

Biodiversity of fruit plants (edibles) at the Kentingan Campus of Universitas Sebelas Maret, Surakarta, Central Java, Indonesia

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Abstract

Urban areas have the potential to support food supply even in limited quantities due to limited green open land, including edible fruits. This study aims to determine the biodiversity of edible fruit plants at the Kentingan Campus of UNS, Surakarta, Central Java, Indonesia. Data were collected by survey methods with cruising techniques, accompanied by a calculation of the ecological index in December 2022. Survey methods with cruising techniques by exploring the campus area to collect the primary data, including the name of plant species, the number of individuals, coordinates, and fruit documentation found from each species. Data was processed and analyzed using the calculation of the ecological index. Meanwhile, secondary data was obtained from IUCN and POWO to determine conservation status and species authenticity. The results obtained there were 55 species from 25 family fruit plants with the Shannon-Wiener, Margalef, and Simpson Dominance Indexes with medium (3.17), high (7.30), and low (0.077) categories, respectively. Some species have the highest number of individuals, namely Musa x paradisiaca L. (Musaceae) (327 individuals). Aside, Mangifera indica L. (Anacardiaceae) is a species found in all locations. From the data obtained, there were several fruit plants with 23 species of LC and DD conservation statuses, as many as two species. Meanwhile, based on data from POWO, several fruit plants were native to Indonesian plants, namely Durio zibethinus Murray, Averrhoa bilimbi L., and Averrhoa carambola L.

Keywords: Family, Margalef Index, Shannon-Wiener Index, Simpson Index, species



Introduction

Biodiversity is the appointment of the term variation in the variability of living things on earth. Biodiversity includes habitat diversity, species diversity, to genetic diversity. Biodiversity is a gift from God as a natural wealth that can provide various benefits in today life until the end. Plants, animals, microorganisms, genetics, and ecosystems built in it, which become the environment, are biodiversity. Plants are biodiversity that has great potential in their utilization to support the high needs of human life. Indonesia has a high biodiversity of plants. Therefore, a region's high level of biodiversity will provide higher opportunities for utilization because more and more choices and reserves can be utilized³. Humans can use plants as raw materials for buildings, cosmetics, drugs, flavorings, food, etc. In the biodiversity of plants, some plants bear fruit, and some do not bear fruit. However, not all fruit plants can be eaten; some fruit cannot be eaten or must be processed first⁴.

One area that has a biodiversity of fruit plants are in urban areas. Biodiversity in urban areas acts as a vital resource, buffer, and balance of the environment played by the character of its ecosystems. Therefore, if urban areas are damaged, the city ecosystem will permanently change the type of habitat and diversity⁵. An urban area is where the community does activities⁶. Urban areas are the center of trade, social, and government activities. The dense activity in urban areas increases carbon emissions from fuel combustion⁷. The resulting emissions fly loose and accumulate in the free air. Amid urban density, some areas have a high potential for biodiversity. That is because the vegetation in urban areas generally aims to absorb carbon, aesthetics, and use fruiting. Plants that aim the main to absorb carbon can be easily found on the side of the road. At the same time, plants with aesthetic functions can be found in the yard or government area, while residents in their home yards usually cultivate fruiting plants. Various plants can be found in urban forest areas, city parks, green open spaces, residential homes, offices, roadside, and campus areas.

In Indonesia, fruiting plants can grow very well because of their location in the tropics. One location that potentially has many biodiversities of fruiting plants in Indonesia is the Universitas Sebelas Maret (UNS) Campus⁸. The Kentingan Campus of the UNS area is the main campus located on the street of Ir. Sutami No. 36, Kentingan, Jebres District, Surakarta City, Central Java Province, Indonesia, with an area of approximately 60 hectares. In 2014, UNS was established as a model of Green Campus development in Indonesia by the Minister of Environment, together with five other universities in Indonesia. UNS was rank seventh of ten of the most reviewed campuses in Indonesia9. This status makes UNS create a green campus environment, a large land to grow various plants, especially fruiting plants. Trees that have grown in the campus area include fruiting plants that have grown naturally since the campus's beginning, and some are deliberately planted in the campus area¹⁰. Fruiting plants in the campus area greatly benefited humans, especially campus residents. Their benefits can be used directly or indirectly. Direct benefits of fruiting plants, namely fruits that can be consumed and beneficial for health, that range from providing nutrition for the body and use as medicinal¹¹. In addition, the indirect benefits from the presence of fruit plants in the UNS campus area, including; as the creator of green space, food providers, improvement of microclimate, absorption of air pollution, reducing noise, and provide shading for humans, animals, and surrounding plants¹². However, the biodiversity data on the Kentingan Campus of UNS is still limited. Even information about the species of fruit-producing plants is minimal, so research is needed, especially regarding the diversity of fruit-producing plants on the

Kentingan Campus. The result could be used to further development and utilized by campus residents. Therefore, this study aims to determine the biodiversity of fruit plants (edibles) at the Kentingan Campus of UNS.

