4.0	2.7	4.5	3.3	2.3	2.7	1.7	1.1	1.7	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.1	1.8
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>4.2</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.8</b>
Natural – Southeast Asia																
Malaysia	13	18157	4.5	3.3	5.2	3.0	2.0	2.6	1.8	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.9	1.9	1.1	1.9
	14	18158	4.7	3.3	5.4	3.0	2.1	2.5	1.8	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.9	1.8	1.0	1.9
	15	18160	4.7	3.5	5.6	3.3	2.3	2.6	1.9	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.9	1.9	1.1	1.9
	16	18161	4.8	3.8	5.6	3.2	2.0	2.2	1.6	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.9	1.9	1.2	1.9
	17	18244	4.8	3.4	5.2	3.6	1.9	2.6	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.9	1.9	1.1	1.9
	18	18348	4.4	3.3	5.4	3.4	2.0	2.4	1.7	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.9	1.8	1.0	1.9
	19	18374	4.6	3.5	4.8	3.1	2.2	2.4	1.5	1.1	1.3	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.0	1.9
	20	18375	4.3	3.2	4.7	3.3	2.1	2.3	1.7	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.9	1.8	1.0	1.9

Note: Ht = height; Dbh = diameter at breast height; Axpr = axis persistence; Srst = stem straightness; characteristics of permanent branches; Denpb = density; Thkpb = thickness; Angpb = angle; Lenpb = length; characteristics of deciduous branchlets; Lendb = length; Thkdb = thickness; Stmhe = stem damage; Folhe = foliage damage; Flwre = flowering; Frrre = fruiting. See text for full explanation.

**Table 4.** (cont'd) Pooled mean values of 14 growth and morphological characteristics at 14 trial sites.

	Prov. no.	CSIRO seedlot	Ht	Dbh	Axpst	Strst	Denpb	Thkpb	Angpb	Lenpb	Lendb	Thkdb	Stmhe	Folhe	Flwre	Frtre
	21	18376	4.6	3.5	5.1	3.3	2.3	2.4	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.0	1.9
Philippines	22	18117	4.4	2.9	5.4	3.3	2.2	2.8	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.2	1.8
	23	18154	4.2	3.1	5.2	3.5	2.1	2.5	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.2	1.8
	24	18357	4.5	3.3	5.4	3.9	2.0	2.6	1.8	1.6	1.2	1.6	1.9	1.9	1.1	1.9
Thailand	25	18296	4.4	3.2	5.1	3.1	2.1	2.5	1.7	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.9	1.9	1.1	1.9
	26	18297	4.5	3.4	5.1	3.3	2.2	2.5	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.9	1.9	1.1	1.9
	27	18298	4.5	3.6	5.3	3.1	2.2	2.5	1.7	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.8	1.8	1.1	1.9
	28	18299	4.4	3.2	5.2	3.2	2.1	2.4	1.6	1.4	1.6	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.0	1.9
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>4.5</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.9</b>
Introduced – Asia																
China	29	18267	4.4	3.1	5.3	3.4	1.9	2.7	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.2	1.8
	30	18268	4.7	3.6	5.5	3.6	2.0	2.6	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.2	1.8
	31	18586	4.0	2.9	5.5	3.7	1.7	2.8	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.9	1.8	1.1	1.8
India	32	18013	4.5	3.3	5.2	3.4	2.0	2.6	1.6	1.4	1.5	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.2	1.8
	33	18014	4.3	3.3	5.3	3.5	1.9	2.6	1.5	1.3	1.4	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.2	1.8
	34	18015	4.5	3.4	5.3	3.5	1.9	2.7	1.6	1.3	1.2	1.6	1.9	1.8	1.2	1.8
	35	18118	4.5	3.0	5.4	3.4	2.3	2.7	1.5	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.8	1.9	1.3	1.8
	36	18119	4.2	3.0	5.6	3.5	2.0	2.7	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.2	1.8
	37	18120	4.2	3.0	5.4	3.4	2.1	2.5	1.6	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.4	1.7
Sri Lanka	38	18286	4.2	2.7	5.1	3.3	2.2	2.5	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.5	1.9	1.9	1.2	1.8
	39	18287	4.0	3.0	5.2	3.3	2.1	2.7	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.3	1.8
	40	18288	4.4	3.3	5.2	3.4	2.0	2.6	1.6	1.3	1.4	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.2	1.8
Vietnam	41	18085	4.5	3.1	5.3	3.7	2.0	2.6	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.3	1.8
	42	18086	4.8	3.5	5.6	3.5	2.0	2.5	1.5	1.3	1.5	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.3	1.8
	43	18127	5.0	3.7	5.5	3.8	1.9	2.5	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.6	1.9	1.8	1.3	1.7

Note: Ht = height; Dbh = diameter at breast height; Axpst = axis persistence; Strst = stem straightness; characteristics of permanent branches; Denpb = density; Thkpb = thickness; Angpb = angle; Lenpb = length; characteristics of deciduous branchlets; Lendb = length; Thkdb = thickness; Stmhe = stem damage; Folhe = foliage damage; Flwre = flowering; Frtre = fruiting. See text for full explanation.



**Table 4.** (cont'd) Pooled mean values of 14 growth and morphological characteristics at 14 trial sites.

	Prov. no.	CSIRO seedlot	Ht	Dbh	Axpst	Srst	Denpb	Thkpb	Angpb	Lenpb	Lendb	Thkdb	Stmhe	Folhe	Flwre	Frre
Introduced – Africa																
Benin	46	18355	4.6	3.4	5.4	3.7	2.0	2.7	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.1	1.9
Egypt	47	18122	4.0	2.8	5.2	3.5	2.0	2.7	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.9	1.8	1.1	1.9
	48	18125	4.1	2.9	5.1	3.6	2.0	2.7	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.1	1.8
	49	18126	4.0	2.5	5.2	3.1	2.0	2.7	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.0	1.8
Kenya	50	18134	4.0	2.9	5.3	3.5	1.9	2.7	1.6	1.4	1.6	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.0	1.9
	51	18135	4.4	2.8	5.5	4.2	2.0	3.0	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.9	1.9	1.6	1.1	1.8
	52	18136	4.4	3.0	5.9	4.1	1.9	2.9	1.8	1.6	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.0	1.9
	53	18137	4.1	2.9	5.3	3.7	2.0	2.9	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.1	1.9
	54	18141	5.1	3.6	5.9	4.1	2.0	2.9	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.2	1.8
	55	18142	4.4	3.1	5.3	3.7	2.2	2.6	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.1	1.9
	56	18143	3.9	2.8	5.1	3.4	2.0	2.6	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.1	1.9
	57	18144	4.3	2.8	6.0	3.9	1.8	2.9	1.7	1.6	1.8	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.2	1.9
Mauritius	58	18565	4.3	3.1	5.4	3.6	2.0	2.7	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.6	1.9	1.8	1.1	1.9
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>4.3</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.8</b>
Puerto Rico	59	18752	4.3	3.1	5.2	3.2	2.1	2.7	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.9	1.9	1.1	1.9
<b>Overall mean</b>			<b>4.3</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.8</b>

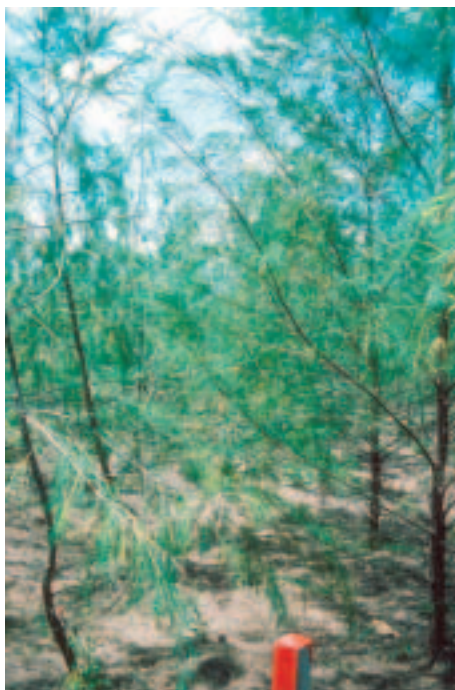
Note: Ht = height; Dbh = diameter at breast height; Axpst = axis persistence; Srst = stem straightness; characteristics of permanent branches; Denpb = density; Thkpb = thickness; Angpb = angle; Lenpb = length; characteristics of deciduous branchlets; Lendb = length; Thkdb = thickness; Srst = stem damage; Stmhe = stem damage; Folhe = foliage damage; Flwre = flowering; Frre = fruiting. See text for full explanation.

Within the Australia and Pacific region, the most outstanding provenance came from Ela Beach, the sole representative seedlot from Papua New Guinea (PNG). This PNG provenance ranked among the fastest-growing at many trial sites in Asia and Africa.

When the relative mean growth across 14 sites, as shown in Table 4, is examined, it is evident that two seed sources from the introduced populations (seedlot 18127 from Ha Tinh, Vietnam and seedlot 18141 from Robinson Island, Kenya), are the fastest growing of all. However, these two seedlots were planted at only one out of the 14 sites (i.e. at Weipa, Australia), and thus we cannot confidently assume that they would behave the same elsewhere. Nonetheless, both seedlots will certainly be candidates for further testing in areas with soil and climatic conditions similar to those at Weipa.

### *Stem form*

The mean values recorded for axis persistence indicate that *C. equisetifolia* has the propensity to develop single-stemmed trees, and differences between provenances were generally not significant (Appendix 1.4). In the trials where significant differences were recorded, it was provenances from Australia and the Pacific region that tended to have more multi-stemmed trees. These provenances from the Australia/Pacific region also tended to have stems that were less straight (Figure 6)(Appendix 1.5).



**Figure 6.** Poor stem form of a provenance from Fiji compared with a provenance from Sabah, Malaysia in a provenance trial in Thailand.

Overall, trees originating from planted stands (i.e. introduced populations) had better stem form than those from natural populations (see also Table 4). In particular, a few Kenyan land races (seedlots 18135, 18136 and 18141) had straight stems and almost perfect bole length without forking. This better stem form of the introduced populations may be the result of recurrent selection and collection of seed from good trees for plantation establishment.

#### *Branching habit (permanent branches)*

The branching data were found to vary considerably between trials sites. We believe this is due to different standards being applied during the scoring procedures rather than trees behaving differently in different environments. The trend in provenance differences is generally similar across different trials.

Although there is some evidence of variation between provenances (Figure 7), countries and regions in branching characteristics (Appendixes 1.6–1.9), the results generally suggest that *C. equisetifolia* trees are densely branched, light to medium in branch size, with a tendency toward horizontal branches.

On a regional basis, branching characteristics can be summarised as follows:

- *branch density* — densely branched in general, but slightly lighter in natural provenances
- *branch thickness* — light to heavy branching in general, but slightly lighter in land races from Africa
- *branch angle* — close to horizontal in all regions, but slightly more horizontal in natural provenances from Southeast Asia
- *branch length* — mostly longer than a quarter of total tree height, slightly longer in seedlots from Africa.

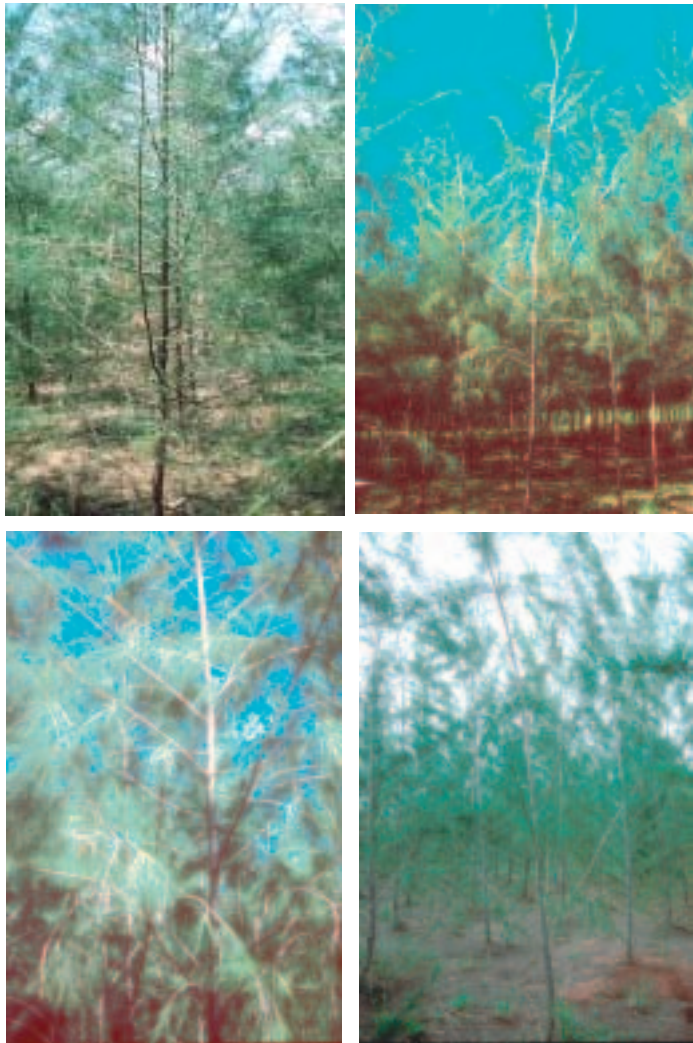
#### *Deciduous branchlets*

Except for a few sites, the mean data for branchlet thickness are consistent across sites in that most trees had fine branchlets (Appendix 1.10). The results at Dongshan, China (IPT-5) and Santa Rosa, Honduras (IPT-14) indicate that branchlets were coarse. We believe that this anomaly is attributable to different scoring standards.

The results obtained for branchlet length are not so consistent across trials; in fact, there are clear contrasts between some trials (Appendix 1.11). It is more appropriate in this case to look at the relative mean values in Table 4. Despite notable variation between provenances within countries, a general trend was that most trees tended to have long and fine branchlets, and that the branchlets were longer in the trees from Africa than in those from other regions.

#### *Health*

It was not considered feasible to assess health in great detail, as this would have needed qualified personnel who were not available. Our procedure merely examined whether there was evidence of damage, either biological or mechanical, to the stem and foliage, and the results showed that trees in most trials were generally not damaged (Appendixes 1.12 and 1.13). However, foliage damage was recorded on all seedlots in the trial in Kenya (IPT-12). The non-significant differences shown in most trials may be due to inadequate determination of the cause and extent of damage.



**Figure 7.** Variation in branching density of different provenances.

### *Reproduction*

The age to first flowering varied between planting sites, suggesting the local environmental conditions are a likely factor. Many provenances in the trials at Weipa, Australia (IPT-01), Neveli, India (IPT-08), Malindi, Kenya (IPT-12) and La Soledad, Honduras (IPT-13) had trees flowering at ages between 26 and 32 months (Appendix 1.14). In contrast, there were very few or no flowering trees in the trials at Yangxi, China (IPT-04), Balukhanda, India (IPT-07), Nghe An, Vietnam (IPT-10), Sam Son, Vietnam (IPT-11) and Santa Rosa, Honduras (IPT-14) when aged between 30 and 48 months.

In the trials where flowering had commenced, seed sources from planted stands in Asia appeared to have more trees flowering, regardless of the trial locations. Variation between provenances did exist but there was no clear pattern of variation.

Data of fruit set (Appendix 1.15) did not correspond to that of flowering characteristic. Seed sources in the trials which had high numbers of trees flowering did not have high numbers of trees bearing fruit. *Casuarina equisetifolia* is predominantly dioecious (i.e. male and female flowers occurring on separate trees), with a small percentage of monoecious trees (male and female flowers on the same tree). In this report, however, we do not deal with sex of the trees. Seedlots with a high number of flowering trees would not necessarily correspond to those with a high number of trees bearing fruit if those flowering trees bore more male flowers.

Information on flowering and fruit set presented in this report should be treated with due consideration to the fact that these characteristics were recorded once only together with other morphological traits. Thus, it is likely that the time of assessment for some trials did not coincide with the peak flowering season, resulting in low numbers of trees flowering. In a more intensive study entailing monthly observations of flowering characteristics from ages 3 to 7 years in a trial at Lad Krathing, Thailand (IPT-03), Luechanimitichit (2002) found marked differences between provenances in the age to first flowering, sex ratio and total number of flowering trees. Trees originating from land races started first flowering earlier than those from natural provenances. At three years of age, all 14 land races had flowered compared to six out of 14 natural provenances. Sex ratios differed considerably between seed sources, but there was a tendency for more male than female trees in most seedlots.

### 6.1.2 Multiple regression

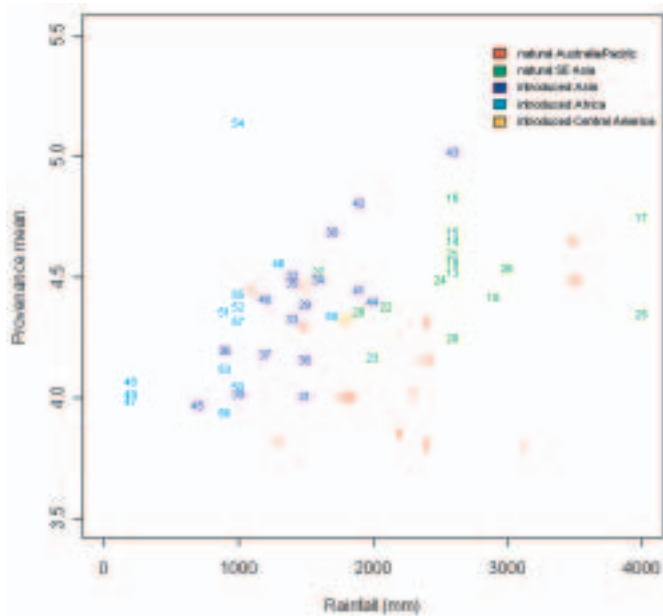
In order to investigate which environmental factors might have been responsible for variation in the growth performance among provenances, the details of the provenance seed collection sites in Table 1 (i.e. latitude, longitude, altitude and rainfall) were included as independent variates in a multiple regression for height and diameter. The mean values of height and diameter presented in Table 4 were used for this purpose. After taking into account the variation between countries, there was still a highly significant positive relationship for both height and diameter with rainfall. Graphs of these regressions are given in Figures 8 and 9, respectively, where the provenance numbers are colour coded to distinguish provenance regions. There were no significant effects for latitude, longitude and altitude (after first adjusting for differences between countries).

