

8. Patē (Patate)/ Seven finger

Schefflera digitata

A flowering tree common throughout NZ. Dry, soft wood.

Leaves

Hand shaped long leaves with 7-9 'fingers'. Opposite on stem.

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Fruit

White or dark purple (when ripe), very small round fruit

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Flowers

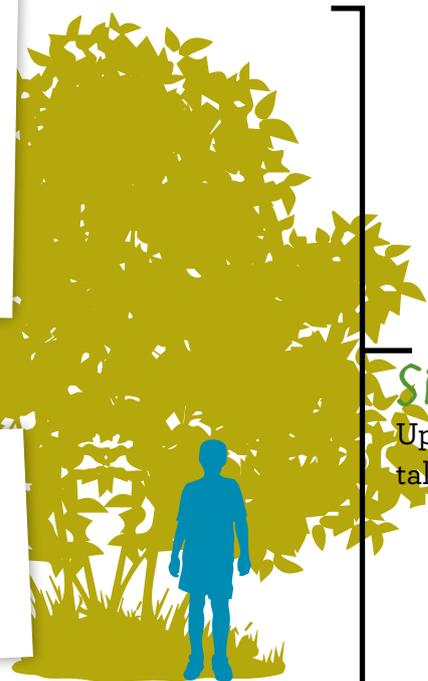
Flowers are small and green-cream colour. They hang in groups in summer



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Bark

Greenish-brown coloured bark.



Size

Up to 8m tall

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