Materials and methods

Study area

Data was collected in December 2022 at the Kentingan Campus of UNS on -7.559414682775181, 110.85644487064242 (**Figure 1**). The data collection area covered the Kentingan Campus of the UNS area, both plants in the building and building-free areas (**Figure 2**). Data collection included all plants that thrive in the campus area, both wild and deliberately planted plants.

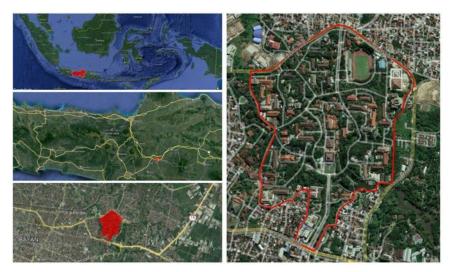


Figure 1. Research locations at Kentingan Campus of UNS, Surakarta, Central Java, Indonesia

Data collection

Survey methods with cruising techniques have been conducted in this research. According to the National Library of Medicine site, the survey method was a research method that aimed to collect large amounts of data in the form of variables, units, or individuals at the same time. Besides, data were collected through certain individuals or physical samples to generalize what was studied. Meanwhile, cruising techniques apply an exploration, observation, experiment, and discussion approach¹³. Therefore, to collect the necessary data, the survey method with the cruising techniques has been carried out by exploring UNS area. Furthermore, team observed with recording; naming plant species, number, and plant coordinates; and documenting each species (**Figure 5**). Specific species identified were recorded based on the location and number. Additionally, secondary data was taken from International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) and Plant of the World Online (POWO) to find out the conservation status and the origin of plants at UNS. The certainty of the scientific name was based on POWO. Subsequently, ecological index calculation was also obtained from the Shannon-Wiener Diversity Index (H'), Simpson Dominance Index (D), and Margalef Species Richness Index (E).

Ecological index calculation

From the species data, the number of species and individuals that have been obtained were then calculated using the H' for the diversity of fruit plant species, D to determine species richness as well the

balance of the number of individuals in each species, and E to determine the evenness of each species in community encountered in UNS, with the following explanation¹⁴:

Shannon-Wiener Diversity Index (H')

$$H' = \sum pi \times \ln pi$$

Where:

H' = Shannon-Wiener diversity index

Pi = number of individuals of the i species divided by the total number of individuals

According to Krebs (1989)¹⁵, the higher the value of H ', the higher the value of diversity, with the total classification, namely low (H' <1.5), medium (1.5<H'<3.5), and high (H' >3.5) diversity.

Simpson Dominance Index (D)

$$D = \sum_{1}^{S} \frac{ni (ni-1)}{N (N-1)}$$

Where:

D = Simpson dominance index

ni = number of individuals of the i species

N = total number of individuals

According to Odum $(1971)^{16}$, D ranges from 0-1.0 if the smaller dominant index value shows the absence of species that dominates and vice versa. The D has three categories including: low (D <0.5), medium (0.5 < D < 0.75), and high (0.75 < D < 1.0) dominances.

Margalef Species Richness Index (E)

$$R = \frac{s-1}{\ln(N)}$$

Where:

R = Margalef richness index

S = total number of species

N = total number of individuals found

According to Magurran (1998)¹⁷, the classification of determining the type of wealth for E, consisted low (R \leq 3.5), medium (3.5 \leq R \leq 5), and high (R \leq 5.0) richness.

Data analysis

The results of the biodiversity data of the fruit plants obtained will be analyzed descriptively with the tables, graphs and result of Ecological index calculation that have been made and the images obtained (**Figure 5**). According to Kim et al. (2017)¹⁸, descriptive analysis aims to describe better or describe factually, accurately, and systematically facts, nature, or relationships between phenomena being studied.

Table 1. Ecological index calculation results of edible fruit plants at Ketingan Campus, UNS, Surakarta, Central Java, Indonesia

Index	Result		
	Value	Category	
H"	3.17	Medium	
D	0.077	Low	
R	7.30	High	

Results

Biodiversity

The biodiversity of fruit plants found on the Kentingan Campus UNS had 55 species that deliberately planted by campus residents (**Table 2**). Fifty five species found consisted of 25 families (**Figure 3**). Of the 55 species, most were *Musa x paradisiaca* L. (Musaceae) of 327 trees (**Figure 4**) found in 9 points. On the other hand, *Mangifera indica* L. (Anacardiaceae) is a species found in all locations with 237 trees. Fruit trees were mostly found on the Faculty of Agriculture, as many as 224 individuals (**Figure 4**) 36 species among them were fruit plants (**Table 2**).