## 6.2 Site-by-provenance interaction

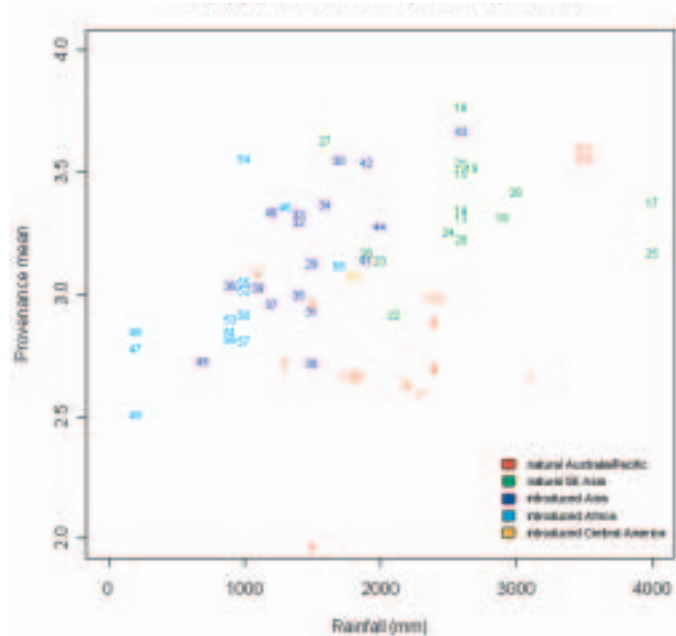
The analysis of the two-way tables of site-by-provenance data for each variate covered:

- *Homogeneity of variances*

For most of the variates, the residual mean squares were within the 10-fold range discussed by Williams et al. (2002, p. 68). Where the range was greater than 10-fold (e.g. *Thkpb*, *Axpst*, *Angpb*, *Thkdb* and *Lendb*), it was not extreme and so a weighted analysis was not pursued for any of the variates. Hence, pooled residual mean squares were obtained as the arithmetic average of the individual residual mean squares for each site, divided by the number of replicates at each site (i.e. four). The pooled residual mean squares have been included in the tables in Appendixes 1 and 2.



**Figure 8.** Plot of provenance means for height ( $Ht$ ) versus rainfall at seed collection sites. Different **colours** indicate the regional origin of the provenances.



**Figure 9.** Plot of provenance means for diameter at breast height ( $Dbh$ ) versus rainfall at seed collection sites. Different **colours** indicate the regional origin of the provenances.

- *Non-orthogonal analysis of variance*  
Analyses were carried out for each variate, where the site and provenance factors were fitted to each two-way table and the site.provenance interaction was compared with the pooled residual mean square (Table 5). The results showed that the interaction was statistically significant for all variates. Hence we proceeded to further investigate the interactions by partitioning into components.
- *Analysis of nested treatment structure*  
The 60 provenances came from 19 countries, which have been further grouped into four broad regions: natural distributions in Australia and the Pacific, seven countries, 13 provenances; natural distribution in Southeast Asia, three countries, 16 provenances; location of introductions in Asia, four countries, 17 provenances; and location of introductions in Africa, four countries, 13 provenances. In addition, there was a single entry from Puerto Rico that represented Central America. The non-orthogonal analyses of variance of the two-way tables were re-run to show the breakdown of the provenances into the nested structure; results are included in Table 5.

Joint regression analysis was conducted on height and diameter for both the main 14 sites and with the extra sites added in. In general, the results were not particularly illuminating and probably reflected the fact that the site-by-provenance interaction, although significant, was not as large as in the example described by Williams et al. (2002, Chapter 5). For example, from Table 5, the variance ratio for testing the site-by-provenance interaction for *Ht* is 1.69 compared with the 8.73 in Table 5.5 of Williams et al. (2002). The estimated means and regression coefficients for height and diameter are included in Table 6. Plots of estimated means versus regression coefficients for 14 sites using the provenance numbers as symbols are shown in Figures 10 and 11. The provenance numbers are colour coded in a similar manner to that used for Figures 8 and 9.

A principal component analysis was carried out on all 14 variates because, in general, the correlations between the variates were not high (Table 7). Estimated means for each variate were weighted by the inverse of the standard errors obtained from the individual analyses. The first two principal components accounted for 51% of the variation. The loadings for the first two principal components are given in Table 8. A large absolute value for a variate (characteristic) loading indicates the importance of the variate in the formation of the principal component analysis. The first principal component is based largely on axis persistence and stem straightness, whereas the second principal component relates to branchlet length and branchlet thickness; these results concur with those from Pinyopusarek and Williams (2000) which were based on just the Weipa site (IPT-01).

A plot of the scores for the first and second principal components is shown in Figure 12 using the provenance numbers as symbols and the same colour codes as in Figures 8 and 9. There appears to be a pattern of variation among provenances from the species' natural distribution. With a few overlaps, provenances from Australia and the Pacific region (numbers 1–12a, in red colour) are separated from provenances from Southeast Asia (numbers 13–28, in green colour). Similarly, there is also a tendency for a separation between seedlots from location of introductions in Asia

**Table 5.** Mean squares from site-by-provenance analyses of variance including the pooled residual mean square from the individual site analyses.

Variate	Site-provenance	Pooled residual	Site	Region	Region.country	Site.region	Site.region.country	Seedlot	Residual
<i>Ht</i>	0.262	0.155	88.050	3.180	0.570	0.440	0.320	0.260	0.188
<i>Dbh</i>	0.230	0.140	54.000	4.850	0.550	0.290	0.320	0.180	0.164
<i>Axpst</i>	0.151	0.067	9.530	1.690	0.280	0.200	0.150	0.180	0.137
<i>Strst</i>	0.119	0.058	17.240	3.050	0.740	0.200	0.150	0.180	0.086
<i>Denpb</i>	0.055	0.026	3.210	0.810	0.110	0.110	0.050	0.070	0.043
<i>Thkpb</i>	0.054	0.032	13.520	0.590	0.140	0.090	0.070	0.600	0.039
<i>Angpb</i>	0.024	0.014	2.520	0.240	0.090	0.040	0.020	0.030	0.022
<i>Lempb</i>	0.023	0.014	1.120	0.170	0.050	0.030	0.030	0.020	0.018
<i>Lendb</i>	0.035	0.012	2.120	0.410	0.090	0.050	0.050	0.050	0.029
<i>Thkdb</i>	0.032	0.013	1.630	1.080	0.170	0.050	0.030	0.040	0.029
<i>Stmhe</i>	0.009	0.006	0.676	0.012	0.008	0.171	0.007	0.004	0.009
<i>Folhe</i>	0.012	0.006	1.860	0.050	0.020	0.030	0.010	0.010	0.011
<i>Flwre</i>	0.015	0.005	0.570	0.540	0.040	0.040	0.020	0.010	0.009
<i>Frtre</i>	0.008	0.003	1.574	0.117	0.015	0.028	0.007	0.003	0.005
<i>Surv</i>	116.4	67.6	13105.0	601.0	95.0	243.0	119.0	50.7	87.7
<i>Ht</i> (25 sites)	0.27	0.15	143.24	6.66	1.08	0.42	0.31	0.39	0.20
<i>Dbh</i> (21 sites)	0.24	0.13	73.28	9.00	1.27	0.36	0.30	0.29	0.17
<i>Surv</i> (25 sites)	141.2	66.3	10463	815	179	177	158	137	118

Note: *Ht* = height; *Dbh* = diameter at breast height; *Axpst* = axis persistence; *Strst* = stem straightness; characteristics of permanent branches, *Denpb* = density, *Thkpb* = thickness, *Angpb* = angle, *Lempb* = length; characteristics of deciduous branchlets, *Lendb* = length, *Thkdb* = thickness; *Stmhe* = stem damage; *Folhe* = foliage damage; *Flwre* = flowering; *Frtre* = fruiting; *Surv* = survival. See text for full explanation.



(numbers 29–45, in dark blue colour) and Africa (numbers 46–58, in light blue colour). The introduced Asian seed sources align more closely to the natural provenances from Southeast Asia, suggesting that early introductions into Asia might have originated from Southeast Asian countries. Many seedlots from Africa position closer to Australia and the Pacific, although at least two seedlots — Benin (46) and Mauritius (58) — are close to those from Asia and Southeast Asia.

**Table 6.** Joint regression analysis results for height (*Ht*) at 14 and 25 sites and for diameter at breast height (*Dbh*) at 14 and 21 sites.

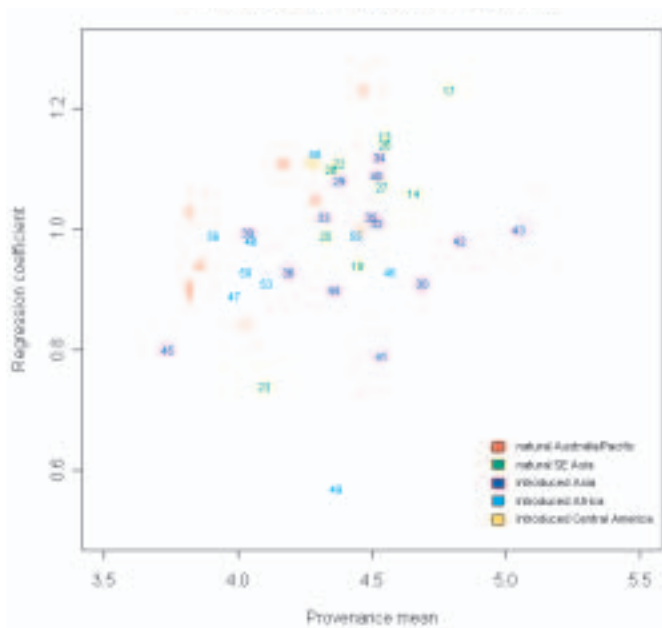
Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	<i>Ht</i> 14 sites		<i>Dbh</i> 14 sites		<i>Ht</i> 25 sites		<i>Dbh</i> 21 sites	
		seedmn	coeff	seedmn	coeff	seedmn	coeff	seedmn	coeff
1	15958	3.82	0.89	2.67	0.82	3.71	0.90	2.63	0.83
2	16166	3.82	1.03	2.74	0.93	3.88	1.06	2.88	1.02
3	18008	4.46	1.00	2.98	0.82	4.41	1.00	3.04	0.83
5	18153	4.47	1.23	3.09	1.13	4.50	1.10	3.29	1.09
6	18270	3.86	0.94	2.62	0.91	3.83	0.93	2.72	0.99
7	18271	4.03	0.84	2.58	0.71	4.02	0.84	2.66	0.75
8	18272	4.29	1.05	2.89	0.95	4.14	0.89	2.84	0.81
9	18121	3.82	0.90	2.70	0.81	3.68	0.81	2.71	0.80
10	18402	*	*	*	*	4.34	0.97	3.44	1.08
12	18312	4.17	1.11	2.98	1.12	4.30	1.09	3.22	1.12
13	18157	4.55	1.15	3.36	1.26	4.48	1.09	3.46	1.18
14	18158	4.66	1.06	3.35	0.96	4.68	1.03	3.51	1.04
15	18160	*	*	*	*	4.33	0.94	3.42	1.13
17	18244	4.79	1.23	3.38	1.18	4.66	1.12	3.45	1.18
18	18348	4.45	0.94	3.31	1.01	4.30	0.92	3.31	1.03
22	18117	4.38	1.11	2.94	0.98	4.36	1.05	2.93	1.03
23	18154	4.10	0.74	3.11	0.84	4.25	0.87	3.17	0.87
25	18296	4.33	0.99	3.19	1.07	4.43	1.07	3.32	1.12
26	18297	4.55	1.14	3.42	1.09	4.53	1.13	3.53	1.11
27	18298	4.54	1.07	3.66	1.13	4.54	1.13	3.76	1.24
28	18299	4.35	1.10	3.15	1.16	4.43	1.12	3.47	1.25
29	18267	4.38	1.08	3.13	1.03	4.43	1.08	3.25	1.03
30	18268	4.69	0.91	3.55	0.95	4.59	0.99	3.47	0.99
32	18013	4.52	1.01	3.38	1.17	4.37	0.98	3.39	1.03
33	18014	4.32	1.02	3.31	1.04	4.27	0.96	3.39	1.01
34	18015	4.53	1.12	3.40	1.21	4.36	1.00	3.29	1.00
35	18118	4.50	1.02	3.07	1.15	4.54	1.04	3.25	1.15
36	18119	4.19	0.93	3.04	1.05	4.20	0.94	3.16	1.03
39	18287	4.04	0.99	3.01	0.96	4.17	1.04	3.14	1.01
40	18288	4.52	1.09	3.38	1.04	4.54	1.12	3.44	1.06
41	18085	4.54	0.79	3.16	0.94	4.44	0.95	3.28	0.98
42	18086	4.83	0.98	3.56	0.99	4.75	0.93	3.58	0.85
43	18127	5.05	1.00	3.71	1.14	4.83	0.91	3.66	0.99
44	18128	4.36	0.90	3.28	1.01	4.51	1.04	3.41	1.06
45	18152	3.74	0.80	2.58	0.86	4.01	0.92	2.83	0.88
46	18355	4.57	0.93	3.36	0.91	4.68	0.97	3.58	1.00

Note: only seedlots represented at four or more sites were included, namely 43 seedlots for 14 sites and 47 seedlots for all sites.

**Table 6.** (cont'd) Joint regression analysis results for height (*Ht*) at 14 and 25 sites and for diameter at breast height (*Dbh*) at 14 and 21 sites.

Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	<i>Ht</i> 14 sites		<i>Dbh</i> 14 sites		<i>Ht</i> 25 sites		<i>Dbh</i> 21 sites	
		seedmn	coeff	seedmn	coeff	seedmn	coeff	seedmn	coeff
47	18122	3.99	0.89	2.78	0.91	3.85	0.87	2.70	0.84
48	18125	4.05	0.98	2.84	0.94	4.10	1.08	2.94	1.00
49	18126	4.37	0.57	2.97	0.56	4.05	0.82	2.74	0.70
50	18134	4.03	0.93	2.93	1.01	4.16	0.98	2.98	1.07
51	18135	*	*	*	*	4.01	1.03	3.06	0.93
52	18136	*	*	*	*	4.21	1.11	3.03	1.03
53	18137	4.11	0.91	2.90	0.97	4.00	1.05	2.89	1.03
55	18142	4.44	0.99	3.04	0.93	4.39	0.97	3.11	0.91
56	18143	3.91	0.99	2.76	0.90	3.60	0.79	2.73	0.81
58	18565	4.29	1.12	3.07	1.12	4.19	0.98	3.13	1.06
59	18752	4.28	1.11	3.04	1.08	4.23	1.07	3.13	1.07

Note: only seedlots represented at four or more sites were included, namely 43 seedlots for 14 sites and 47 seedlots for all sites.



**Figure 10.** Joint regression analysis for height (*Ht*) (14 sites). Different colours indicate the regional origin of the provenances.

**Table 7.** Correlation matrix for 14 growth and morphological characteristics.

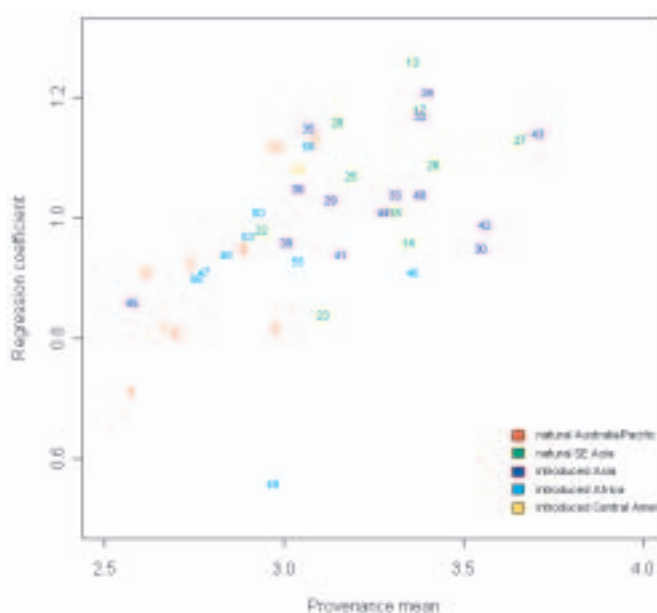
<i>Ht</i>	1.000																
<i>Dbh</i>	0.787	1.000															
<i>Axpst</i>	0.320	0.181	1.000														
<i>Strst</i>	0.250	0.173	0.675	1.000													
<i>Denpb</i>	-0.049	-0.141	-0.580	-0.548	1.000												
<i>Thkpb</i>	-0.186	-0.437	0.411	0.449	-0.373	1.000											
<i>Angpb</i>	0.082	0.079	0.170	-0.082	0.064	-0.033	1.000										
<i>Lenpb</i>	-0.041	-0.245	0.437	0.453	-0.355	0.668	0.059	1.000									
<i>Lendb</i>	-0.178	-0.142	0.005	0.076	-0.095	0.296	0.146	0.293	1.000								
<i>Thkdb</i>	-0.248	-0.240	-0.196	0.077	0.094	0.247	-0.087	0.205	0.688	1.000							
<i>Smhe</i>	0.112	0.064	0.160	0.096	-0.036	-0.048	0.233	0.107	-0.023	-0.190	1.000						
<i>Folhe</i>	0.392	0.556	0.044	0.036	-0.066	-0.272	-0.234	-0.209	-0.311	-0.361	0.263	1.000					
<i>Fhwre</i>	0.131	0.070	0.368	0.266	-0.227	0.053	-0.227	-0.031	-0.224	-0.094	-0.006	0.283	1.000				
<i>Frtre</i>	-0.064	0.064	-0.204	-0.297	0.096	-0.068	0.219	-0.109	0.097	-0.175	-0.093	-0.070	-0.733	1.000			
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Note: *Ht* = height; *Dbh* = diameter at breast height; *Axpst* = axis persistence; *Strst* = stem straightness; characteristics of permanent branches; *Denpb* = density; *Thkpb* = thickness; *Angpb* = angle; *Lenpb* = length; characteristics of deciduous branchlets; *Lendb* = length; *Thkdb* = thickness; *Smhe* = stem damage; *Folhe* = foliage damage; *Fhwre* = flowering; *Frtre* = fruiting. See text for full explanation.

