

# Threatened Plants of West Bengal

Family/ Scientific Name	RDB Status	Distribution sites & Average altitude
<b>ACERACEAE</b>		
<i>Acer hookeri</i>	Endangered	Darjeeling, 600-1500 m.
<i>Acer osmastonii</i>	Endangered	Darjeeling (endemic), Salombong, Birch hill.
<b>APIACEAE</b>		
<i>Pimpinella tongloensis</i>	Endangered	Endemic to Singaleela range in the Darjeeling-Sikkim Himalaya.
<b>ARECACEAE</b>		
<i>Phoenix rupicola</i>	Rare	450 m.
<b>BEGONIACEAE</b>		
<i>Begonia scutata</i>	Rare	Darjeeling, Peninsular India. 1000-1500 m.
<b>CAMPANULACEAE</b>		
<i>Codonopsis affinis</i>	Rare	Darjeeling and Sikkim Hiamalaya. 1830-3335 m.
<b>ORCHIDACEAE</b>		
<i>Bulleyia yunnanensis</i>	Rare	Darjeeling hills.
<i>Diplomeris hirsuta</i>	Vulnerable	Darjeeling. 1500-2000 m.
<b>POLYPODIACEAE</b>		
<i>Christiopteris tricuspis</i>	Indeterminate	Darjeeling.
<b>RUBIACEAE</b>		
<i>Hedyotis brunonis</i>	Rare	-
<i>Hedyotis scabra</i>	Rare	-
<i>Ophiorrhiza lurida</i>	Rare	Darjeeling. 300-1500 m.

## THELYPTERIDACEAE

*Christella clarkei* Vulnerable Darjeeling. 4000 m.

## VITACEAE

*Cissus spectabilis* Endangered Endemic to Sikkim and West Bengal.

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**Source:** *Red Data Book Plants of India (Nayar & Sastry 1987-88)*