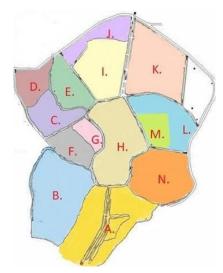


Figure 2. Map of the station located at Kentingan Campus of UNS, Surakarta, Central Java, Indonesia. Note: A. UNS INN-LPPM-SPMB-Menwa-LPPM, B. Faculty of Engineering, C. Faculty of Business Economics, D. Faculty of Social and Political Sciences, E. Faculty of Law, F. Faculty of Fine Art Design-UPTP2B, G. Faculty of Language Sciences, H. Rectorate-Auditorium-Integrated Library-Laboratory, I. Faculty of Teacher Training and Education-Pasca, J. Religion, K. Portsima-Gor-Stadium-Javanology, L. Faculty of Medicine, M. Faculty of Mathematics and Science Natural Knowledge, and N. Faculty of Agriculture

Moreover, most species come from Moraceae, Myrtaceae, and Sapindaceae (**Table 2**, **Figure 3**). The Moraceae consisted of *Artocarpus altilis* (Parkinson) Fosberg, *A. camansi* Blanco, *A. integer* (Thunb.) Merr., *Ficus retusa* L., and *Morus alba* L. (**Figure 5**). Like Moraceae, the Myrtaceae was also the most found consisting of 5 species, including *Syzygium malaceanse* (L.) Merr. & L.M.Perry, *Psidium guajava* L., *S. aqueum* (Burm.fil.) Alston, *S. cumini* (L.) Skeels, and *S. polyanthum* (Wight) Walp (**Figure 5**). In addition, Sapindaceae was consisted of *Blighia sapida* K.D.Koenig, *Dimocarpus longan* L., *Nephelium lappaceum* L., *Pometia pinnata* J.R.Forst. & G.Forst., and *Schleichera oleosa* (Lour.) Oken. Meanwhile, the survey conducted at the Kentingan Campus also found a few families consisting of only one species, namely in the Apocynaceae, Burseraceae, Caricaceae, Cactaceae, Cucurbitaceae, Ebenaceae, Lauraceae, Muntingiaceae, Musaceae, Phyllanthaceae, Rubiaceae, and Vitaceae families (**Table 2**, **Figure 3**). Furthermore, 3 fruit plants were included in the Deficient Data (DD) and other 23 were categorized as Least Concern (LC) (**Table 2**). Also, found 3 Indonesian endemic fruit plants like *Durio zibethinus*¹⁹, *Averrhoa bilimbi*²⁰, and *A. carambola*²¹.

Ecological index

Based on the calculation of the H', the fruit plant diversity index on the Kentingan Campus obtained an index value of 3.17. Thus, the diversity of fruit plants was categorized as moderate¹⁵. This calculation is obtained from the total individual found multiplied by the difference in the species. Aside that, the species dominant index value (D) of the site was 0.077 which means it is in low category. Meanwhile, E calculation found a value of 7.30 meaning the species' wealth is relatively high (**Table 1**).

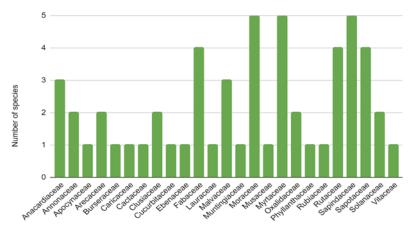


Figure 3. The large number of species in the family plant at the Kentingan Campus of UNS, Surakarta, Central Java, Indonesia

Discussion

The study results identified 55 species of fruit plants from 25 families in the field (Table 2, Figure 3). Moraceae, Myrtaceae, and Sapindaceae families had the highest number of species compared to others: each of 5 consisted a total of individuals of respective 20, 155, and 144 individuals (Figure 4). The Moraceae is the family of tropical forest plants²². Additionally, it is relatively large so it is easily found in tropical regions, consisting of 60 genera covering 1,400 species²³. Fruit plants in the Moraceae found at the site include on Figure 5R-5V and Table 2. Family Moraceae has various benefits for human life, such as being food, fruit, medicinal sources, ornamental plants, rubber, animal feed, wood, silkworm feed, and rigging²⁴. Myrtaceae is also classified as large family with most tropical region inhabitants²⁵. Various members of them produce essential oils with medicinal properties; others are fruit trees. Myrtaceae is one of the world's leading commercial fruit tree families. It has a broad species of around 5,800 trees that can be eaten with excellent nutritional values and distributed around the tropical and subtropical regions. Therefore, this family has great health and economic potential²⁶. The Myrtaceae fruit plants found at the study site could be seen on Figure 5X-5AB and Table 2. Then, the Sapindaceae was also found in many fruit plants with more than 1,000 species by extensive distribution in the tropical and warm subtropical regions and most species originated from Asia²⁷. The Sapindaceae found at the study site include on Figure 5AJ-5AN and Table 2. This family is used by many fruits.