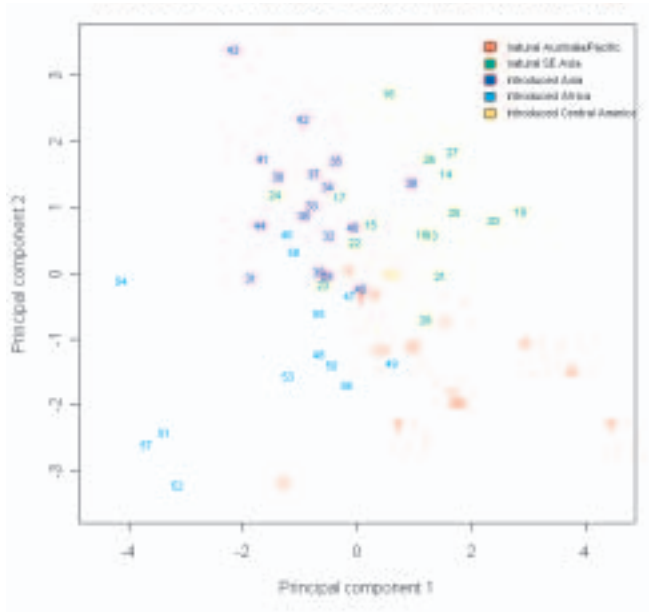
**Table 8.** The first two principal component loadings weighted according to the standard deviations of 14 characteristics from individual site analyses.

Variate	Loadings	
	pcp1	pcp2
<i>Ht</i>	-0.0756	0.2614
<i>Dbh</i>	-0.0183	0.3739
<i>Axpst</i>	-0.4191	0.1287
<i>Strst</i>	-0.6122	0.0599
<i>Denpb</i>	0.3019	-0.0404
<i>Thkpb</i>	-0.3468	-0.3117
<i>Angpb</i>	0.0260	-0.0483
<i>Lenpb</i>	-0.3234	-0.2513
<i>Lendb</i>	-0.0870	-0.4397
<i>Thkdb</i>	-0.0600	-0.4409
<i>Stmhe</i>	-0.0198	0.0331
<i>Folhe</i>	0.0001	0.2811
<i>Flwre</i>	-0.2883	0.3567
<i>Frtre</i>	0.1795	-0.1113

Note: *Ht* = height; *Dbh* = diameter at breast height; *Axpst* = axis persistence; *Strst* = stem straightness; characteristics of permanent branches. *Denpb* = density, *Thkpb* = thickness, *Angpb* = angle, *Lenpb* = length; characteristics of deciduous branchlets, *Lendb* = length, *Thkdb* = thickness; *Stmhe* = stem damage; *Folhe* = foliage damage; *Flwre* = flowering; *Frtre* = fruiting. See text for full explanation.



**Figure 11.** Joint regression analysis for diameter at breast height (*Dbh*) (14 sites) Different colours indicate the regional origin of the provenances.



**Figure 12.** Plot of scores for principal components 1 and 2 (14 sites). Different colours indicate the regional origin of the provenances.

## 7 Conclusions

Results of these international provenance trials reveal a considerable amount of genetic variation among provenances and land races of *C. equisetifolia*. There was evidence of a significant site-by-provenance interaction, although it was not as large as we had anticipated from the numerous and diverse provenances involved. In general, much of the variation between provenances could be best explained by country or region effects. This conclusion was further strengthened by the results obtained from the principal component analysis, which revealed a separation between natural provenances from Southeast Asia and Australia/Pacific, and a separation between introduced populations from Asia and Africa.

The following general trends are evident at the country and region levels:

- Natural provenances from Southeast Asia and land races from Asia were generally more vigorous, while natural provenances from Australia/Pacific region grew slowest. However, a few individual seedlots from Australia/Pacific and Africa were also fast-growing.
- Most seed sources had good axis persistence (i.e. good length of bole), but trees from planted stands scored better in terms of stem straightness.
- Although there were differences in the branching habit among seed sources of *C. equisetifolia*, in general trees were densely branched with horizontal branches. These characteristics, together with the fine, needle-like branchlets, are the basis of the species' suitability for planting as windbreaks in coastal areas.
- Although there was little evidence of any provenance variation in flowering, introduced populations from Asia and Africa appeared to flower more intensively than those from other regions, and especially those from the natural distribution.

This series of international provenance trials confirms the wide adaptability of *C. equisetifolia*. Though a littoral species in its natural habitats, it is well adapted to inland areas, as confirmed by the location of many of these provenance trials. No one provenance showed superior performance for all growth traits. For example, some provenances in Southeast Asia grew vigorously but their stem form was inferior to land races from Africa. However, provenance performance should be judged by the capacity to satisfy the planting objectives. If firewood production is the main objective, selection of fast-growing provenances, irrespective of form, is appropriate. If pole production is the main objective, provenances with good axis persistence and stem straightness are more suitable. Likewise, good stem axis persistence and high branch density are desirable traits for windbreak planting. The growth and morphological data presented in Appendixes 1 and 2 can be used to assist the selection of particular seed sources to match planting sites and objectives.

Seed production areas can be established based on the good-performing provenances. In addition, individual countries wishing to embark on a breeding program for *C. equisetifolia* should examine the results from sites of similar ecological conditions to develop a breeding strategy. Countries such as China, India and Vietnam will benefit greatly from the introduction of a new breeding population, judging from the

greater productivity of new seed sources when compared with existing local genetic material in many trials. Although different strategies may be required for different countries, we recommend starting with a single breeding population comprising good-performing provenances from all regions. Due consideration must be given to the earlier and heavier flowering of land races relative to natural provenances, as this would affect the output from multi-provenance seed orchards. Flowering phenology among provenances needs to be investigated.

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Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01	IPT-02	IPT-03	IPT-04	IPT-05	IPT-06	IPT-07	IPT-08	IPT-09	IPT-10	IPT-11	IPT-12	IPT-13	IPT-14
			30mo	24mo	12mo	30mo	27mo	26mo	44mo	32mo	28mo	48mo	30mo	26mo	31mo	30mo
<i>Natural – Australia/Pacific</i>																
Australia	1	15958	100	98	88	73	46	68	8	55	75	63		92	83	50
	2	16166	101			70						64	63		95	33
	3	18008	97	94	93	66	52	32	13	42	100			42	80	47
	4	18378	101													
PNG	5	18153	94	99	90	61	67	42	8		92	27	66	76	98	
	6	18270	96	100	84	44	44	43			100					
Fiji	7	18271	99	99	86	75	56	56			73			73		
	8	18272	99										68		92	39
Guam	9	18121	99	96	94	69	50	59	4	56			74	55	83	40
Solomon	10	18402	100												93	52
	11	18403	98													
Vanuatu	12	18312	99			75	45						54	60	95	
Tonga	12a	18040				60	52		1							
<b>Region mean</b>			98	98	89	69	52	50	7	51	88	51	65	66	90	44
<i>Natural – Southeast Asia</i>																
Malaysia	13	18157	96	100	81	53	27	53		62	77	44	57	37		
	14	18158	94	96	88	46	44	38	18	45	98	31		66	94	40
	15	18160	100							53						
	16	18161	97									48				
	17	18244	99	97	94	51	44	39		49	81	63	75	49		
	18	18348	102			43	50							47	80	
	19	18374	94										77			
	20	18375	95													
	21	18376	98													23

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Philippines	22	18117	95	96	90	43	41	63			35	65			99	
	23	18154	96	97	86		64	69	26	63	50	40	71	58		
	24	18357	98				49									
Thailand	25	18296	99		90	33	45	49			79		74	86		
	26	18297	98		82	43	65	45			100				93	40
	27	18298	95	99	88	28	63	15				67	77			
	28	18299	100	100		41	62					82			91	50
<b>Region mean</b>			97	98	87	42	50	46	22	54	74	48	72	60	91	38
<i>Introduced – Asia</i>																
China	29	18267	97	88	87	62	47	49			96		78	68		
	30	18268	98	99	83	56	57	46			85			56		
	31	18586	96												85	
India	32	18013	100	99	89	65	45	44	40	45	98	67				
	33	18014	97	100	88	71	55	42		63	81	43		65	93	44
	34	18015	101			48	58			61		48	84		95	46
	35	18118	94	98	94	53	62	41	42		100					
	36	18119	101	99	75	48	56	47			88	60	71	81	91	
	37	18120	98				57									
Sri Lanka	38	18286	97													
	39	18287	99		88	67	40	41			73		65	79	92	
	40	18288	96		85	58	48	56					41			
Vietnam	41	18085	99	94	91			44	45	71	77			72		
	42	18086	100				47					57			98	45
	43	18127	100			38	51		53			47			97	
	44	18128	100	100	87	44	62	67		68	98	52	69	84		
	45	18152	99			57	53			53		49	49			
<b>Region mean</b>			98	97	87	56	53	48	45	60	88	53	65	72	93	45

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<i>Introduced – Africa</i>																
Benin	46	18355	100			67	61						69	65	91	28
Egypt	47	18122	91	98	94	70	62	53	11	43	92	61		66		
	48	18125	94	91	88		36	49		61	100	71	64	48		
	49	18126	100									40			92	30
Kenya	50	18134	96	92	79	51	40	62	11	71	88	63		75		
	51	18135	100									55				
	52	18136	100									64				
	53	18137	97	99	92	63	62	77	44	78	92	47		64		
	54	18141	100													
	55	18142	99			78	48			74					91	37
	56	18143	99			65	42					51	84			
	57	18144	100													
Mauritius	58	18565	93										90		96	36
<b>Region mean</b>			98	95	88	66	50	60	22	65	93	56	77	64	93	33
Puerto Rico	59	18752	100										71		94	37
<b>Overall mean</b>			98	97	88	57	51	50	23	58	85	53	69	66	92	40
		RMS	23.55	19.89	133.60	293.20	550.00	152.50	390.80	265.70	358.10	464.00	389.90	253.70	88.32	422.80
		SED	3.03	3.15	8.17	12.11	18.26	8.73	13.98	11.53	15.45	17.59	13.96	11.26	6.65	14.54
		Prov.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	***	ns	ns	ns	*	ns	***	ns	ns
		Country	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	***	ns	**	***	ns	ns	***	ns	ns
		Region	ns	ns	ns	***	ns	***	***	ns	ns	*	ns	ns	ns	ns

Note: RMS = residual mean square; SED = standard error of differences; Prov. = provenances; ns = not significant; \* = significant  $P < 0.05$ ; \*\* = significant  $P < 0.01$ ; \*\*\* = significant  $P < 0.001$ .



**Appendix 1.2** Mean values for height growth (*Ht*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Natural – Australasia/Pacific</i>																
Australia	1	15958	4.3	6.1	3.2	3.4	1.4	3.3	1.9	3.7	4.0	2.7		6.3	6.2	5.5
	2	16166	4.5			2.8						3.2	1.4		7.2	3.8
	3	18008	4.7	6.6	3.4	3.5	2.0	3.4	2.3	4.2	7.3			6.6	6.7	6.1
	4	18378	4.7													
PNG	5	18153	5.6	7.4	3.2	3.0	1.7	3.2	1.8	4.1	7.4	2.9	1.9	7.0	7.8	
Fiji	6	18270	4.1	6.5			1.4	3.1			4.9					
	7	18271	4.6	6.1	3.0	2.8	2.0	3.2			4.7			6.6		
	8	18272	4.1		3.0						7.1		1.7		5.9	6.4
Guam	9	18121	4.2	6.1	3.0	2.7	1.4	3.0	2.4	3.5			1.7	6.0	5.7	5.7
Solomon	10	18402	4.8												7.9	5.1
	11	18403	5.1													
Vanuatu	12	18312	4.3			3.2	1.3						1.4	6.6	7.7	
Tonga	12a	18040				2.6	1.6		2.7							
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>4.6</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>5.4</b>
<i>Natural – Southeast Asia</i>																
Malaysia	13	18157	5.4	7.2	2.8	3.3	1.2	3.5		4.6	6.5	3.8	2.0	7.1		
	14	18158	5.1	7.1	3.4	3.1	1.8	3.6	3.5	4.7	7.6	3.5		7.2	7.5	4.9
	15	18160	5.4							4.3						
	16	18161	5.5									3.6				
	17	18244	5.5	7.3	3.4	4.0	1.4	3.2		4.4	7.1	3.7	1.8	8.0		
	18	18348	4.9			3.4	1.9							7.3	6.5	
	19	18374	4.9										2.3			
	20	18375	4.7													
	21	18376	5.3													5.5

**Appendix 1.2** (cont'd) Mean values for height growth (*Ht*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
Philippines	22	18117	5.1	7.3	3.3	2.3	1.6	3.7		4.7	3.6				7.9	
	23	18154	5.0	6.3	3.2		2.2	4.2	3.4	4.2	3.2	2.4	2.4	6.7		
	24	18357	5.0				1.8									
	25	18296	5.4		3.3	2.8	1.4	3.3			5.5		2.5	6.8		
Thailand	26	18297	4.7		3.2	2.9	2.0	3.5		6.6			2.1	7.2	8.1	5.2
	27	18298	5.3	7.1	3.3	3.7	1.7	3.0					2.1			
	28	18299	4.6	7.4		3.1	1.4						2.1		7.4	5.1
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>5.1</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>5.1</b>
<i>Introduced – Asia</i>																
China	29	18267	5.1	6.5	3.2	2.7	1.3	3.4			6.7		2.2	7.0		
	30	18268	5.0	6.8	3.4	3.9	2.4	3.6			6.5			6.9		
	31	18586	4.7												6.5	
India	32	18013	4.5	6.3	3.2	2.9	1.5	3.1	3.9	4.5	7.1	4.1				
	33	18014	4.9	6.3	3.0	3.0	1.7	3.7		4.5	6.3	2.9		6.6	7.3	5.6
	34	18015	4.6			3.1	1.7			4.9		3.1	2.1		7.6	5.8
	35	18118	5.0	7.0	2.8	3.7	1.5	3.4	3.7		5.9					
	36	18119	5.1	6.7	3.4	2.9	1.7	3.1			4.9	3.3	2.1	6.5	6.8	
37	18120	4.5				1.6										
Sri Lanka	38	18286	4.3													
	39	18287	4.5		3.1	2.8	1.1	3.5			5.2		2.1	6.8	6.5	
Vietnam	40	18288	4.6		3.5	4.0	1.1	3.4					2.1			
	41	18085	4.7	6.5	3.6			3.5	4.1	4.1	5.6			6.9		
	42	18086	4.9				2.2					3.9			7.5	6.1
	43	18127	5.1			3.9	1.7		4.7			4.1			7.7	
Region mean	44	18128	4.4	6.7	3.5	4.1	1.6	3.6		4.6	4.9	3.2	2.3	6.9		
	45	18152	4.1			2.6	1.5			3.8			2.2			
			<b>4.7</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>5.8</b>

**Appendix 1.2** (cont'd) Mean values for height growth (*Ht*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01	IPT-02	IPT-03	IPT-04	IPT-05	IPT-06	IPT-07	IPT-08	IPT-09	IPT-10	IPT-11	IPT-12	IPT-13	IPT-14
			30mo	24mo	12mo	30mo	27mo	26mo	44mo	32mo	28mo	48mo	30mo	26mo	31mo	30mo
<i>Introduced – Africa</i>																
Benin	46	18355	5.0			3.8	2.1						2.2	7.0	7.0	5.6
Egypt	47	18122	4.0	6.7	3.0	2.7	1.9	3.2	2.9	4.4	4.2	2.8		6.7		
	48	18125	3.8	6.0	3.1		1.5	3.1		3.7	6.4	4.0	1.3	6.5		
	49	18126	4.0									4.1			6.0	5.3
Kenya	50	18134	4.7	6.7	2.9	3.0	2.1	3.7	1.7	3.8	4.1	3.4		7.0		
	51	18135	5.0									3.1				
	52	18136	5.1									3.1				
	53	18137	5.3	6.9	3.5	3.1	1.7	3.4	2.4	4.2	4.1	2.8		6.4		
	54	18141	5.6													
	55	18142	5.4			3.1	1.8			4.0					6.7	6.0
	56	18143	4.4			3.1	1.3					2.4	1.7			
	57	18144	4.8													
Mauritius	58	18565	4.5										1.8		7.1	6.0
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>4.7</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>5.7</b>
Puerto Rico	59	18752	4.9										1.8		7.5	5.1
<b>Overall mean</b>			<b>4.8</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>5.5</b>
		RMS	0.2799	0.3580	0.2801	0.8765	0.2705	0.2535	1.1260	0.3579	1.4620	1.3150	0.3234	0.1027	0.6824	1.0100
		SED	0.036	0.423	0.374	0.662	0.368	0.356	0.750	0.423	0.987	0.936	0.402	0.227	0.584	0.711
		Prov.	***	ns	ns	ns	*	ns	ns	ns	*	ns	ns	***	ns	*
		Country	***	*	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	***	ns	ns	***	***	ns
		Region	***	***	ns	ns	ns	ns	***	**	**	ns	***	***	*	ns

Note: RMS = residual mean square; SED = standard error of differences; Prov. = provenances; ns = not significant; \* = significant  $P < 0.05$ ; \*\* = significant  $P < 0.01$ ; \*\*\* = significant  $P < 0.001$ .

