

*Mallotus philippinensis* Muell. Arg.



Collection Site: Mehal

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**Common/Local Name (s):** Kamalu, Kamala, Sindoor Plant, Kampillaka, Kabila, Shendri.

**Family:** Euphorbiaceae.

**Botanical Description:**

Evergreen, highly branched tree with a round trunk; bark is dark in colour; leaves are alternate, opposite, long petiolated, with a sharp tip; flowers are small; panicle raceme; fruits are globose, orange-red; 3 lobed capsule; seeds are black, round, and smooth.

**Flowering/ Fruiting:** October-April.

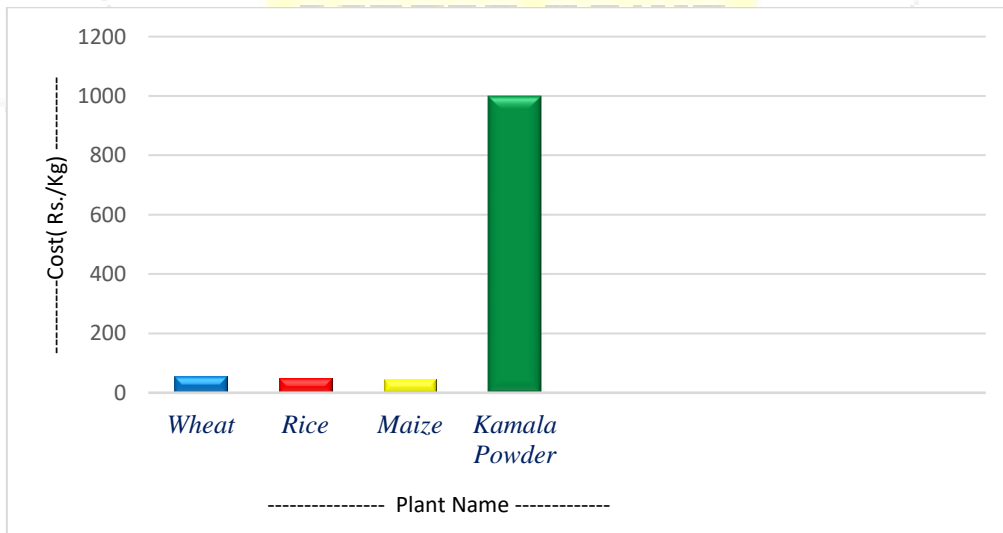
**Part Used:** Leaves, roots, hairs of fruit.

**Cultivation:** Wild.

**Longitude:** 76°36'01"E.

**Latitude:** 31°37'21"N.

**Altitude:** 821m.



**Fig. 4.63** Economic potential of *Mallotus philippinensis* in comparison to conventional crops