The diversity of fruit plants in Indonesia has also been proven in several locations, such as research conducted in the campus yard of the Universitas Kristen Indonesia (UKI) with fruit plants found, namely 16 species from 8 families. Starfruit plant (*A. carambola*), mango (*M. indica*), guava (*P. guajava*), and water guava (*S. aqueum*) were the most common fruit-producing plants found²⁸. The diversity of fruit plants was also found at campus 2 of the Universitas Islam Negri (UIN), Walisongo,

Semarang, with 4 zones29. Fruit plants at that location include *M. x paradisiaca, Muntingia calabura* L., and *Physalis angulata* L., located in the 3rd zone²⁹. That zone had the most fruit plant species compared to other zones because it was incessantly carried out the Green Campus action. Also, several new fruit plant seeds have been planted, such as *M. indica*, *D. zibethinus*, *P. pinnata*, *D. longan*, and *N. lappaceum*. In addition, other fruit plant diversity was found at the Universitas Bangka Belitung Campus. In that location, the frequent found fruit plant consisted *A. integer* (Moraceae). That plant dominated and was 76 observed at all points³⁰. The *A. integer* was scattered with the highest amount because including plants that can grow well in the lowlands to a height of 1,000 meters above sea level. Furthermore, *A. integer* seeds can also be cooked and consumed besides using the fruit.

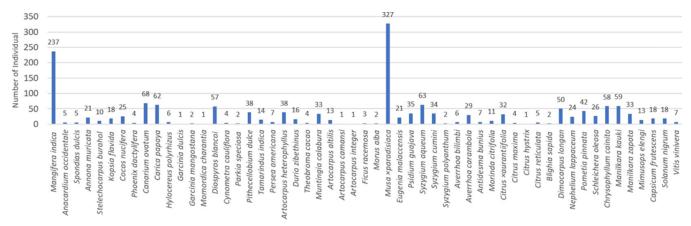


Figure 4. The large number of individuals per species at the Kentingan Campus of UNS, Surakarta, Central Java, Indonesia

Not only in Indonesia, was biodiversity of fruit plants also found at the University of Port Harcourt in Nigeria. There were 18 species from 14 families, with the most species being *M. indica* (Anacardiaceae) as many as 91 individuals³¹. The *M. indica* is an easily reproduced species and has become Nigeria's first fruit to be eaten as a dessert. Ugese et al. (2012)³² emphasized that *M. indica* produced a sufficient amount of household income for farmers in Nigeria, causing planting to be spread with a large numbers. Then, at Imam Abdulrahman bin Faisal University, Saudi Arabia had a diversity of fruit plants that are most commonly found, namely *Carissa macrocarpa* (Eckl.) A.DC. (Apocynaceae) with a total of 102 individuals³³. The *C. macrocarpa* is a plant that easily spreads in tropical and subtropical regions in Africa, Asia, and Australia and grows in various habitats worldwide, including Saudi Arabia³⁴.

Environmental factors, including human and biological characteristics of organisms influence fruit plant distribution and biodiversity growth. In the Kentingan Campus of UNS area, the average temperature ranges from 28-30°C with 75% humidity and an average height of 157 meter above sea level (masl)³⁵. That makes the Kentingan Campus suitable for growing tropical fruit plants such as bananas, mangoes, sapodilla, guava, oranges, and matoa. From the whole research data, some species have the highest number, namely banana (*M. x paradisiaca*) with a total of 327 individuals. Bananas are folk plants that can grow in almost all types of agroecosystems so these plants occupy the first position of extensive term compared to other fruit plants³⁶. Bananas can be consumed directly and processed into processed

foods such as fried bananas, chips, jams, and others. The other study was taken at the Institut Pertanian Bogor (IPB), Indonesia, which obtained M. x paradisiaca but did not species with the highest number³⁷.

