

Results of the 2013 Survey of *Casuarinaceae* Populations in the Philippines

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Abstract

An initial survey to determine the occurrence of *Casuarinaceae* populations across the Philippines archipelago indicated potential natural populations for further investigation. Natural populations of trees have been observed in areas above 1,000 meters above sea level in Mindanao. These populations have not been included in earlier *Casuarina* seed collections and domestication programs. Seed and specimens have been collected for taxonomic identification. The paper summarizes the results of the field survey.