

BEKAK

Scientific Name	: <i>Amoora malaccensis</i> Ridl.
Common Name	: Bekak
Names Pronounced by Malays	: Bekak
Names Pronounced by Indian	: Bekak
Names Pronounced by Siamese	: Kalbang
Family	: Fabaceae

Morphological Description

A 20-meter-tall, medium-sized tree with few branches. Compound leaves have an oval shape, are medium in size, nearly similar in width, short stems, and immature shoots are greenish yellow.

Ecological Distribution

Lowland and hill forests

Status in Malaysia

Widespread

Usage

Snake bite cure

Method

Flowers are squeezed and fostered on the bite mark.

Usable Parts

Flowers