Table 2. Species of edible fruit plants at Kentingan Campus, UNS, Surakarta, Central Java, Indonesia

Family	Name		Found at UNS		Conservation status	
	Scientific	Local	Individual	Station location	IUCN	POWO
Anacardiaceae	Mangifera indica L.	Mangga	237	A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N	DD	-
	Anacardium occidentale L.	Jambu mete	5	A, K, N	LC	-
	Spondias dulcis Sol. ex G.Forst.	Kedondo- ng	5	A, C, E	-	-
Annonaceae	Annona muricata L.	Sirsak	21	A, B, C, E, H, K, L, M	LC	-
	Stelechocarpus burahol (Blume) Hook.f. & Thomson	Kepel	10	A, E, H, K, M	-	-
Apocynaceae	Kopsia flavida Blume	Pronojiwo	18	A, E, N	-	-
Arecaceae	Cocos nucifera L.	Kelapa	25	H, J, N	-	-
	Phoenix dactylifera L.	Kurma	4	J	LC	-
Burseraceae	Canarium ovatum Engl.	Kenari	68	A, E, F, G, H, N	LC	-
Caricaceae	Carica papaya L.	Pepaya	62	A, B, D, E, H, I, J, L	DD	-
Cactaceae	Hylocereus polyrhizus (F.A.C.Weber) Britton & Rose	Buah naga	6	A, I, K, M	-	-
Clusiaceae	Garcinia dulcis (Roxb.) Kurz	Mundu	1	A	LC	-
	Garcinia mangostana L.	Manggis	2	A, H	-	-
Cucurbitaceae	Momordica charantia L.	Peria/pare	1	В	-	-
Ebenaceae	Diospyros blancoi A.DC.	Bisbul	57	A, B, C, D, F, H, I J, K, L, M, N	-	-
Fabaceae	Cynometra cauliflora L.	Namnam	4	A, F, K, M	-	-
	Parkia speciosa Hassk.	Petai	2	A, L	LC	-
	Pithecellobium dulce (Roxb.) Benth.	Asam londo	38	B, D, E, F, H, K, L, M, N	LC	-
	Tamarindus indica L.	Asam jawa	14	B, D, F, H, I, K, M, N	LC	-
Lauraceae	Persea americana Mill.	Alpukat	7	В, К, М	LC	-

Malvaceae	Artocarpus heterophyllus	Nangka	38	B, C, E, G, H, I, K,	_	
	Lam.			M, N		
	Durio zibethinus Murray	Durian	16	A, B, C, D, E, H, I, J, M, N	-	NI
	Theobroma cacao L.	Kakao	4	M, N	-	-
Muntingiaceae	Muntingia calabura L.	Kersen	33	B, D, G, H, I, J, K, L, N	-	-
Moraceae	Artocarpus altilis (Parkinson) Fosberg	Sukun	13	B, J, L, M, N	-	-
	Artocarpus camansi Blanco	Kluwih	1	A	-	-
	Artocarpus integer (Thunb.) Merr.	Cempedak	1	A	-	-
	Ficus retusa L.	Iprik/preh	3	C, E, I	-	-
	Morus alba L.	Murbei	2	D		_
Musaceae	Musa x paradisiaca L.	Pisang	327	A, B, G, H, I, J, L, M, N	LC	-
Myrtaceae	Syzygium malaccense (L.) Merr. & L.M.Perry	Jambu dersono	21	A, E, K, L, M, N,	LC	-
	Psidium guajava L.	Jambu biji	35	A, B, C, G, H, I, K, M, N	LC	-
	Syzygium aqueum (Burm.fil.) Alston	Jambu air	63	A, B, C, D, E, G, H, I, J, M, N	-	-
	Syzygium cumini (L.) Skeels	Duwet	34	A, B, D, F, H, I, K, M, N	LC	-
	Syzygium polyanthum (Wight) Walp.	Salam	2	А, В	-	-
Oxalidaceae	Averrhoa bilimbi L.	Belimbing sayur/wu- luh	6	A, E, G, I, M	-	NI
	Averrhoa carambola L.	Belimbing	29	A, B, C, F, H, I, K, L, M, N	-	NI
Phyllanthaceae	Antidesma bunius (L.) Spreng.	Buni	7	E, K	LC	-
Rubiaceae	Morinda citrifolia L.	Mengkudu	11	A, F, I, K, N	-	=
Rutaceae	Citrus ×aurantiifolia (Christm.) Swingle	Jeruk nipis	32	A, B, C, E, G, H, I, J, K	-	-
	Citrus maxima (Burm.) Merr.	Jeruk bali	4	B, D	LC	-
	Citrus hystrix DC.	Jeruk purut	1	N	-	-