**Appendix 1.3** Mean values for diameter at breast height (*Dbh*) growth in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Natural – Australial/Pacific</i>																
Australia	1	15958	2.4	4.1	1.4	2.4	0.7	2.7	2.0	2.1	1.9	3.7	1.3	4.5	4.1	4.0
	2	16166	3.1			2.0						4.3	1.3		4.9	2.2
	3	18008	2.9	4.6	1.8	2.5	1.2	2.2	1.4	2.6	4.1			4.3	4.3	4.8
	4	18378	2.3													
PNG	5	18153	3.5	5.6	1.8	2.3	1.0	2.8	1.0	2.2	3.8	3.2	1.1	5.4	5.7	
Fiji	6	18270	2.8	4.6	1.5		0.7	2.0			2.8					
	7	18271	2.8	3.7	1.2	1.9	1.4	2.7			2.4			4.4		
	8	18272	3.0										1.1		4.3	4.6
Guam	9	18121	2.7	4.3	1.6	1.8	1.0	3.1		2.0			1.1	4.4	4.0	4.2
Solomon	10	18402	3.7												6.4	3.7
	11	18403	3.9													
Vanuatu	12	18312	2.6			2.5	0.9						0.8	5.0	5.9	
Tonga	12a	18040				1.8	0.7									
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>3.0</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>3.9</b>
<i>Natural – Southeast Asia</i>																
Malaysia	13	18157	3.9	6.2	1.4	2.5	0.6	2.5		2.9	3.9	3.8	1.5	6.0		
	14	18158	3.5	5.5	1.7	2.4	1.7	3.1	1.8	3.0	4.3	4.3		5.4	5.2	3.3
	15	18160	4.1							2.6						
	16	18161	4.3									4.4				
	17	18244	3.7	5.5		3.4	1.0	2.1		2.6	4.2	3.7	1.1	6.3		
	18	18348	3.9			2.6	1.0							5.7	4.9	
	19	18374	4.1										1.4			
	20	18375	3.9										1.1			
	21	18376	4.0													4.2
Philippines	22	18117	3.0	4.6		2.0	0.9	3.4			2.2	4.3			5.1	
	23	18154	3.5	4.6	1.7		1.2	4.2	2.8	2.7	1.4	3.5	1.4	5.3		
	24	18357	3.7				0.9									

**Appendix 1.3** (cont'd) Mean values for diameter at breast height (*Dbh*) growth in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
Thailand	25	18296	4.5		1.6	2.0	0.8	2.0			3.4		1.9	5.3		
	26	18297	3.8			2.3	1.1	3.1			4.2				5.8	3.7
	27	18298	4.2	5.6	1.7	3.0	1.4	3.9					1.2	6.0		
	28	18299	3.5	5.9		2.6	0.7						1.3		5.7	3.1
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>3.9</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>3.6</b>
<i>Introduced – Asia</i>																
China	29	18267	3.5	4.8	1.7	1.8	0.5	3.4					1.5	5.1		
	30	18268	3.9	5.6	1.7	3.2	1.6	3.5						5.3		
	31	18586	3.6												4.6	
India	32	18013	3.5	5.5	1.5	2.1	1.0	2.5	2.1	3.0	4.2	4.6				
	33	18014	3.9	5.3	1.6	2.2	1.2	3.4		2.8	3.7	3.5		5.3	6.0	3.9
	34	18015	3.4			2.5	0.9			3.3		3.8	1.4		6.5	4.1
	35	18118	3.4	5.6	1.3	2.8	0.9	2.1	1.6		2.9					
	36	18119	3.7	5.4	1.6	2.2	0.9	2.2			2.8	4.3	1.3	5.0	5.2	
	37	18120	3.4				0.7									
Sri Lanka	38	18286	3.0													
	39	18287	3.2		1.7	2.0	0.6	3.9			2.8		1.4	5.1	4.7	
	40	18288	3.3		1.6	3.2	0.7	3.1					2.1			
Vietnam	41	18085	3.5	5.0	2.1			2.4	2.2	2.5	2.8			5.5		
	42	18086	3.3				1.5					4.2			5.3	5.4
	43	18127	3.6			3.1	1.0		2.6			5.0			5.9	
	44	18128	3.5	5.4	2.0	3.1	0.9	2.9		2.7	2.7	4.1	1.6	5.5		
	45	18152	2.7			2.0	0.7			2.2			1.2			
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>3.4</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>4.5</b>

**Appendix 1.3** (cont'd) Mean values for diameter at breast height (*Dbh*) growth in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO	IPT-01	IPT-02	IPT-03	IPT-04	IPT-05	IPT-06	IPT-07	IPT-08	IPT-09	IPT-10	IPT-11	IPT-12	IPT-13	IPT-14
		No.	30mo	24mo	12mo	30mo	27mo	26mo	44mo	32mo	28mo	48mo	30mo	26mo	31mo	30mo
<i>Introduced - Africa</i>																
Benin	46	18355	3.7			3.1	1.3						1.8	5.5	5.1	3.6
Egypt	47	18122	2.8	4.7	1.6	1.7	1.2	2.3	2.0	2.5	2.0	4.1		4.9		
	48	18125	2.7	4.4	1.5		1.2	2.4		2.0	3.4	4.6	0.8	4.6		
	49	18126	2.1									4.3			3.6	4.1
Kenya	50	18134	3.2	4.9	1.6	2.2	0.8	3.4	1.5	2.3	2.1	3.9		5.2		
	51	18135	3.3									3.5				
	52	18136	3.3									4.0				
	53	18137	3.7	5.3		2.1	1.0	2.5	1.8	2.5	1.9	4.0		4.5		
	54	18141	3.9													
	55	18142	3.5			2.0	1.2			2.3					4.7	4.2
	56	18143	3.5			2.3	0.8					3.0	1.1			
	57	18144	3.1													
Mauritius	58	18565	3.0										1.1		5.1	4.6
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>3.2</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>4.1</b>
Puerto Rico	59	18752	3.4										1.3		5.5	3.5
<b>Overall mean</b>			<b>3.4</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>4.0</b>
		RMS	0.1952	0.3387	0.3019	1.0920	0.2068	1.2100	0.4240	0.3473	0.6441	0.6849	0.4113	0.1399	0.6981	1.1310
		SED	0.025	0.412	0.389	0.739	0.322	0.778	0.460	0.065	0.655	0.676	0.454	0.264	0.591	0.752
		Prov.	***	ns	ns	ns	**	ns	ns	*	ns	*	ns	**	ns	*
		Country	***	***	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	***	ns	ns	ns	***	***	ns
		Region	***	***	ns	ns	ns	ns	*	**	**	ns	ns	***	***	ns

Note: RMS = residual mean square; SED = standard error of differences; Prov. = provenances; ns = not significant; \* = significant  $P < 0.05$ ; \*\* = significant  $P < 0.01$ ; \*\*\* = significant  $P < 0.001$ .

**Appendix 1.4** Mean values for axis persistence (*Axps*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Natural – Australial/Pacific</i>																
Australia	1	15958	3.5	5.2	4.7	5.7	3.6	3.8	3.9	5.5	5.8	6.0		5.4	5.6	4.8
	2	16166	5.1			5.0						5.0	5.8		5.7	4.8
	3	18008	5.1	5.4	5.3	4.7	4.2	4.3	4.7	5.4	5.7			6.0	5.8	4.6
	4	18378	4.5													
PNG	5	18153	5.2	5.3	5.7	5.7	3.8	4.5	4.6	5.4	5.6	6.0	6.0	5.8	5.9	
Fiji	6	18270	2.7	5.5	5.3		3.5	3.6			5.0					
	7	18271	4.2	5.8	5.4	4.6	4.4	4.1			5.3			5.6		
	8	18272	3.2										5.9		5.3	4.9
Guam	9	18121	4.0	5.6	5.4	5.2	3.6	4.6	5.3	5.3			6.0	5.9	5.4	4.6
Solomon	10	18402	4.0												5.7	4.8
	11	18403	3.5													
Vanuatu	12	18312	4.3			5.2	4.6						5.5	5.8	5.8	
Tonga	12a	18040				4.5	4.3		3.3							
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>4.1</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>4.7</b>
<i>Natural – Southeast Asia</i>																
Malaysia	13	18157	5.1	5.3	5.8	5.3	3.4	4.4		5.5	5.8	5.1	5.5	5.8		
	14	18158	5.5	5.8	5.5	5.5	4.1	4.6	5.0	5.4	5.9	6.0		5.7	5.7	4.6
	15	18160	5.3							5.6						
	16	18161	5.5									5.6				
	17	18244	5.1	5.6	5.6	4.9	3.7	4.5		5.6	5.6	5.9	5.6	5.9		
	18	18348	4.7			5.6	4.4							6.0	5.8	
	19	18374	4.3										5.4			
	20	18375	4.2													
	21	18376	4.3													5.1

**Appendix 1.4** (cont'd) Mean values for axis persistence (*Axprt*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
Philippines	22	18117	5.5	5.9	5.5	5.4	4.3	4.4			5.5	5.6			5.9	
	23	18154	4.3	5.1	5.2		4.8	4.2	5.1	5.4	5.8	5.7	5.9	5.7		
	24	18357	4.6				4.5									
	25	18296	4.7		5.5	4.1	3.3	4.7			5.6		6.0	6.0		
	26	18297	4.7		4.9	4.8	4.2	4.4			5.7				5.9	4.6
	27	18298	5.2	5.8	5.5	4.8	3.9	4.6					5.9	6.0		
<b>Region mean</b>	28	18299	5.2	5.5		5.1	3.8						5.5		5.9	4.6
			<b>4.9</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>4.7</b>
<i>Introduced – Asia</i>																
China	29	18267	4.7	5.3	5.7	5.0	4.1	4.7					5.8	5.8		
	30	18268	5.1	5.1	5.5	5.7	5.0	4.9			5.8			5.8		
	31	18586	5.3												5.7	
India	32	18013	5.0	5.4	5.5	5.4	3.5	4.7	5.0	5.3		5.6				
	33	18014	5.1	5.4	5.6	4.9	4.1	4.7		5.3	5.9	5.8		5.9	5.8	5.2
	34	18015	4.8			5.6	3.7			5.4		5.8	5.8		5.9	5.2
	35	18118	5.2	5.4	5.7	5.8	3.6	4.3	5.3		5.8					
	36	18119	5.1	5.0	5.3	5.6	4.4	4.8			5.2	5.8	5.9	5.8	5.8	
	37	18120	5.0				4.2									
Sri Lanka	38	18286	4.6													
	39	18287	4.2		5.7	5.2	3.8	4.8			5.5		6.0	5.8	5.8	
Vietnam	40	18288	4.4		5.3	5.7	3.5	4.9					5.8			
	41	18085	5.0	5.7	5.2			4.9	5.0	5.6	5.3			5.9		
	42	18086	4.7				5.5					5.6			5.8	5.2
	43	18127	5.0			5.6	4.6		5.6			5.0			5.8	
	44	18128	5.0	5.4	5.4	5.8	3.8	4.4		5.5	5.5	5.7	6.0	5.9		
<b>Region mean</b>	45	18152	4.7			5.1	3.8			5.2			6.0			
			<b>4.9</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>5.2</b>



**Appendix 1.4** (cont'd) Mean values for axis persistence (*Axpsr*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Introduced – Africa</i>																
Benin	46	18355	4.9			6.0	4.7						6.0	5.9	5.7	3.9
Egypt	47	18122	4.1	5.4	5.6	5.1	4.3	4.5	5.2	5.6	5.8	5.4		5.6		
	48	18125	3.9	5.4	5.3		3.8	4.3		5.2	5.5	5.8	6.0	6.0		
	49	18126	4.9									6.0			5.8	4.3
Kenya	50	18134	5.3	5.6	5.7	5.3	4.3	4.5	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.3		5.9		
	51	18135	5.2									5.8				
	52	18136	5.7									6.0				
	53	18137	5.4	5.6	5.7	4.9	4.1	4.5	5.1	5.5	5.9	5.2		6.0		
	54	18141	5.4													
	55	18142	5.1			5.1	4.6			5.3					5.8	4.6
	56	18143	4.7			5.1	3.4					5.9	6.0			
	57	18144	5.5													
Mauritius	58	18565	5.3										5.7		5.9	5.0
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>5.0</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>4.5</b>
Puerto Rico	59	18752	4.5										5.6		5.9	4.9
<b>Overall mean</b>			<b>4.7</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>4.8</b>
		RMS	0.2142	0.0715	0.1345	0.6657	0.5522	0.2670	0.6811	0.1040	0.1868	0.2695	0.1450	0.0308	0.0370	0.4004
		SED	0.330	0.189	0.189	0.577	0.526	0.365	0.584	0.020	0.353	0.424	0.269	0.124	0.135	0.447
		Prov	***	***	ns	ns	*	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	***	ns	ns
		Country	***	**	**	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	**	ns
		Region	***	*	ns	ns	ns	***	*	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	*	ns

Note: RMS = residual mean square; SED = standard error of differences; Prov. = provenances; ns = not significant; \* = significant; \*\* = significant  $P < 0.05$ ; \*\*\* = significant  $P < 0.001$ .

**Appendix 1.5** Mean values for stem straightness (*Strst*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Natural – Australialia/Pacific</i>																
Australia	1	15958	3.4	3.0	1.6	3.8	2.7	2.1	2.6	4.3	5.1	4.1		2.1	1.5	4.3
	2	16166	3.0		3.8							3.7	4.0		1.7	4.2
	3	18008	3.7	3.6	2.9	3.5	3.0	2.3	2.6	4.4	4.9			3.4	1.6	3.7
	4	18378	3.2													
PNG	5	18153	3.9	3.7	2.8	4.1	2.9	1.7	2.0	4.5	4.8	3.9	4.3	3.6	2.1	
Fiji	6	18270	2.9	1.9	1.1		2.6	1.4			2.9					
	7	18271	3.3	3.2	1.5	3.4	3.2	2.2			4.2			2.4		
	8	18272	3.0										4.2		1.1	4.1
Guam	9	18121	4.0	4.3	3.1	4.1	3.0	1.9	3.4	3.8			4.1	3.5	2.5	4.3
Solomon	10	18402	3.4												1.6	3.8
	11	18403	3.2													
Vanuatu	12	18312	3.5			4.1	3.4						4.1	3.3	1.6	
Tonga	12a	18040				3.4	3.0		3.4							
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>3.4</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>4.1</b>
<i>Natural – Southeast Asia</i>																
Malaysia	13	18157	2.8	3.4	2.2	3.5	3.0	2.0		4.1	4.7		4.2	2.5		
	14	18158	3.1	3.1	2.1	3.7	2.9	1.8	3.2	4.2	4.3	3.4		2.5	1.7	3.8
	15	18160	3.4							4.4		3.6				
	16	18161	3.5													
	17	18244	3.9	4.0	2.8	3.5	3.0	2.9		4.8	4.8		4.5	4.1		
	18	18348	3.5			3.7	3.2							3.5	1.7	
	19	18374	3.4										4.3			
	20	18375	3.6													
	21	18376	3.4													4.0

**Appendix 1.5 (cont'd)** Mean values for stem straightness (*Strst*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
Philippines	22	18117	4.1	3.6	2.8	3.7	3.1	2.0			4.5	4.1			2.1	
	23	18154	3.9	4.1	3.0		3.3	2.6	3.5	4.2	4.1	3.9	4.5	3.6		
	24	18357	4.5				3.2									
	25	18296	3.6		3.5	2.6	2.7	2.0				4.4	4.3	3.3		
Thailand	26	18297	3.6		2.7	3.4	2.9	2.5			4.5		4.2	3.1	1.7	4.0
	27	18298	3.3	3.6	2.7	3.7	2.6	1.9					4.3		1.8	3.4
	28	18299	3.2	4.2		3.4	2.8						4.3	3.2	1.8	3.8
<b>Region mean</b>		<b>3.5</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>3.8</b>
<i>Introduced – Asia</i>																
China	29	18267	3.9	3.7	3.2	3.5	2.8	2.3			5.0		4.1	3.2		
	30	18268	4.0	4.0	3.1	4.1	3.2	2.0			5.1			3.7		
	31	18586	3.9												2.3	
India	32	18013	3.7	3.9	2.8	4.1	2.8	2.0	3.3	4.2	4.9	3.9				
	33	18014	3.6	4.0	3.7	3.5	2.8	2.4		4.2	5.2	4.1		3.5	2.2	3.8
	34	18015	3.7			4.2	2.8			4.1		3.7	3.8		2.0	4.3
	35	18118	3.8	3.6	3.1	4.4	2.8	1.9	2.5		5.0					
Sri Lanka	36	18119	3.6	3.8	2.8	3.7	3.2	2.6			5.0	4.0	4.2	3.4	1.9	
	37	18120	3.7				3.1									
	38	18286	3.6													
Vietnam	39	18287	3.1		2.8	4.0	3.0	2.4			4.9		4.3	3.0	1.8	
	40	18288	3.6		3.0	4.2	2.7	2.1					4.2			
	41	18085	4.0	4.3	3.3			2.4	3.5	4.3	4.6			4.1		
	42	18086	3.6				3.6					4.0			1.9	3.8
Region mean	43	18127	3.6			4.4	3.3		4.2			3.7			2.0	
	44	18128	3.9	4.1	3.5	4.8	2.8	2.4		4.3	4.6	4.0	4.4	3.8		
	45	18152	3.5			3.6	2.9			4.3		3.9	4.4			
<b>Region mean</b>		<b>3.7</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>3.9</b>

**Appendix 1.5 (cont'd)** Mean values for stem straightness (*Strst*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Introduced – Africa</i>																
Benin	46	18355	4.0			4.9	3.0						3.8	3.4	2.1	4.2
Egypt	47	18122	4.2	3.9	2.5	3.9	3.1	2.2	3.3	4.4	5.2	3.8		2.9		
	48	18125	4.0	4.1	3.0		3.2	2.4		4.3	5.1	3.9	4.5	3.2		
	49	18126	3.9									4.0			1.7	3.2
Kenya	50	18134	3.7	3.1	3.2	3.8	3.1	2.7	3.1	4.2	4.7	4.0		4.2		
	51	18135	4.5									4.0				
	52	18136	4.4									4.0				
	53	18137	4.0	4.0	2.9	3.7	3.0	3.1	3.5	4.6	5.3	4.0		3.3		
	54	18141	4.4													
	55	18142	4.3			3.6	3.2			4.5					3.1	4.0
	56	18143	3.8			4.1	2.7					3.7	4.2			
	57	18144	4.2													
Mauritius	58	18565	3.6										4.2		2.4	4.2
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>4.1</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>3.9</b>
Puerto Rico	59	18752	3.6										4.4		1.8	3.5
<b>Overall mean</b>			<b>3.7</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>3.9</b>
		RMS	0.1367	0.0830	0.2923	0.4258	0.1316	0.2703	0.3721	0.1365	0.3715			0.2137	0.1212	0.2189
		SED	0.260	0.204	0.382	0.461	0.257	0.368	0.103	0.026	0.498	0.267	0.239	0.327	0.246	0.331
		Prov.	*	***	*	ns	ns	*	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	***	ns	ns
		Country	***	***	***	***	*	ns	ns	ns	ns	*	ns	***	***	*
		Region	***	***	***	*	ns	**	***	*	***	ns	ns	ns	***	ns

Note: RMS = residual mean square; SED = standard error of differences; Prov. = provenances; ns = not significant; \* = significant  $P < 0.05$ ; \*\* = significant  $P < 0.01$ ; \*\*\* = significant  $P < 0.001$ .

