

BOTANICAL NAMEAlianthus excelsa

ENGLISH NAMEcoromandel ailanto

HINDI NAME- maharukh,
mahaneem

FAMILY- Simaroubaceae

DESCRIPTION:

- ❖ Large tree, deciduous.
- ❖ Bark grey, corky, thick, with intense vertical fissures.
- Leaves very large, feather compound, with 8 to 14 pairs of toothed leaflets
- Flowers small, greenish yellow in large clusters; male and female flowers usually on separate trees.
- Fruit a thin papery pod, pointed at both ends.

Uses:

- This tree has benefits in herbal medicine such as the bark of the trunk, which reduces fever, medicine for bronchitis, asthma, and dysentery.
- ❖ The tree can also be used in the matchstick industry.