	Citrus reticulata Blanco	Jeruk keprok	5	В	-	-
- -	Blighia sapida K.D.Koenig	Buah Ackee	2	N	LC	-
	Dimocarpus longan L.	Kelengke- ng	50	A, B, C, E, F, G, H, I, M, N	DD	-
	Nephelium lappaceum L.	Rambutan	24	A, B, H, I, K, M, N	LC	-
	Pometia pinnata J.R.Forst. & G.Forst.	Matoa	42	A, B, C, E, F, G, H, I, K, L, M, N	LC	-
	Schleichera oleosa (Lour.) Oken	Kesambi	26	A, G, H, K, M, N	LC	-
Sapotaceae	Chrysophyllum cainito L.	Kenitu/ sawo duren	58	A, B, C, D, E, G, H, I, J, K, L, N	LC	-
	Manilkara kauki (L.) Dubard	Sawo Kecik	59	A, B, C, E, G, H, I, K, N	-	-
	Manilkara zapota (L.) P.Royen	Sawo manila	33	A, B, F, H, I, J, K, L, M, N	LC	-
	Mimusops elengi L.	Tanjung	13	A, B, E, F, K, L, M, N	LC	-
Solanaceae	Capsicum frutescens L.	Cabai	18	A, B, C, I, K, N	LC	-
	Solanum nigrum L.	Leunca	18	A, B, C, D, F, I, J, N	-	-
Vitaceae	Vitis vinivera L.	Anggur	7	N	-	-

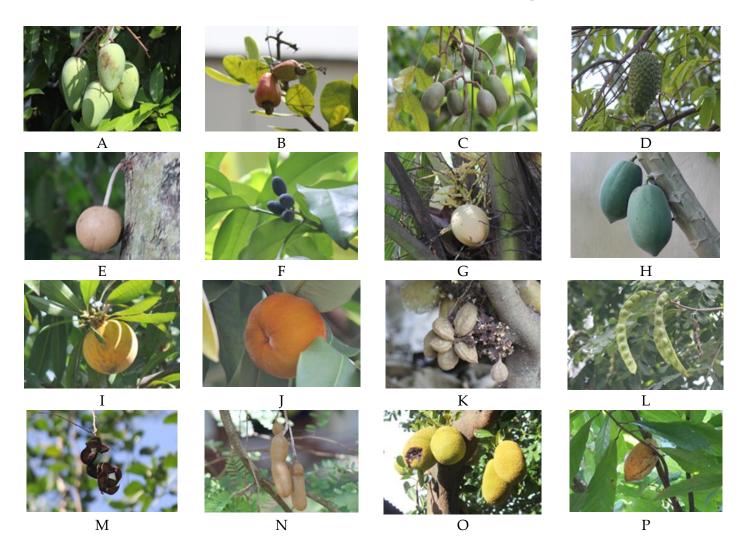
Note: A = UNS INN-LPPM-SPMB-Menwa-LPPM, B = Faculty of Engineering, C = Faculty of Business Economics, D = Faculty of Social and Political Sciences, E = Faculty of Law, F = Faculty of Fine Arts Design-UPTP2B, G = Faculty of Science Language, H = Rectorate-Auditorium-Integrated Libratorium, I = Faculty of Teacher Training and Education- Pasca, J = Religion, K = Portsima-Gor-Stadium-Javanology, L = Faculty of Medicine, M = Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences, N = Faculty of Agriculture; LC = Least Concern, DD = Data Deficient, Ni = Native to Indonesia, IUCN = International Union for Conservation of Nature, POWO = Plants of the World Online

However, different results in the plant diversity at the UNG campus and Universitas Tadulako (Untad), which did not obtain *M. x paradisiaca* species^{38,39}. In those locations, fruit plants at the site were dominated by *Cocos nucifera* L. with 34 individuals³⁹ for UNG and *Opuntia elatior* Mill. with 71 individuals³⁸ for Untad. *C. nucifera* is a plant widely found in humid tropical regions, such as Gorontalo, and has many benefits for human life⁴⁰. Likewise, *O. elatior* can be consumed and act as medicinal plants because they have strong antioxidant and anti-inflammatory contents⁴¹. The study of fruit plant diversity research was also conducted in the Gayo Plateau, Aceh, and recorded 38 species of fruit plants belonging to 19 families and the most found was the *A. integer*⁴². Then, another Aceh Province in Aceh Tamiang

District, conducted research in 3 villages (Tenggulun, Selamat, and Simpang Kiri Villages) with a total result of 39 species of 17 families with Rutaceae as the most families⁴³.

The H' is a calculation used to determine the value of species diversity in an area. The calculation results using this index are in the form of a diversity level including low, high, and medium⁴⁴. Based on this level, biodiversity at UNS was at point 3.19 which means moderate diversity or the environment is good for plant to grow¹⁵. The value of moderate diversity refers to calculating the relative abundance of species at a value of 1.5-3.5. In research on the diversity of plant species in the area of high conservation value of oil palm plantations in Riau Province, the results obtained were the number of plant species in the three companies showed 3.773 point⁴⁵. Moreover, the calculation of the H' was also used in research conducted by Chang et al. (2022)⁴⁶ in Changchun, China.