**Appendix 1.6** Mean values for density of permanent branches (*Denpb*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Natural – Australialia/Pacific</i>																
Australia	1	15958	2.0	2.5	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.0	1.9	2.5	2.0	2.1		3.1	2.6	2.3
	2	16166	1.4			1.4						1.6	1.0		1.4	2.2
	3	18008	2.4	2.4	2.9	2.0	2.0	2.1	1.6	2.7	1.4			2.8	1.9	1.8
	4	18378	2.2													
PNG	5	18153	2.4	2.5	3.0	1.9	2.0	1.9	2.2	2.8	2.0	1.6	1.3	3.0	2.4	
Fiji	6	18270	2.4	2.6	2.7		2.4	2.1			2.1					
	7	18271	2.3	2.8	2.9	1.9	1.8	2.2			2.2			3.4		
	8	18272	2.5										1.3		2.7	2.0
Guam	9	18121	2.2	2.4	2.9	2.0	2.1	2.0	1.7	2.5			1.2	2.8	2.2	2.0
Solomon	10	18402	2.1												1.8	2.0
	11	18403	2.4													
Vanuatu	12	18312	1.7			2.4	2.0						1.5	3.0	2.1	
Tonga	12a	18040				2.5	2.3		1.7							
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>2.2</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>2.0</b>
<i>Natural – Southeast Asia</i>																
Malaysia	13	18157	2.0	2.0	2.2	1.8	2.2	1.9		2.4	2.3	1.5	1.8	2.1		
	14	18158	2.0	2.0	2.3	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.4	2.6	2.0	2.0		2.4	1.8	2.0
	15	18160	2.4							2.7						
	16	18161	1.7									2.0				
	17	18244	1.9	2.0	2.2	1.6	2.0	1.8		2.5	1.6	2.0	1.6	2.3		
	18	18348	2.2			1.7	2.0							2.3	1.7	
	19	18374	2.4										1.3			
	20	18375	2.1													
	21	18376	2.5													2.1

**Appendix 1.6** (cont'd) Mean values for density of permanent branches (*Denpb*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01	IPT-02	IPT-03	IPT-04	IPT-05	IPT-06	IPT-07	IPT-08	IPT-09	IPT-10	IPT-11	IPT-12	IPT-13	IPT-14
			30mo	24mo	12mo	30mo	27mo	26mo	44mo	32mo	28mo	48mo	30mo	26mo	31mo	30mo
Philippines	22	18117	2.1	2.3	2.9	1.5	2.4	2.0		1.9	2.4				2.4	
	23	18154	2.2	2.5	2.5		2.0	2.1	1.4	2.5	2.0	2.4	1.5	2.9		
	24	18357	1.9				2.0									
	25	18296	2.3		2.8	1.8	2.0	2.0			2.2		1.4	2.5		
Thailand	26	18297	2.3		2.9	2.1	2.1	1.9		1.9					2.2	2.1
	27	18298	2.5	2.6	2.8	1.9	2.0	2.0					1.8	2.4		
	28	18299	2.2	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.0						1.6	1.4	2.4	
	<b>Region mean</b>		<b>2.2</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.2</b>
<i>Introduced – Asia</i>																
China	29	18267	1.8	2.0	2.7	1.4	2.1	1.9					1.5	2.4		
	30	18268	2.0	2.6	2.7	1.7	1.9	1.9						2.6		
	31	18586	1.8												1.4	
India	32	18013	1.9	2.1	2.7	1.4	2.1	1.9	1.7	2.2	1.6	2.1				
	33	18014	1.7	1.8	2.7	1.6	2.0	1.9		2.4	1.7	1.3		2.6	1.5	2.3
	34	18015	1.9			1.7	1.9			2.6		1.1	1.4		1.4	2.2
	35	18118	2.2	2.4	2.8	1.8	2.2	1.9	2.5		2.0					
	36	18119	2.2	2.4	2.6	1.7	2.0	1.8		1.8	1.8	2.0	1.3	2.6	1.6	
Sri Lanka	37	18120	2.0				2.2									
	38	18286	2.2													
	39	18287	2.0		2.6	1.8	2.2	1.9			1.9		1.5	2.5	1.7	
	40	18288	1.8		2.6	1.8	2.0	1.9					1.7			
Vietnam	41	18085	1.9	2.1	2.7			2.0	1.9	2.5	1.8			2.6		
	42	18086	2.0				2.0					2.0			1.7	2.0
	43	18127	2.1			1.9	2.0		1.4			1.3			1.6	
	44	18128	2.0	2.1	2.1	1.7	2.1	2.0		2.8	1.8	1.7	1.3	2.5		
	45	18152	1.7			1.6	2.1			2.7			1.7			
<b>Region mean</b>		<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.2</b>	

**Appendix 1.6** (cont'd) Mean values for density of permanent branches (*Demfb*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Introduced – Africa</i>																
Benin	46	18355	2.0			1.8	2.0						0.9	2.5	1.8	2.3
Egypt	47	18122	1.9	2.0	2.6	1.8	2.0	1.9	2.1	2.7	2.0	1.3		2.7		
	48	18125	1.6	1.9	2.6		2.0	2.0		2.7	1.7	2.0	1.3	2.5		
	49	18126	1.9									2.6			1.5	1.7
Kenya	50	18134	2.0	2.0	2.6	1.4	2.0	1.8	1.4	2.7	1.8	1.3		2.6		
	51	18135	2.1									1.7				
	52	18136	1.7									1.9				
	53	18137	2.1	2.2	2.6	1.6	2.1	1.9	1.8	2.9	2.0	1.5		2.6		
	54	18141	2.0													2.5
	55	18142	1.9			2.1	2.0			2.7						
	56	18143	1.8			1.8	2.0					1.5	1.6			
	57	18144	1.8													
Mauritius	58	18565	1.7										1.4		1.6	2.4
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.2</b>
Puerto Rico	59	18752	2.1										1.4		1.9	2.0
<b>Overall mean</b>			<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.1</b>
		RMS	0.0709	0.0688	0.0712	0.0780	0.0424	0.0275	0.2084	0.0670	0.0766	0.2989	0.1471	0.0782	0.1294	0.1022
		SED	0.190	0.186	0.189	0.198	0.146	0.117	0.323	0.013	0.226	0.446	0.271	0.198	0.253	0.226
		Prov.	***	ns	ns	***	*	ns	*	ns	*	ns	ns	ns	***	ns
		Country	***	**	***	ns	ns	ns	*	ns	ns	*	ns	**	***	ns
		Region	***	***	ns	***	ns	*	ns	**	**	ns	ns	***	***	ns

Note: RMS = residual mean square; SED = standard error of differences; Prov. = provenances; ns = not significant; \* = significant  $P < 0.05$ ; \*\* = significant  $P < 0.01$ ; \*\*\* = significant  $P < 0.001$ .

**Appendix 1.7** Mean values for thickness of permanent branches (*Thkpb*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Natural – Australia/Pacific</i>																
Australia	1	15958	2.2	2.1	2.0	2.6	2.8	1.0	4.0	2.2	4.0	3.1		2.4	2.6	2.8
	2	16166	2.1			2.8						3.2	3.2		3.9	3.4
	3	18008	2.3	1.8	2.6	2.6	2.9	1.1	3.9	2.1	4.0			2.8	3.0	2.6
	4	18378	2.5													
PNG	5	18153	2.1	2.4	2.3	2.8	3.0	1.0	4.0	2.6	4.0	2.5	3.3	2.6	2.8	
	6	18270	2.0	2.2	1.6	2.8	2.8	1.0		2.9						
Fiji	7	18271	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.6	3.0	1.2		3.7			3.4	2.1	1.4	2.5
	8	18272	2.0										3.1	2.1	1.5	2.7
Guam	9	18121	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.8	2.9	1.0	4.0	2.2				2.1	3.1	2.7
Solomon	10	18402	1.8												3.1	2.7
	11	18403	1.8													
Vanuatu	12	18312	2.2			2.8	2.8						3.2	2.7	2.8	
Tonga	12a	18040				2.7	3.0		4.0							
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>2.1</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>2.8</b>
<i>Natural – Southeast Asia</i>																
Malaysia	13	18157	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.3	3.0	1.0		2.1	4.0	2.7	3.2	2.5		
	14	18158	1.9	1.7	2.0	2.7	2.7	1.0	3.7	1.8	4.0	2.7		2.6	2.5	3.0
	15	18160	2.0							2.3						
	16	18161	1.8									2.0				
	17	18244	2.0	1.9	2.1	2.9	2.9	1.2		2.2	3.8	2.3	3.0	2.7	2.1	2.2
	18	18348	1.9			2.8	2.9									
	19	18374	1.8										2.9			
	20	18375	1.7													
	21	18376	2.0													2.4



**Appendix 1.7** (cont'd) Mean values for thickness of permanent branches (*Thkpb*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
Philippines	22	18117	1.9	2.3	2.5	2.8	2.8	1.0			3.7	3.0			3.4	
	23	18154	2.0	1.8	2.1		3.0	1.0	3.9	2.3	3.9	2.1	2.8	2.5		
	24	18357	2.0				2.9									
	25	18296	2.0		2.2	2.4	2.9	1.0			3.5		3.1	2.4		
Thailand	26	18297	1.7		2.0	2.7	2.8	1.0			3.8		2.6	2.3	2.6	2.8
	27	18298	1.8	1.9	2.1	2.8	3.0	1.0					2.6	2.3		
	28	18299	1.9	1.8	2.5	2.5	3.0						2.8	2.4	2.4	2.7
	<b>Region mean</b>		<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.1</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>2.7</b>
<i>Introduced – Asia</i>																
China	29	18267	2.1	2.1	2.5	2.8	3.0	1.1					3.2	2.6		
	30	18268	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.8	2.7	1.0			4.0			2.8		
	31	18586	2.2												3.0	
India	32	18013	2.1	1.9	2.1	2.8	2.9	1.0	3.9	2.0	4.0	3.0				
	33	18014	1.9	2.0	2.3	2.8	2.7	1.0		2.0	4.0	2.0		2.6	3.0	3.0
	34	18015	2.0			2.9	2.8			2.1		2.5	3.3		3.3	2.9
	35	18118	2.2	1.9	2.4	2.7	2.9	1.0	3.9		4.0					
Sri Lanka	36	18119	1.9	2.0	2.3	2.8	2.9	1.0			4.0	2.7	3.3	2.6	2.6	
	37	18120	2.0				2.8									
	38	18286	1.9													
Vietnam	39	18287	2.1		2.4	2.9	2.9	1.1			4.0		2.8	2.6	3.3	
	40	18288	2.0		2.1	2.4	2.9	1.0					3.4			
	41	18085	1.9	2.0	2.1			1.0	3.9	2.2	4.0			2.6		
	42	18086	1.8				2.8								2.3	2.8
Region mean	43	18127	2.0			2.5	2.8		3.9			1.6			3.2	
	44	18128	2.0	1.7	2.2	2.8	3.0	1.0		2.4	3.8	2.3	3.3	2.8		
	45	18152	2.2			2.7	3.0			2.3		2.3	2.8			
<b>Region mean</b>		<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>2.9</b>	

**Appendix 1.7** (cont'd) Mean values for thickness of permanent branches (*Thkpb*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	Introduced – Africa															
			IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo		
Benin	46	18355	2.3			3.0	2.9								3.9	2.6	2.7	2.4
Egypt	47	18122	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.7	2.7		1.0	4.0	2.3	4.0	4.0	3.0			2.7	
	48	18125	2.3	2.2	1.7		3.0		1.0		2.5	4.0	4.0	3.0	3.1	2.6		
	49	18126	2.2											3.0				2.8
Kenya	50	18134	2.1	2.1	2.4	2.8	2.9	2.9	1.0	4.0	2.4	3.9	2.7	2.7		2.9		2.5
	51	18135	2.4										3.0					
	52	18136	2.6										2.7					
	53	18137	2.3	2.8	2.5	2.7	2.9	4.0	1.0	4.0	2.7	4.0	3.2			2.8		
	54	18141	2.3															
	55	18142	2.2			2.6	2.9				2.4							2.9
	56	18143	2.1			2.5	2.9						2.2	3.4				2.5
	57	18144	2.3															
Mauritius	58	18565	2.3												3.1			3.1
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>2.3</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>2.5</b>
Puerto Rico	59	18752	2.1												3.0			3.4
Overall mean			2.1	2.1	2.2	2.7	2.9	3.9	1.0	3.9	2.3	3.9	2.6	3.1	3.1	2.5	2.8	2.7
		RMS	0.0725	0.0827	0.1564	0.0427	0.0372	0.0162	0.0108	0.0162	0.0928	0.0764	0.3507	0.2957	0.0558	0.3911	0.1325	0.1325
		SED	0.190	0.203	0.280	0.146	0.136	0.090	0.073	0.090	0.017	0.226	0.484	0.385	0.167	0.065	0.257	0.257
		Prov.	ns	**	ns	***	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	*	*	**
		Country	*	ns	ns	**	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	**	***	ns
		Region	***	***	ns	***	ns	***	ns	***	**	***	**	***	ns	***	**	*

Note: RMS = residual mean square; SED = standard error of differences; Prov. = provenances; ns = not significant; \* = significant  $P < 0.05$ ; \*\* = significant  $P < 0.01$ ; \*\*\* = significant  $P < 0.001$ .

**Appendix 1.8** Mean values for angle of permanent branches (*Angpb*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Natural – Australasia/Pacific</i>																
Australia	1	15958	1.2	1.8	1.7	1.7	2.0	1.2	1.4	1.4	1.0	1.3		1.8	2.0	1.2
	2	16166	1.1			1.9						1.7	2.0		2.0	1.2
	3	18008	1.5	1.5	1.5	2.0	1.9	1.3	1.6	1.6	1.0			2.0	2.0	1.4
	4	18378	1.3													
PNG	5	18153	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.9	2.0	1.2	1.5	1.4	1.0	1.5	2.0	1.8	2.0	
Fiji	6	18270	1.7	1.8	2.0		2.0	1.3			1.8					
	7	18271	1.5	1.7	1.8	2.0	2.0	1.1			1.0			1.9		
	8	18272	1.8										2.0		2.0	1.4
Guam	9	18121	1.2	1.2	1.5	2.0	2.0	1.0	1.7	1.3			2.0	1.5	2.0	1.2
Solomon	10	18402	1.3												2.0	
	11	18403	1.1													1.1
Vanuatu	12	18312	1.2			1.9	1.7						2.0	1.7	2.0	
Tonga	12a	18040				2.0	1.8		2.0							
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.3</b>
<i>Natural – Southeast Asia</i>																
Malaysia	13	18157	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.4		1.7	1.0	1.7	2.0	1.9		
	14	18158	1.6	1.6	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.0	1.9		2.0	2.0	1.4
	15	18160	1.8							1.6						
	16	18161	1.8									1.0				
	17	18244	1.6	1.5	1.6	2.0	1.9	1.2	1.5	1.5	1.0	1.3	2.0	2.0	2.0	
	18	18348	1.6			2.0	2.0							1.9	2.0	
	19	18374	1.3										1.8			
	20	18375	1.5													
	21	18376	1.6													1.2

**Appendix 1.8** (cont'd) Mean values for angle of permanent branches (*Angpb*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
Philippines	22	18117	1.3	1.8	1.7	1.8	2.0	1.3			1.0	1.7			2.0	
	23	18154	1.3	1.4	1.8		1.9	1.1	1.6	1.3	1.3	1.1	2.0	1.7		
	24	18357	1.7				2.0									
Thailand	25	18296	1.6		1.4	2.0	2.0	1.4			1.7		1.8	2.0		
	26	18297	1.4		1.8	2.0	2.0	1.2			1.2				2.0	1.2
	27	18298	1.6	1.6	1.7	2.0	2.0	1.6					1.5	2.0		
<b>Region mean</b>	28	18299	1.7	1.5		2.0	1.8						2.0		2.0	1.4
			<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.3</b>
	29	18267	1.3	1.5	1.8	1.9	2.0	1.1			1.0		2.0	1.9		
China	30	18268	1.3	1.6	1.8	2.0	2.0	1.1			1.0			1.9		
	31	18586	1.4												2.0	
	32	18013	1.2	1.5	1.6	2.0	2.0	1.2	1.6	1.6	1.0	1.7				
India	33	18014	1.2	1.5	1.3	1.9	2.0	1.1		1.3	1.0	1.0		1.8	2.2	1.2
	34	18015	1.3			2.0	2.0			1.5		1.5	1.9		2.0	1.2
	35	18118	1.3	1.4	1.6	2.0	1.8	1.1	1.6		1.0					
	36	18119	1.4	1.7	1.6	2.0	2.0	1.0			1.1	2.0	1.5	1.9	2.0	
	37	18120	1.3				2.0									
	38	18286	1.2													
Sri Lanka	39	18287	1.5		1.7	1.9	2.0	1.3			1.0		2.0	2.0	2.0	
	40	18288	1.4		1.8	2.0	2.0	1.2					1.8			
	41	18085	1.2	1.4	1.4			1.1	1.5	1.5	1.1			1.8		
Vietnam	42	18086	1.2				1.9					1.3			2.0	1.3
	43	18127	1.3			2.0	1.8		1.3			1.5			2.0	
	44	18128	1.3	1.3	1.4	2.0	2.0	1.1		1.3	1.1	1.0	2.0	1.9		
<b>Region mean</b>	45	18152	1.5			2.0	2.0			1.6			1.4			
			<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.2</b>

**Appendix 1.8** (cont'd) Mean values for angle of permanent branches (*Angpb*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Introduced – Africa</i>																
Benin	46	18355	1.5			2.0	1.9						2.0	1.9	2.0	1.4
Egypt	47	18122	1.3	1.2	1.4	2.0	2.0	1.1	1.8	1.3	1.0	1.3		1.5		
	48	18125	1.4	1.3	1.7		2.0	1.0		1.4	1.0	1.7	1.9	1.7		
	49	18126	1.0									1.5			1.7	1.2
Kenya	50	18134	1.2	1.7	1.6	2.0	1.9	1.0	2.0	1.4	1.0	1.3		1.7		
	51	18135	1.4									1.7				
	52	18136	1.6									1.7				
	53	18137	1.1	1.8	1.6	2.0	2.0	1.0	1.7	1.5	1.0	1.9		1.5		
	54	18141	1.4													
	55	18142	1.2			1.9	2.0			1.5					1.9	1.3
	56	18143	1.1			1.9	2.0					1.7	1.9			
	57	18144	1.5													
Mauritius	58	18565	1.2										2.0		2.0	1.4
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.3</b>
Puerto Rico	59	18752	1.4										1.7		2.0	1.3
<b>Overall mean</b>			<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.3</b>
		RMS	0.0332	0.0888	0.0677	0.0131	0.0244	0.0343	0.0507	0.0533	0.0295	0.1995	0.0786	0.0202	0.0097	0.0586
		SED	0.130	0.211	0.184	0.081	0.111	0.131	0.431	0.010	0.140	0.365	0.198	0.101	0.035	0.171
		Prov.	***	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	***	ns	**	ns	ns	ns
		Country	***	**	*	ns	ns	***	ns	*	***	ns	ns	***	***	ns
		Region	***	ns	ns	***	ns	**	**	ns	***	ns	ns	***	***	ns

Note: RMS = residual mean square; SED = standard error of differences; Prov. = provenances; ns = not significant; \* = significant  $P < 0.05$ ; \*\* = significant  $P < 0.01$ ; \*\*\* = significant  $P < 0.001$ .