The D is a calculation of biodiversity measuring the centralized community's diversity of specific biodiversity in an area. This study shows the results the index value of 0.077 or low in category. As a result, no specific species dominates the community, as indicated by the dominance index being largely near to the value 0⁴⁷. This was contrast to the research by Rozak et al. (2020)⁴⁸, which appeared close to one, meaning that there was a dominant species that used the D calculation in one of the three indexes to compare and predicted the correlation among the three types of the index. Instance, calculating the D on trees showed a value of 0.91 in submontane, 0.92 in montane, and 0.84 in subalpine.



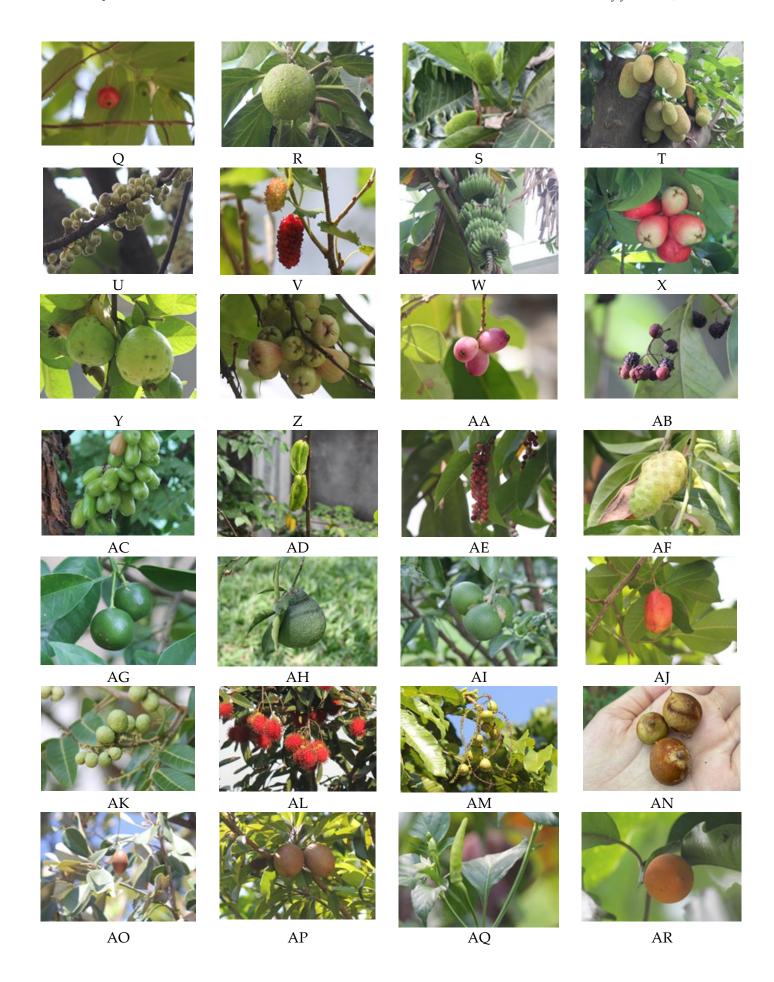




Figure 5. Some of edible fruits were documented during data collection at Kenting Campus, UNS, Surakarta, Central Java, Indonesia. Note: A = Mangifera indica, B = Anacardium occidentale, C = Spondias dulcis, D = Annona muricata, E = Stelechocarpus burahol, F = Kopsia flavida, G = Cocos nucifera, H = Carica papaya, I = Garcinia dulcis, J = Diospyros blancoi, K = Cynometra cauliflora, L = Parkia speciosa, M = Pithecellobium dulce, N = Tamarindus indica, O = Artocarpus heterophyllus, P = Theobroma cacao, Q = Muntingia calabura, R = Artocarpus altilis, S = Artocarpus camansi, T = Artocarpus integer, U = Ficus retusa, V = Morus alba, W = Musa x paradisiaca, X = Syzygium malaccense, Y = Psidium guajava, Z = Syzygium aqueum, AA = Syzygium cumini, AB = Syzygium polyanthum, AC = Averrhoa bilimbi , AD = Averrhoa carambola, AE = Antidesma bunius, AF = Morinda citrifolia, AG = Citrus × aurantiifolia, AH = Citrus maxima, AI = Citrus reticulata, AJ = Blighia sapida, AK = Dimocarpus longan, AL = Nephelium lappaceum, AM = Pometia pinnata, AN = Schleichera oleosa, AO = Manilkara kauki, AP = Manilkara zapota, AQ = Mimusops elengi, AR = Capsicum frutescens, AS = Solanum nigrum