**Appendix 1.9** Mean values for length of permanent branches (*Lenpb*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Natural – Australia/Pacific</i>																
Australia	1	15958	1.5	1.9	1.7	1.8	1.1	1.5	1.9	1.3	1.1	1.0		1.3	1.3	1.3
	2	16166	1.4		1.8	1.8						1.0	1.6		1.6	1.3
	3	18008	1.5	1.8	1.7	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.9	1.2	1.2			1.4	1.4	1.2
	4	18378	1.6													
PNG	5	18153	1.3	1.9	1.4	1.7	1.2	1.0	2.0	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.5	1.1	1.4	
Fiji	6	18270	1.4	1.8	1.4		1.4	1.4			1.0					
	7	18271	1.3	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.3			1.0			1.1		
	8	18272	1.3										1.8		1.1	1.2
Guam	9	18121	1.2	1.4	1.5	1.7	1.3	1.2	1.9	1.3			1.7	1.1	1.1	1.2
Solomon	10	18402	1.3												1.2	1.4
	11	18403	1.2													
Vanuatu	12	18312	1.4			1.4	1.6							1.1	1.3	
Tonga	12a	18040				1.1	1.7		1.1							
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.3</b>
<i>Natural – Southeast Asia</i>																
Malaysia	13	18157	1.4	1.8	1.8	1.1	1.6	1.2		1.0	1.0	1.3	2.0	1.1		
	14	18158	1.2	1.6	1.3	1.3	1.7	1.1	1.6	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2
	15	18160	1.4							1.2		1.1				
	16	18161	1.2									1.0				
	17	18244	1.4	1.8	1.3	1.7	1.2	1.3		1.2	1.0	1.0	2.0	1.3		
	18	18348	1.3			1.1	1.7							1.1	1.1	
	19	18374	1.1										2.0			
	20	18375	1.2													
	21	18376	1.4													1.3

**Appendix 1.9** (cont'd) Mean values for length of permanent branches (*Lenpb*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
Philippines	22	18117	1.3	2.0	1.7	1.0	1.5	1.3			1.0	1.0			1.4	
	23	18154	1.4	1.7	1.6		1.9	1.3	1.8	1.2	1.3	1.0	2.0	1.1		
	24	18357	1.4				1.8									
	25	18296	1.3		1.5	1.2	1.6	1.3				1.1	1.6	1.0		
Thailand	26	18297	1.3		1.4	1.4	1.7	1.4			1.0				1.1	1.3
	27	18298	1.2	1.8	1.4	1.2	1.6	1.3					1.5	1.1		
	28	18299	1.3	1.8		1.5	1.7						1.5		1.3	1.4
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.3</b>
<i>Introduced – Asia</i>																
China	29	18267	1.4	1.7	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.1			1.0			1.7	1.2	
	30	18268	1.4	1.8	1.5	1.8	1.7	1.0				1.3			1.2	
India	31	18586	1.3												1.4	
	32	18013	1.3	1.6	1.6	1.8	1.3	1.2	1.8	1.2	1.2	1.3				
	33	18014	1.3	1.7	1.6	1.4	1.1	1.1		1.2	1.2	1.0		1.1	1.3	1.3
	34	18015	1.3			1.2	1.5			1.2		1.4	1.4		1.3	1.2
	35	18118	1.4	1.6	1.6	1.1	1.3	1.1	1.8			1.5	1.0			
	36	18119	1.3	1.8	1.7	1.4	1.3	1.3				1.1		1.8	1.2	1.3
Sri Lanka	37	18120	1.2				1.4									
	38	18286	1.3													
Vietnam	39	18287	1.3		1.7	1.7	2.0	1.4			1.1		1.8	1.2	1.4	
	40	18288	1.2		1.6	1.1	1.5	1.3					1.5			
	41	18085	1.3	1.8	1.6			1.3	1.7	1.3	1.3			1.1		
	42	18086	1.3				1.3					1.0			1.3	1.1
Region mean	43	18127	1.3			1.9	1.5		1.7			1.0			1.2	
	44	18128	1.3	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.4		1.3	1.2	1.0	1.8	1.3		
	45	18152	1.4			1.5	1.9			1.2		1.0	1.7			
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.2</b>

**Appendix 1.9** (cont'd) Mean values for length of permanent branches (*Lenpb*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Introduced – Africa</i>																
Benin	46	18355	1.3			1.9	1.6						1.9	1.2	1.2	1.1
Egypt	47	18122	1.3	1.8	1.6	1.7	1.4	1.1	2.0	1.4	1.4	1.0		1.2		
	48	18125	1.6	1.9	1.4		2.0	1.2		1.4	1.1	1.0	1.8	1.1		
	49	18126	1.4									0.9			1.4	1.2
Kenya	50	18134	1.3	1.8	1.7	1.3	1.4	1.3	2.0	1.3	1.2	1.0		1.3		
	51	18135	1.5									1.7				
	52	18136	1.6									1.3				
	53	18137	1.4	2.0	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.9	1.3	1.4	2.1		1.3		
	54	18141	1.7												1.4	1.3
	55	18142	1.3			1.6	1.5			1.3		1.0	1.5			
	56	18143	1.4			1.7	1.5									
	57	18144	1.5													
Mauritius	58	18565	1.5										1.8		1.5	1.2
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.2</b>
Puerto Rico	59	18752	1.4										1.7		1.4	1.1
<b>Overall mean</b>			<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.2</b>
		RMS	0.0253	0.0237	0.0511	0.0525	0.1480	0.1156	0.0579	0.0393	0.0566			0.0156	0.0299	0.0399
		SED	0.110	0.109	0.160	0.162	0.272	0.268	0.081	0.007	0.194	0.273	0.310	0.083	0.088	0.141
		Prov.	ns	ns	ns	***	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	*	ns	ns	ns	ns
		Country	***	***	ns	***	ns	ns	***	ns	ns	***	ns	***	*	ns
		Region	***	**	ns	***	**	ns	**	ns	ns	ns	ns	**	***	ns

Note: RMS = residual mean square; SED = standard error of differences; Prov. = provenances; ns = not significant; \* = significant; \*\* = significant  $P < 0.05$ ; \*\*\* = significant  $P < 0.001$ ; \*\*\*\* = significant  $P < 0.0001$ .



**Appendix 1.10** Mean values for thickness of deciduous branches (*Thkdb*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Natural – Australasia/Pacific</i>																
Australia	1	15958	1.3	1.9	2.0	1.1	1.2	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.1	2.0		2.0	1.4	1.1
	2	16166	2.0			2.0						1.7	2.0		2.0	1.2
	3	18008	1.7	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.2	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.5			2.0	1.5	1.0
	4	18378	1.5													
PNG	5	18153	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.3	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	
Fiji	6	18270	2.0	2.0	2.0		1.7	2.0			2.0					
	7	18271	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.2	1.9			2.0			2.0		
	8	18272	1.9										2.0		1.9	1.2
Guam	9	18121	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.5	2.0	2.0	1.9			2.0	2.0	1.8	1.1
Solomon	10	18402	2.0												1.8	1.1
	11	18403	2.0													
Vanuatu	12	18312	1.9			2.0	1.5						1.9	2.0	1.8	
Tonga	12a	18040				2.0	1.6		2.0							
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.1</b>
<i>Natural – Southeast Asia</i>																
Malaysia	13	18157	1.3	1.4	1.7	1.8	1.3	1.7		1.7	1.2	2.0	2.0	1.9		
	14	18158	1.1	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.0	1.7	1.3	1.8	1.0	2.0		1.6	1.1	1.2
	15	18160	1.2							1.9						
	16	18161	1.1									2.0				
	17	18244	1.2	1.9	1.8	1.1	1.1	1.7		1.7	1.1	2.0	2.0	1.9		
	18	18348	1.5			1.2	1.3							1.8	1.2	
	19	18374	1.7										2.0			
	20	18375	1.4													
	21	18376	1.8													1.1

**Appendix 1.10** (cont'd) Mean values for thickness of deciduous branches (*Thkdb*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
Philippines	22	18117	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.2	1.3	2.0		1.9	1.8	1.7	2.0	2.0	1.6	
	23	18154	1.9	2.0	2.0		1.3	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.0		
	24	18357	1.2				1.5									
	25	18296	1.4		2.0	1.1	1.4	1.5			1.2		2.0	1.7		
Thailand	26	18297	1.1		1.5	1.6	1.3	1.7			1.2				1.1	1.1
	27	18298	1.1	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.3					1.8	1.7		
	28	18299	1.5	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.5						2.0	2.0	1.5	1.2
<b>Region mean</b>		<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.1</b>
<i>Introduced – Asia</i>																
China	29	18267	1.6	2.0	2.0	1.6	1.2	2.0			1.9		2.0	2.0		
	30	18268	1.6	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.0	2.0			1.6			2.0		
	31	18586	1.7												1.3	
India	32	18013	1.5	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.6	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.9	2.0				
	33	18014	1.3	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.3	1.9		2.0	1.9	2.0		2.0	1.4	1.2
	34	18015	1.4			1.9	1.3			1.7		1.5	2.0		1.5	1.1
	35	18118	1.4	1.7	2.0	1.0	1.3	1.7	1.8		1.5					
Sri Lanka	36	18119	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.2	1.8			1.8	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.2	
	37	18120	1.4				1.5									
Vietnam	38	18286	1.4													
	39	18287	1.7	1.7	2.0	1.7	1.3	1.9			1.2		2.0	2.0	1.3	
	40	18288	1.6		2.0	1.9	1.4	1.8					2.0			
	41	18085	1.6	1.6	2.0		1.9	1.9	1.7	1.9	1.5			2.0		
Region mean	42	18086	1.6				1.0					2.0			1.6	1.0
	43	18127	1.5			1.8	1.1	1.8				1.6			1.4	
	44	18128	1.8	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.8		1.9	1.9	1.7	2.0	2.0		
	45	18152	1.4			1.6	1.6			1.9			2.0			
<b>Region mean</b>		<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.1</b>

**Appendix 1.10** (cont'd) Mean values for thickness of deciduous branches (*Thkdb*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Introduced – Africa</i>																
Benin	46	18355	1.5			1.9	1.1						2.0	2.0	1.6	1.1
Egypt	47	18122	1.4	1.8	2.0	1.3	1.3	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.3	2.0		2.0		
	48	18125	1.5	1.9	2.0		1.9	1.8		2.0	1.6	2.0	2.0	2.0		
	49	18126	1.4									2.0			1.5	1.2
Kenya	50	18134	1.9	1.7	2.0	2.0	1.1	2.0	2.0	1.8	2.0	2.0		2.0		
	51	18135	2.0									2.0				
	52	18136	1.8									2.0				
	53	18137	1.8	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.7	2.0		2.0		
	54	18141	1.7													
	55	18142	1.9			1.9	1.1			2.0					1.7	1.1
	56	18143	1.9			2.0	1.4					2.0	2.0			
	57	18144	1.9													
Mauritius	58	18565	1.3												1.4	1.1
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.1</b>
Puerto Rico	59	18752	1.4										2.0	2.0	1.3	1.2
<b>Overall mean</b>			<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.1</b>
		RMS	0.0507	0.0538	0.0196	0.0408	0.1747	0.0481	0.0451	0.0414	0.0826	0.0598	0.0118	0.0220	0.0515	0.0192
		SED	0.160	0.164	0.099	0.143	0.052	0.155	0.150	0.008	0.235	0.200	0.077	0.105	0.160	0.098
		Prov.	***	**	***	***	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	***	ns
		Country	***	*	***	***	ns	***	**	ns	***	*	ns	*	***	ns
		Region	***	*	***	***	ns	***	**	ns	***	ns	ns	**	***	ns

Note: RMS = residual mean square; SED = standard error of differences; Prov. = provenances; ns = not significant; \* = significant  $P < 0.05$ ; \*\* = significant  $P < 0.01$ ; \*\*\* = significant  $P < 0.001$ .

**Appendix 1.11** Mean values for length of deciduous branches (*Len<sub>db</sub>*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Natural – Australasia/Pacific</i>																
Australia	1	15958	1.2	1.0	1.0	2.0	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.8	1.1	1.7		1.1	1.1	1.5
	2	16166	2.0			2.0						1.3	2.0		2.0	1.5
	3	18008	1.6	1.2	1.2	2.0	1.5	1.7	1.7	1.9	1.0			1.5	1.5	1.3
	4	18378	1.3													
PNG	5	18153	1.3	1.0	1.0	1.3	1.7	1.7	2.0	2.0	1.0	1.1	2.0	1.1	1.6	
Fiji	6	18270	1.5	1.0	1.0		2.0	2.0			1.7					
	7	18271	1.9	1.1	1.0	1.9	1.7	1.8			1.4			1.1		
	8	18272	1.6													
Guam	9	18121	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.7	1.6	1.9	1.8			2.0	1.1	1.1	1.2
Solomon	10	18402	1.7										2.0	1.1	1.1	1.4
	11	18403	1.7												1.5	1.5
Vanuatu	12	18312	1.4			1.6	1.7						2.0	1.0	1.2	
Tonga	12a	18040				2.0	1.9		1.9							
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.4</b>
<i>Natural – Southeast Asia</i>																
Malaysia	13	18157	1.5	1.1	1.1	2.0	1.7	1.3		2.0	1.0	1.0	2.0	1.0		
	14	18158	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.4	1.3	1.9	1.1	2.0	1.0	1.5		1.1	1.1	1.3
	15	18160	1.5							2.0		1.4				
	16	18161	1.5									1.7				
	17	18244	1.3	1.0	1.1	2.0	1.7	1.4		1.9	1.0	1.3	2.0	1.1		
	18	18348	1.5			2.0	1.1							1.3	1.2	
	19	18374	1.4										2.0			
	20	18375	1.3													
	21	18376	1.6													1.2

**Appendix 1.11** (cont'd) Mean values for length of deciduous branches (*Lendb*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
Philippines	22	18117	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.4	1.6	1.5			1.1	1.0			1.1	
	23	18154	1.9	1.1	1.1		1.8	1.9	1.6	2.0	1.7	1.0	2.0	1.3		
	24	18357	1.0				1.7									
	25	18296	1.3		1.0	1.1	2.0	1.5			1.2		2.0	1.0		
Thailand	26	18297	1.2		1.0	1.3	1.5	1.6			1.0				1.0	1.4
	27	18298	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.8	1.3					1.5	1.0		
Region mean	28	18299	1.4	1.5	1.7	1.9	1.9						2.0	1.5	1.3	
			<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.3</b>
<i>Introduced – Asia</i>																
China	29	18267	1.6	1.1	1.1	1.8	1.7	1.5			1.2		2.0	1.1		
	30	18268	1.3	1.0	1.0	1.9	1.5	1.7			1.0			1.1		
	31	18586	1.5												1.2	
India	32	18013	1.5	1.0	1.1	1.7	1.6	1.9	1.7	1.8	1.3	1.7				
	33	18014	1.4	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.6	1.8		2.0	1.0	2.0		1.0	1.2	1.5
	34	18015	1.4		1.0	1.0	1.4			1.8		1.5	2.0		1.2	1.5
	35	18118	1.2	1.0	1.0	2.0	1.6	1.4	1.6		1.0					
Sri Lanka	36	18119	1.4	1.0	1.1	2.0	1.5	1.7		1.2	1.3	1.3	2.0	1.0	1.1	
	37	18120	1.2				1.9									
Vietnam	38	18286	1.2													
	39	18287	1.5		1.0	1.9	1.9	1.7			1.0		2.0	1.0	1.1	
	40	18288	1.3		1.0	1.4	1.9	1.8					2.0			
	41	18085	1.2	1.0	1.0			1.6	1.4	1.9	1.0			1.0		
Region mean	42	18086	1.5				1.6					1.7			1.5	1.2
	43	18127	1.3			1.2	1.7		1.4			1.5			1.2	
Region mean	44	18128	1.3	1.0	1.0	1.6	1.8	1.6		1.9	1.2	1.5	2.0	1.1		
	45	18152	1.2		1.1	1.1	1.9			1.9		1.5	2.0			
			<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.4</b>

**Appendix 1.11** (cont'd) Mean values for length of deciduous branches (*Lendb*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Introduced – Africa</i>																
Benin	46	18355	1.4			1.9	1.4							1.1	1.3	1.4
Egypt	47	18122	1.5	1.0	1.0	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.9	1.2	1.3		1.0		
	48	18125	1.7	1.2	1.0		2.0	1.8		2.0	1.2	1.7	2.0	1.1		
	49	18126	1.6									1.6			1.3	1.2
Kenya	50	18134	1.8	1.2	1.0	2.0	1.5	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.4	1.7		1.3		
	51	18135	1.6									2.0				
	52	18136	1.9									2.0				
	53	18137	1.9	1.0	1.0	2.0	1.7	2.0	1.8	2.0	1.7	2.0		1.0		
	54	18141	1.6													
	55	18142	1.8			1.8	1.4			2.0					1.7	1.4
	56	18143	2.0			2.0	1.7					1.3	2.0			
	57	18144	1.8													
Mauritius	58	18565	1.3										2.0		1.2	1.4
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.4</b>
Puerto Rico	59	18752	1.5										2.0		1.3	1.3
<b>Overall mean</b>			<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.4</b>
		RMS	0.0285	0.0160	0.0078	0.0509	0.1432	0.0546	0.0837	0.0270	0.0705			0.0119	0.0284	0.0510
		SED	0.120	0.090	0.063	0.160	0.020	0.165	0.205	0.005	0.217	0.394	0.087	0.077	0.005	0.160
		Prov.	***	***	ns	***	ns	***	ns	ns	ns	ns	***	***	***	ns
		Country	***	**	*	***	*	***	**	ns	ns	ns	ns	***	***	ns
		Region	***	*	ns	***	ns	ns	**	ns	***	ns	ns	***	***	ns

Note: RMS = residual mean square; SED = standard error of differences; Prov. = provenances; ns = not significant; \* = significant  $P < 0.05$ ; \*\* = significant  $P < 0.01$ ; \*\*\* = significant  $P < 0.001$ .