The R is a calculation in finding the wealth of a species in an area. This study demonstrated the on the Kentingan Campus obtained 7.30, meaning the species wealth is relatively high. This condition illustrated that the campus environment had a high species of fruit trees. The high R indicates the species high diversity and showed that the environment suitable for plant that location⁴⁹. The same research was also conducted by Rahayu et al. (2017)⁵⁰, results R index in 3.20 for the community, whereas the ecosystem level was 2.10-2.33. Thus, this study included the overall R in the Rambut Island Wildlife Research was in the medium category.

The conservation status category in IUCN Red List is used by the IUCN, the Red List of Threatened to classify various species that are threatened with extinction⁵¹. In accordance with data on threatened fruit plants and conservation status from IUCN, Kentingan Campus of UNS showed that some fruit plants have LC and DD conservation status (**Table 2**). The status LC code or has a low risk unveiled the plant species have been evaluated but do not meet critical criteria⁵². There were fruit plants with LC status as many as 23 species that were the exceptionally fruit trees found on Kentingan Campus and come from the Sapindaceae. Besides that, the status of DD fruit plants on the Kentingan with three species of family like *M. indica*, *C. papaya*, and *D. longan* (**Table 2**). However, from the results of identification and IUCN website, there were also 29 species of fruit plants not included in the IUCN Red List list.

Per data from the POWO, several fruit plants on the Kentingan Campus are native to Indonesia including *D. zibethinus*, *A. bilimbi*, and *A. carambola*. According to Samantha et al. (2020)⁵³, original plants can be defined as plants that grow and develop naturally in the original conditions of these plants. Plant *D. zibethinus* is a native species of Borneo and Sumatra, Indonesia, suitable for growing in the tropical climate. The *D. zibethinus* is found in Southeast Asia which has a humid and shady environment for its growth⁵⁴. Therefore, the Kentingan Campus of UNS area is very suitable for overgrown *D. zibethinus*.

Durian is a fruit plant that is beneficial for health because it contains many antioxidants and bioactive compounds⁵⁵. Moreover, regarding Damayanti et al. (2020)⁵⁶, *A. bilimbi* and *A. carambola* are from the Oxalidaceae family, indigenous plants from Indonesia (**Figure 5AC**, **5AD**). Rahardhian et al. (2019)⁵⁷ also argue that *A. bilimbi* also original from Indonesia. This plant is rich in vitamin C. This plant suits the tropical climate can grow throughout Indonesia and many are cultivated in Southeast Asia and various other tropical countries. Therefore, *A. bilimbi* and *A. carambola* can grow well and spread with a large amount in the UNS campus area because it is under their habitat. In addition to these three species, 52 are non- original from Indonesia. These fruit plants can grow well in Indonesia because of the structure of environmental conditions are suitable due to tropical climate so they are easily to be planted, grow, and adapt^{58–60}.

The existence of fruit plants increases biodiversity at Kentingan Campus of UNS. In addition to being a source of food, it can be a supplier of oxygen and carbon absorbers. Flower and fruit plants can do higher photosynthesis activities to exchange carbon into oxygen faster and more effective. They found are in various regions, ranging from the park around the building, near the official buildings, and the parking lot. Besides, the fruit plants found and identified by the majority are woody that have the potential to filtering polluted substances in the soil and the air. Also, many areas are free of buildings embedded in much vegetation that makes the high water catchment area. Furthermore, the high vegetation cover can affect the microclimate of the campus which causes the temperature to be cooler and the high humidity level because plants can reflect sunlight.

Conclusions

In conclusion, 55 species of fruit plants from 25 families are found on the Kentingan Campus of UNS. The results of the H', D, and R calculations were in the medium, low, and high categories, which were 3.17, 0.077, and 7.30, as well. The Moraceae, Myrtaceae, and Sapindaceae families had the highest number of species compared to others, each of 5 species with a total in each family, 20, 155, and 144 individuals. Meanwhile, the species with the highest number is *M. x paradisiaca* (Musaceae) with 327 members. Aside, *M. indica* (Anacardiaceae) became a species found in all locations with 237 individuals. According to IUCN, 22 species had LC status and the other 2 had DD status. Besides, three fruit plants were native to Indonesia (*D. zibethinus*, *A. bilimbi*, and *A. carambola*) based on the POWO. These plants can grow well and spread in numerous numbers in the Kentingan Campus of UNS area due to their their suitable habitat.

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Conflicts of Interest

The authors declare no conflict of interest.

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