**Appendix 1.12** Mean values for stem damage (*Stmhe*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Natural – Australasia/Pacific</i>																
Australia	1	15958	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.6	1.8	2.0	1.6	2.0	2.0		1.9	2.0	1.8
	2	16166	2.0		1.9	1.9						2.0	2.0		2.0	1.9
	3	18008	2.0	2.0	1.5	1.9	1.9	1.8		1.7	2.0			1.6	2.0	2.0
	4	18378	2.0						1.9							
PNG	5	18153	2.0	1.9	1.3	2.0	1.7	1.6	2.0	1.5	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.6	2.0	
Fiji	6	18270	1.9	2.0	1.8		1.6	2.0			2.0					
	7	18271	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.9	1.7	1.8			1.9			1.8		
	8	18272	2.0										2.0		2.0	2.0
Guam	9	18121	2.0	2.0	1.6	2.0	1.8	1.7	2.0	1.5			2.0	1.5	2.0	1.9
Solomon	10	18402	2.0												2.0	2.0
	11	18403	2.0													
Vanuatu	12	18312	2.0			1.9	1.6						2.0	1.5	2.0	
Tonga	12a	18040				2.0	1.6		2.0							
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>
<i>Natural – Southeast Asia</i>																
Malaysia	13	18157	2.0	2.0	1.5	1.9	1.6	1.9		1.6	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9		
	14	18158	2.0	2.0	1.4	1.8	1.9	1.5	2.0	1.7	2.0	2.0		1.9	2.0	1.9
	15	18160	2.0							1.6		2.0				
	16	18161	2.0									2.0				
	17	18244	2.0	2.0	1.6	1.9	2.0	1.9		1.5	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.8		
	18	18348	2.0			1.9	1.8							1.8	2.0	
	19	18374	2.0										2.0			
	20	18375	2.0													
	21	18376	1.9													2.0

**Appendix 1.12** (cont'd) Mean values for stem damage (*Stmhe*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
Philippines	22	18117	2.0	2.0	1.8	2.0	1.8	1.7		1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0		2.0	
	23	18154	2.0	1.9	1.6		1.9	1.7	2.0	1.4	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.9		
	24	18357	2.0				1.9									
	25	18296	2.0		1.7	2.0	1.7	1.8				2.0	2.0	1.8		
Thailand	26	18297	2.0		1.5	2.0	1.9	1.9			2.0				2.0	1.9
	27	18298	2.0	2.0	1.5	1.7	1.9	1.7					2.0	1.7		
	28	18299	2.0	2.0		2.0	1.6						2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
	<b>Region mean</b>		<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>
<i>Introduced – Asia</i>																
China	29	18267	2.0	1.9	1.6	1.9	1.3	1.8					2.0	1.8		
	30	18268	2.0	2.0	1.7	1.9	2.0	1.5			1.9			1.9		
	31	18586	2.0												2.0	
India	32	18013	2.0	1.9	1.6	2.0	1.8	1.5	2.0	1.5	2.0	2.0				
	33	18014	2.0	2.0	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.7		1.3	1.9	2.0		1.9	2.0	2.0
	34	18015	2.0			1.9	1.9			1.3		2.0	2.0		2.0	2.0
	35	18118	2.0	2.0	1.7	1.9	1.5	1.6	2.0		1.9					
Sri Lanka	36	18119	2.0	2.0	1.7	1.9	1.7	1.6			2.0	2.0	2.0	1.8	2.0	
	37	18120	2.0				1.9									
	38	18286	2.0													
Vietnam	39	18287	2.0		1.5	1.9	1.6	1.7			2.0		2.0	1.9	2.0	
	40	18288	2.0		1.6	1.9	1.5	1.5					2.0			
	41	18085	2.0	2.0	1.6			1.7	2.0	1.5	1.9			1.7		
	42	18086	2.0				1.7					2.0			2.0	2.0
Region mean	43	18127	2.0			1.9	1.8		2.0			2.0			2.0	
	44	18128	2.0	2.0	1.5	1.9	1.5	1.8		1.5	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9		
	45	18152	2.0			2.0	1.6			1.6		2.0	2.0	1.8	2.0	2.0
<b>Region mean</b>		<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>



**Appendix 1.12** (cont'd) Mean values for stem damage (*Stmbe*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Introduced – Africa</i>																
Benin	46	18355	2.0			2.0	1.8						2.0	1.8	2.0	2.0
Egypt	47	18122	2.0	1.9	1.6	2.0	1.9	1.8	2.0	1.5	2.0	2.0		1.6		
	48	18125	1.9	2.0	1.6		1.9	1.8		1.6	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.5		
	49	18126	2.0									2.0			2.0	2.0
Kenya	50	18134	2.0	1.9	1.3	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.6	2.0	2.0		1.8		
	51	18135	2.0									2.0				
	52	18136	2.0									2.0				
	53	18137	2.0	2.0	1.5	2.0	1.7	1.9	2.0	1.8	2.0	2.0		1.7		
	54	18141	2.0													
	55	18142	2.0			2.0	1.9			1.5					2.0	2.0
	56	18143	2.0			1.9	1.6					2.0				
	57	18144	2.0													
Mauritius	58	18565	2.0										2.0		2.0	2.0
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>
Puerto Rico	59	18752	2.0										2.0		2.0	2.0
<b>Overall mean</b>			<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>
		RMS	0.0042	0.0039	0.0349	0.0106	0.0891	0.0763	0.0007	0.0627	0.0044		0.0003013	0.0177	0.0008	0.0062
		SED	0.050	0.044	0.132	0.073	0.211	0.195	0.019	0.012	0.054	0.000	0.012	0.094	0.020	0.057
		Prov.	ns	ns	ns	*	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
		Country	ns	ns	***	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	***	ns	ns
		Region	ns	ns	*	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	***	ns	ns

Note: RMS = residual mean square; SED = standard error of differences; Prov. = provenances; ns = not significant; \* = significant  $P < 0.05$ ; \*\* = significant  $P < 0.01$ ; \*\*\* = significant  $P < 0.001$ .

**Appendix 1.13** Mean values for foliage damage (*Folhe*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Natural – Australasia/Pacific</i>																
Australia	1	15958	2.0	1.6	1.6	1.9	1.6	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0		1.0	2.0	2.0
	2	16166	2.0		1.9	1.9						2.0	2.0		2.0	1.9
	3	18008	2.0	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.7	2.0	1.9			1.0	2.0	2.0
	4	18378	1.8													
PNG	5	18153	1.9	1.5	1.8	1.8	1.7	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.0	2.0	
Fiji	6	18270	2.0	1.5	1.5		1.4	2.0			2.0					
	7	18271	1.8	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.6	2.0			1.8			1.0		
	8	18272	1.8										1.8		2.0	2.0
Guam	9	18121	2.0	1.4	1.7	1.9	1.6	2.0	2.0	2.0			1.8	1.0	2.0	2.0
Solomon	10	18402	2.0												2.0	2.0
	11	18403	2.0													
Vanuatu	12	18312	2.0			1.8	1.4						1.7	1.0	2.0	
Tonga	12a	18040				1.9	1.1		2.0							
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>
<i>Natural – Southeast Asia</i>																
Malaysia	13	18157	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.5	2.0		2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.0		
	14	18158	2.0	1.8	1.9	1.7	1.8	2.0	1.6	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.0	2.0	2.0
	15	18160	2.0							2.0		2.0				
	16	18161	2.0									2.0				
	17	18244	2.0	1.8	2.0	1.5	1.8	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.0		
	18	18348	1.8			1.7	1.7							1.0	1.8	
	19	18374	2.0										1.9			
	20	18375	1.9													
	21	18376	2.0													2.0

**Appendix 1.13** (cont'd) Mean values for foliage damage (*Folhe*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
Philippines	22	18117	2.0	2.0	1.8	2.0	1.5	2.0			1.9	2.0			2.0	
	23	18154	2.0	1.9	1.9		1.6	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.0		
	24	18357	2.0				1.7									
	25	18296	2.0		1.9	1.9	1.5	2.0			1.9		2.0	1.2		
Thailand	26	18297	2.0		2.0	1.9	1.8	2.0			2.0				1.9	1.9
	27	18298	1.8	2.0	2.0	1.6	1.6	2.0					1.8	1.1		
Region mean	28	18299	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.6	1.4						1.8		2.0	2.0
			<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>
<i>Introduced – Asia</i>																
China	29	18267	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.2	2.0			1.9		2.0	1.0		
	30	18268	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.9	2.0			2.0			1.0		
	31	18586	1.9												2.0	
India	32	18013	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.7	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.9	2.0				
	33	18014	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.6	1.7	2.0		2.0	1.8	2.0		1.0	2.0	2.0
	34	18015	1.9			1.8	1.7			2.0		2.0	2.0		1.9	2.0
	35	18118	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.5	2.0	2.0		1.9					
Sri Lanka	36	18119	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.7	2.0			2.0	2.0	2.0	1.0	2.0	
	37	18120	2.0				1.6									
Vietnam	38	18286	2.0													
	39	18287	2.0		1.7	1.9	1.3	2.0			2.0		2.0	1.0	2.0	
	40	18288	2.0		1.9	1.5	1.3	2.0					2.0			
	41	18085	2.0	2.0	1.9			2.0	1.9	2.0	2.0			1.0		
Region mean	42	18086	2.0				1.7					2.0			2.0	2.0
	43	18127	2.0			1.7	1.7		1.9			2.0			2.0	
Region mean	44	18128	2.0	2.0	1.7	1.9	1.5	2.0		2.0	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.0		
	45	18152	2.0			1.7	1.3			2.0		2.0	2.0			
			<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>

**Appendix 1.13** (cont'd) Mean values for foliage damage (*Folhe*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Introduced – Africa</i>																
Benin	46	18355	2.0			1.9	1.7						2.0	1.0	2.0	2.0
Egypt	47	18122	2.0	1.7	1.7	1.9	1.8	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.7	2.0		1.0		
	48	18125	1.6	1.9	1.7		1.5	2.0		2.0	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.0		
	49	18126	1.7									2.0			2.0	2.0
Kenya	50	18134	2.0	1.5	1.8	2.0	1.8	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.8	2.0	2.0	1.0		
	51	18135	1.8									2.0				
	52	18136	1.8									2.0				
	53	18137	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0		1.0		
	54	18141	2.0													
	55	18142	2.0			1.8	1.8			2.0					2.0	2.0
	56	18143	2.0			1.7	1.5					2.0	2.0			
	57	18144	1.8													
Mauritius	58	18565	1.8										2.0		2.0	2.0
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>
Puerto Rico	59	18752	2.0										2.0		2.0	2.0
<b>Overall mean</b>			<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>
		RMS	0.0304	0.0397	0.0264	0.0317	0.1013	0.0001	0.0264	0.0001	0.0134		0.0517	0.0033	0.0086	0.0025
		SED	0.120	0.141	0.115	0.126	0.225	0.007	0.115	0.000	0.095	0.000	0.161	0.040	0.066	0.001
		Prov.	ns	ns	ns	**	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
		Country	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	*	ns	ns	ns	ns	***	ns	ns
		Region	*	***	***	*	ns	ns	*	ns	*	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns

Note: RMS = residual mean square; SED = standard error of differences; Prov. = provenances; ns = not significant; \* = significant  $P < 0.05$ ; \*\* = significant  $P < 0.01$ ; \*\*\* = significant  $P < 0.001$ .

**Appendix 1.14** Mean values for flowering (*Flwre*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Natural – Australia/Pacific</i>																
Australia	1	15958	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.3	1.0	1.0		1.0	1.4	1.0
	2	16166	1.0		1.1							1.0	1.0		1.6	1.0
	3	18008	1.3	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.4	1.1			1.6	1.5	1.1
	4	18378	1.2													
PNG	5	18153	1.3	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.4	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.4	1.7	
Fiji	6	18270	1.1	1.0	1.0		1.0	1.0			1.0					
	7	18271	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0			1.0			1.2		
	8	18272	1.1										1.0		1.2	1.0
Guam	9	18121	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.4			1.0	1.5	1.3	1.0
Solomon	10	18402	1.0												1.3	1.1
	11	18403	1.1													
Vanuatu	12	18312	1.4			1.0	1.0						1.0	1.2	1.1	
Tonga	12 a	18040				1.1	1.1		1.0							
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.0</b>
<i>Natural – Southeast Asia</i>																
Malaysia	13	18157	1.5	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0		1.1	1.0	1.0		1.0		
	14	18158	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.4	1.0	1.0		1.0	1.0	1.0
	15	18160	1.1							1.4						
	16	18161	1.4													
	17	18244	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.0		1.2	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0		
	18	18348	1.1			1.0	1.1							1.0	1.1	
	19	18374	1.0										1.0			
	20	18375	1.1													
	21	18376	1.0													1.1

**Appendix 1.14** (cont'd) Mean values for flowering (*Flwre*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
Philippines	22	18117	1.5	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0		1.0	1.0	1.0			1.7	
	23	18154	1.4	1.0	1.0		1.2	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.5		
	24	18357	1.3				1.0						1.0			
	25	18296	1.0		1.2	1.0	1.0	1.0			1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0		
Thailand	26	18297	1.2		1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0		1.0	1.0				1.3	1.1
	27	18298	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0					1.0	1.0		
	28	18299	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0						1.0		1.1	1.2
	<b>Region mean</b>		<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.0</b>		<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.1</b>
<i>Introduced – Asia</i>																
China	29	18267	1.3	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.1					1.0	1.4		
	30	18268	1.4	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.0	1.0			1.1			1.0		
	31	18586	1.3												1.4	
India	32	18013	1.4	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.6	1.0	1.0				
	33	18014	1.4	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.0	1.1		1.3	1.1	1.0		1.6	1.7	1.1
	34	18015	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.1	1.0	1.0		1.5	1.2	1.0	1.0		1.6	1.0
	35	18118	1.6	1.2	1.4	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2							
Sri Lanka	36	18119	1.7	1.1	1.2	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.7	1.6	
	37	18120	1.7				1.0									
Vietnam	38	18286	1.3													
	39	18287	1.3		1.1	1.1	1.0	1.2			1.0		1.0	1.9	1.8	
	40	18288	1.3		1.2	1.4	1.1	1.0					1.0			
	41	18085	1.5	1.0	1.3		1.3	1.1	1.2	1.6	1.0			1.8		
Region mean	42	18086	1.4									1.0			1.9	1.0
	43	18127	1.5			1.2	1.2		1.3			1.0			1.7	
	44	18128	1.4	1.0	1.0	1.3	1.0	1.0		1.7	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.7		
	45	18152	1.4		1.2	1.2	1.0	1.0		1.4		1.0	1.0			
<b>Region mean</b>		<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.0</b>	

**Appendix 1.14** (cont'd) Mean values for flowering (*Flwre*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 to IPT-14															
			30mo	24mo	12mo	30mo	27mo	26mo	44mo	32mo	28mo	48mo	30mo	26mo	31mo	30mo		
<i>Introduced – Africa</i>																		
Benin	46	18355	1.2			1.0	1.1								1.0	1.4	1.0	
Egypt	47	18122	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1		
	48	18125	1.1	1.0	1.1		1.1								1.0	1.3		
	49	18126	1.1												1.0		1.0	
Kenya	50	18134	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1		
	51	18135	1.2												1.0			
	52	18136	1.1												1.0			
	53	18137	1.3	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1		
	54	18141	1.3															
	55	18142	1.2			1.0	1.1										1.2	
	56	18143	1.2			1.1	1.0								1.0		1.3	
	57	18144	1.3															
Mauritius	58	18565	1.1												1.0		1.0	
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.1</b>
Puerto Rico	59	18752	1.2												1.0		1.0	
<b>Overall mean</b>			<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>1.1</b>
		RMS	0.0411	0.0022	0.0139	0.0178	0.0190	0.0042	0.0259	0.0909	0.0068	0.00019	0.00019	0.0136	0.00019	0.0136	0.0283	0.0142
		SED	0.140	0.034	0.083	0.002	0.098	0.094	0.114	0.017	0.067	0.005	0.010	0.147	0.010	0.147	0.178	0.084
		Prov.	ns	***	**	*	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	***	ns	***	*	ns
		Country	**	ns	ns	***	ns	**	ns	*	ns	ns	ns	***	ns	***	***	**
		Region	***	***	***	**	ns	ns	*	*	ns	ns	ns	***	**	***	***	ns

Note: RMS = residual mean square; SED = standard error of differences; Prov. = provenances; ns = not significant; \* = significant  $P < 0.05$ ; \*\* = significant  $P < 0.01$ ; \*\*\* = significant  $P < 0.001$ .

**Appendix 1.15** Mean values for fruiting (*Frrre*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Natural – Australia/Pacific</i>																
Australia	1	15958	2.0	2.0	1.0	2.0	2.0	1.7	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.9
	2	16166	2.0		2.0	2.0						2.0	2.0		1.7	2.0
	3	18008	1.9	1.9	1.3	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.9			1.4	1.9	1.8
	4	18378	2.0													
PNG	5	18153	2.0	2.0	1.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.7	1.8	
Fiji	6	18270	1.9	1.9	1.0	2.0	2.0	1.8			1.9					
	7	18271	1.9	2.0	1.1	2.0	2.0	2.0			2.0			1.8		
	8	18272	1.9										2.0		1.7	1.9
Guam	9	18121	2.0	1.9	1.2	1.9	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.9			2.0	1.5	1.7	1.9
Solomon	10	18402	2.0												1.9	1.9
	11	18403	2.0													
Vanuatu	12	18312	2.0			2.0	2.0						2.0	1.8	1.9	
Tonga	12a	18040				2.0	2.0		2.0							
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.9</b>
<i>Natural – Southeast Asia</i>																
Malaysia	13	18157	2.0	2.0	1.0	2.0	2.0	2.0		2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0		
	14	18158	2.0	2.0	1.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0			2.0	2.0	1.9
	15	18160	2.0							1.9		2.0				
	16	18161	2.0									2.0				
	17	18244	2.0	2.0	1.1	2.0	1.9	2.0		2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0		
	18	18348	2.0			2.0	2.0							2.0	2.0	
	19	18374	2.0										2.0			
	20	18375	2.0													
	21	18376	2.0													2.0



**Appendix 1.15** (cont'd) Mean values for fruiting (*Frtre*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
Philippines	22	18117	2.0	2.0	1.0	2.0	2.0	1.9			2.0	2.0			1.6	
	23	18154	2.0	2.0	1.0		1.9	1.6	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.6		
	24	18357	2.0				2.0									
	25	18296	2.0		1.2	2.0	2.0	2.0			2.0		2.0	2.0		
Thailand	26	18297	2.0		1.0	2.0	2.0	1.9			2.0				2.0	1.8
	27	18298	2.0	2.0	1.0	2.0	2.0	2.0					2.0	2.0		
Region mean	28	18299	2.0	2.0		2.0	2.0						2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9
			<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>
<i>Introduced – Asia</i>																
China	29	18267	1.9	2.0	1.1	1.7	2.0	1.8			2.0			1.8		
	30	18268	2.0	2.0	1.2	1.7	2.0	1.7						1.6		
	31	18586	1.9												1.8	
India	32	18013	2.0	1.9	1.3	2.0	2.0	1.8	2.0	1.8	2.0	2.0				
	33	18014	2.0	2.0	1.1	1.9	2.0	1.7		1.9	2.0	2.0		1.6	1.7	1.9
	34	18015	2.0			2.0	2.0			1.8		1.9	2.0		1.8	1.9
	35	18118	1.9	1.7	1.3	1.9	2.0	1.8	2.0		2.0					
Sri Lanka	36	18119	1.9	1.7	1.3	2.0	2.0	1.9			2.0	2.0	2.0	1.5	1.7	
	37	18120	1.7				2.0									
	38	18286	1.9													
Vietnam	39	18287	1.9		1.6	1.9	2.0	1.8			2.0		2.0	1.5	1.5	
	40	18288	1.9		1.3	1.8	2.0	1.8					2.0			
	41	18085	1.9	1.8	1.2			1.7	1.9	1.8	2.0			1.6		
	42	18086	1.9				1.9					2.0			1.6	1.9
Region mean	43	18127	2.0			1.9	1.9		1.7			2.0			1.6	
	44	18128	1.9	1.9	1.1	1.9	2.0	1.7		1.7	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.6		
	45	18152	1.9			1.9	2.0			1.8		2.0	2.0			
			<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>1.9</b>

**Appendix 1.15 (cont'd)** Mean values for fruiting (*Frtr*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-01 30mo	IPT-02 24mo	IPT-03 12mo	IPT-04 30mo	IPT-05 27mo	IPT-06 26mo	IPT-07 44mo	IPT-08 32mo	IPT-09 28mo	IPT-10 48mo	IPT-11 30mo	IPT-12 26mo	IPT-13 31mo	IPT-14 30mo
<i>Introduced – Africa</i>																
Benin	46	18355	2.0			2.0	1.9					2.0	2.0	1.7	1.8	1.9
Egypt	47	18122	2.0	2.0	1.1	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.0		1.9		
	48	18125	2.0	2.0	1.0		1.9	1.9		1.9	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.7		
	49	18126	2.0									1.9			1.7	1.9
Kenya	50	18134	2.0	2.0	1.1	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.0		2.0		
	51	18135	1.9									2.0				
	52	18136	2.0									2.0				
	53	18137	2.0	2.0	1.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0			1.9		
	54	18141	1.9													
	55	18142	1.9			2.0	2.0			2.0					1.9	1.7
	56	18143	2.0			2.0	2.0					2.0	2.0			
	57	18144	2.0													
Mauritius	58	18565	2.0												1.8	1.9
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.8</b>
Puerto Rico	59	18752	2.0										2.0	2.0	1.8	2.0
<b>Overall mean</b>			<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.9</b>
		RMS	0.0029	0.0034	0.0168	0.0102	0.0048	0.0122	0.0247	0.0139	0.0011			0.0098	0.0108	0.0276
		SED	0.040		0.003	0.035	0.049	0.078	0.111	0.003	0.028	0.005	0.000	0.070	0.073	0.118
		Prov.	***	***	*	ns	ns	*	ns	ns	ns	*	ns	***	ns	ns
		Country	*	***	**	ns	ns	***	ns	*	ns	**	ns	***	***	ns
		Region	***	***	***	***	ns	**	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	***	**	ns

Note: RMS = residual mean square; SED = standard error of differences; Prov. = provenances; ns = not significant; \* = significant  $P < 0.05$ ; \*\* = significant  $P < 0.01$ ; \*\*\* = significant  $P < 0.001$ .

**Appendix 2.1** Mean values for survival (*Surv*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-15 26mo	IPT-16 48mo	IPT-17 12mo	IPT-18 12mo	IPT-19 18mo	IPT-20 36mo	IPT-21 18mo	IPT-22 47mo	IPT-23 47mo	IPT-24 24mo	IPT-25 14mo
<i>Natural – Australasia/Pacific</i>													
Australia	1	15958		58	83	100	61	50		69	100	98	17
	2	16166		72			61	96			100		
	3	18008	63	69	94	99		63	63			100	
	4	18378		56									
PNG	5	18153	25	61	100	100	67		68	81	100	100	56
Fiji	6	18270		31		100			58				
	7	18271		22		100		54					32
	8	18272		83			70						
Guam	9	18121	88	33	100		47	56	73			98	57
Solomon	10	18402		50									
	11	18403		58									
Vanuatu	12	18312	83	86			66		75				25
Tonga	12a	18040											25
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>64</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>36</b>
<i>Natural – Southeast Asia</i>													
Malaysia	13	18157		50		100							39
	14	18158		33		100						70	56
	15	18160		42			61			77			
	16	18161		39									
	17	18244		50	100	100		48	65	69	100		39
	18	18348		44			68						
	19	18374		81									
	20	18375		50									
	21	18376		6									

**Appendix 2.1** (cont'd) Mean values for survival (*Surv*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-15	IPT-16	IPT-17	IPT-18	IPT-19	IPT-20	IPT-21	IPT-22	IPT-23	IPT-24	IPT-25
			26mo	48mo	12mo	18mo	36mo	18mo	47mo	47mo	24mo	14mo	
Philippines	22	18117			94	99			73				
	23	18154	83	53		99	80				100	98	
	24	18357											
Thailand	25	18296	36	69	94		72			94			39
	26	18297	59	39				85					
	27	18298	36	53		100			71				39
	28	18299		56	94	100	63			77			
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>53</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>42</b>
<i>Introduced – Asia</i>													
China	29	18267	55	64		100	82	85	70		94		41
	30	18268	67	83		100	54	56		88	100		
	31	18586						83					
India	32	18013	92	72		100			76	69		100	27
	33	18014	92	69	100	100		69					
	34	18015		78			71	71					
Sri Lanka	35	18118	61	47					80	71			49
	36	18119	34	67	100	99							
	37	18120		44									
Vietnam	38	18286		31									
	39	18287	83	56					78				32
	40	18288	34	67									
Region mean	41	18085	84	56		99						100	32
	42	18086		53									
	43	18127		58								98	
Region mean	44	18128	100	44		100	61		90		100		35
	45	18152		53			63			73			

**Appendix 2.1** (cont'd) Mean values for survival (*Surv*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov. No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-15		IPT-16		IPT-17		IPT-18		IPT-19		IPT-20		IPT-21		IPT-22		IPT-23		IPT-24		IPT-25			
			26mo	48mo	12mo	18mo	36mo	18mo	18mo	18mo	18mo	18mo	18mo	18mo	18mo	18mo	18mo	18mo	18mo	18mo	18mo	18mo	18mo	18mo	18mo	18mo
<i>Introduced – Africa</i>																										
Benin	46	18355	86	28										75												
Egypt	47	18122	25	58	89	70												75								
	48	18125		58												85				100						31
	49	18126		47																100						98
Kenya	50	18134	84	72	86	100																				36
	51	18135		56										81												
	52	18136		53																						
	53	18137	22	83																						45
	54	18141		44																						
	55	18142		78																						
	56	18143		58																						
	57	18144		89																						
Mauritius	58	18565		17																						
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>54</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>72</b>						<b>78</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>37</b>	
Puerto Rico	59	18752																								
<b>Overall mean</b>			<b>63</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>38</b>
		RMS	611.000	503.600	61.180	0.521	0.028	405.300	543.200	7.716	22.640	220.100	220.100	220.100	220.100	220.100	220.100	220.100	220.100	220.100	220.100	220.100	220.100	220.100	220.100	220.100
		SED	17.5	15.9	5.5	0.5	16.4	14.2	9.5	2.3	3.4	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1
		Prov.	***	***	ns	ns	ns	*	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	*	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
		Country	***	***	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
		Region	ns	*	*	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	*	*	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns

Note: RMS = residual mean square; SED = standard error of differences; Prov. = provenances; ns = not significant; \* = significant  $P < 0.05$ ; \*\* = significant  $P < 0.01$ ; \*\*\* = significant  $P < 0.001$ .

**Appendix 2.2** Mean values for height growth (*Ht*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-15		IPT-16		IPT-17		IPT-18		IPT-19		IPT-20		IPT-21		IPT-22		IPT-23		IPT-24		IPT-25	
			26mo	48mo	12mo	12mo	12mo	12mo	18mo	18mo	18mo	18mo	36mo	36mo	18mo	47mo	47mo	47mo	47mo	24mo	24mo	14mo	14mo	
<i>Natural – Australasia/Pacific</i>																								
Australia	1	15958		8.2	0.8	3.0	2.1	6.9		4.8	7.8	2.4	1.0											
	2	16166		9.7	1.8	3.8	1.8	9.0		7.2														
	3	18008	2.6	8.6	1.1	3.8		8.4	0.4															
	4	18378		8.5																				
PNG	5	18153	2.7	9.3	1.2	4.4	2.2		0.6	7.0	9.2	3.2												
Fiji	6	18270		8.1		3.0			0.6															
	7	18271		7.8		3.6		7.1																
	8	18272		7.4			1.9																	
Guam	9	18121	2.0	7.0	0.8		2.2	5.9	0.5															
Solomon	10	18402		8.3																				
	11	18403		9.1																				
Vanuatu	12	18312	2.3	9.5			2.2		0.4															
Tonga	12a	18040																						
<b>Region mean</b>			2.4	8.5	0.9	3.6	2.1	7.5	0.5	5.9	8.1	2.9	1.3											
<i>Natural – Southeast Asia</i>																								
Malaysia	13	18157		8.8		4.4																		
	14	18158		9.3		4.7																		
	15	18160		8.7			2.2			5.8														
	16	18161		8.8																				
	17	18244		10.4	1.2	4.4		8.7	0.5	6.6	8.8	1.4												
	18	18348		8.2			2.0																	
	19	18374		9.7																				
	20	18375		9.1																				
	21	18376		11.0																				

**Appendix 2.2** (cont'd) Mean values for height growth (*Ht*) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-15		IPT-16		IPT-17		IPT-18		IPT-19		IPT-20		IPT-21		IPT-22		IPT-23		IPT-24		IPT-25		
			26mo	48mo	12mo	18mo	12mo	18mo	12mo	18mo	36mo	18mo	47mo	47mo	47mo	24mo	14mo								
Philippines	22	18117			1.2	3.2										0.6								2.1	
	23	18154	2.4	8.5		3.6	2.6													9.0	3.7				
	24	18357																							
	25	18296	2.3	9.4	1.2		2.1											7.2							1.4
Thailand	26	18297	2.4	9.6									8.8												
	27	18298	1.6	9.8		4.3									0.7										1.4
	28	18299			1.1	4.4	1.7										7.4								
<b>Region mean</b>			2.2	9.3	1.1	4.1	2.1					8.8		0.6		6.8			8.9	3.6				1.6	
<i>Introduced – Asia</i>																									
China	29	18267	1.7	8.8		4.1	2.7						8.4	0.5						10.1					1.7
	30	18268	2.7	9.2	1.1	4.2	2.1						7.7				6.9			9.5					
	31	18586											8.9												
India	32	18013	2.8	8.2		3.6									0.5										1.2
	33	18014	2.5	8.0	1.2	3.5							8.0												
	34	18015		8.7			2.2						7.7												
	35	18118	2.4	9.4												0.8									2.0
Sri Lanka	36	18119	2.3	8.7	1.2	3.8																			
	37	18120		8.7																					
	38	18286		9.6																					
	39	18287	2.2	9.6												0.5									1.4
Vietnam	40	18288	2.3	9.7																					
	41	18085	2.9	9.1		3.7																			1.3
	42	18086		8.9																					
	43	18127		8.6																					
Region mean	44	18128	2.7	9.7		4.0	2.3								0.5					9.8					2.0
	45	18152		7.9		3.8	2.3								0.6					9.8	3.3				1.6

**Appendix 2.2 (cont'd)** Mean values for height growth (Ht) in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov No.	CSIRO No.	Introduced – Africa														
			IPT-15 26mo	IPT-16 48mo	IPT-17 12mo	IPT-18 12mo	IPT-19 18mo	IPT-20 36mo	IPT-21 18mo	IPT-22 47mo	IPT-23 47mo	IPT-24 24mo	IPT-25 14mo				
Benin	46	18355	3.2	9.4						8.5							
Egypt	47	18122	1.7	7.6		3.0	2.1						5.3			2.7	
	48	18125		8.7		2.7			0.6					10.1	3.0	1.0	
	49	18126		7.2				2.3						8.6	2.6		
Kenya	50	18134	1.8	9.3	0.9	2.8			0.6						1.9	1.6	
	51	18135		8.8				2.3	9.4								
	52	18136		9.1				1.7									
	53	18137	1.2	9.2		2.6									2.5	1.2	
	54	18141		8.8													
	55	18142		8.8													
	56	18143		7.0													
	57	18144		8.8									7.4				
Mauritius	58	18565		8.5				2.1									
<b>Region mean</b>			2.0	8.6	0.9	2.8		2.1		8.9	0.6		6.3	9.1	2.6	1.3	
Puerto Rico	59	18752															
<b>Overall mean</b>			2.3	8.8	1.0	3.7		2.1		8.1	0.6		6.5	9.0	3.0	1.5	
		RMS	0.2569	0.9596	0.0601	0.0616		0.1563		1.2820	0.0103		2.2280	0.5655	0.3952	0.1023	
		SED	0.36	0.69	0.17	0.18		0.28		0.80	0.07		0.61	0.61	0.44	0.26	
		Prov.	*	**	ns	***		ns		ns	***		ns	ns	ns	***	
		Country	***	***	ns	***		ns	*	*	**		***	*	ns	*	
		Region	*	***	*	***		ns	**	**	ns		ns	***	**	ns	

Note: RMS = residual mean square; SED = standard error of differences; Prov. = provenances; ns = not significant; \* = significant  $P < 0.05$ ; \*\* = significant  $P < 0.01$ ; \*\*\* = significant  $P < 0.001$ .



**Appendix 2.3** Mean values for diameter at breast height ( *Dbh*) growth in international provenance trials of *Casuarina equisetifolia*.

Country of origin	Prov No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-15	IPT-16	IPT-18	IPT-19	IPT-20	IPT-22	IPT-23
			26mo	48mo	12mo	18mo	36mo	47mo	47mo
<i>Natural – Australia/Pacific</i>									
Australia	1	15958		5.5	1.2	0.8	4.0	2.3	3.0
	2	16166		6.1		0.8	5.5		3.5
	3	18008	1.7	5.2	1.8		5.1		
	4	18378		5.1					
PNG	5	18153	1.6	6.6	2.5	1.1		3.9	4.5
Fiji	6	18270		5.9	1.4				
	7	18271		4.9	1.7		4.3		
	8	18272		4.8		0.9			
Guam	9	18121	1.0	5.4		1.0	3.6		
Solomon	10	18402		6.3					
	11	18403		6.9					
Vanuatu	12	18312	1.7	6.9		1.0			
Tonga	12a	18040							
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>1.5</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>3.7</b>
<i>Natural – Southeast Asia</i>									
Malaysia	13	18157		6.7	2.6				
	14	18158		7.4	2.7				
	15	18160		6.8		1.0		3.4	
	16	18161		6.3					
	17	18244		7.6	2.4		5.4	3.6	4.0
	18	18348		6.3		0.8			
	19	18374		6.8					
	20	18375		6.3					
	21	18376		9.2					

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Country of origin	Prov No.	CSIRO No.	IPT-15		IPT-16		IPT-18		IPT-19		IPT-20		IPT-22		IPT-23	
			26mo	48mo	12mo	18mo	36mo	47mo	47mo	47mo						
Philippines	22	18117			1.2											
	23	18154	1.6	5.8	1.8	1.3									4.1	
	24	18357														
Thailand	25	18296	1.2	6.6		0.8							4.0			
	26	18297	1.6	6.7				6.0								
	27	18298	0.8	7.7	2.6											
	28	18299		7.8	2.6	0.6							4.2			
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>1.3</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>0.9</b>		<b>5.7</b>	<b>3.8</b>						<b>4.1</b>	
<i>Introduced – Asia</i>																
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	30	18268	1.6	6.2	2.1	0.8					5.3		3.6			4.5
	31	18586									6.0					
India	32	18013	1.9	6.1	2.0								3.7			
	33	18014	1.9	6.0	2.0						5.6					
	34	18015		5.9		1.0					4.5					
	35	18118	1.9	7.0									3.3			
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	45	18152		5.3		1.2							3.7			4.5

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	56	18143		5.0												
	57	18144		5.6									3.5			
Mauritius	58	18565		6.3		0.8										4.0
<b>Region mean</b>			<b>1.2</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>4.2</b>							
Puerto Rico	59	18752														
<b>Overall mean</b>			<b>1.5</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>4.1</b>							
		RMS	0.1625	0.8011	0.0539	0.0689	0.5175	0.8857	0.2402							
		SED	0.29	0.63	0.16	0.19	0.51	0.38	0.40							
		Prov.	ns	**	**	ns	*	ns	ns				ns	ns	ns	ns
		Country	***	***	***	ns	*	***	***				***	***	*	*
		Region	*	***	***	*	***	***	**				**	**	**	ns

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