

List of Mangrove associates					
Sr. No.	Family	Scientific name	Common Name	Type	
1	Salvadoraceae	<i>Salvadora persica</i>	Meswak	Mangrove Shrub	
2	Verbenaceae	<i>Clerodendrum inerme</i>	Glory Bower	Mangrove Shrub	
3	Acanthaceae	<i>Acanthus ilicifolius</i>	Sea Holly	Mongrove Shrub	
		<i>Hygrophila schulli</i>	Marsh Barbel	Herb	
<i>Hygrophila anriculata</i>		<i>Marsh Barbel</i>			
5		<i>Hygrophila spinosa</i>	-		
6		<i>Hygrophila sp.</i>	-		
7		Aizoaceae	<i>Sesuvium portulacastrum</i>	Sea purslane	Shrub
8		Amaranthaceae	<i>Alternanthera sessilis</i>	Sessile Joyweed	Shrub
9	<i>Celosia argentea</i>		<i>Cockscomb Crested</i>	Shrub	
10	Asteraceae	<i>Pluchea odorata</i>	Shrubby camphorweed	Herb	
11	Caesalpiniaceae	<i>Cassia sps.</i>	-	Shrub	
12	Chenopodeaceae	<i>Suaeda martime</i>	-	Herb	
13		<i>Suaeda nudiflora</i>		<i>Herb</i>	
14	Convolvulaceae	<i>Ipomoea sps.</i>	-	Herb	
15	Cyperaceae	<i>Cyperus rotundus</i>	Common Nut Sedge	Herb	
16		<i>Cyperus scariosus</i>	<i>Umbrella Sedge</i>	Herb	
17		<i>Fimbristylis ferrugine</i>		<i>Herb</i>	
18	Dioscoreaceae	<i>Dioscorea pentaphylla</i>	Five Leaf Yam	Climber	
19	Euphorbiaceae	<i>Euphorbia hispida</i>	Bristly Spurge	Herb	
20		<i>Euphorbia hirta</i>	<i>Asthma Weed</i>	Herb	
21	Fabaceae	<i>Derris trifoliata</i>	Common Derris	Climber	
22		<i>Derris pentaphylla</i>		<i>Climber</i>	
23		<i>Mucuna pruriens</i>	<i>Velvet Bean</i>	Climber	
24		<i>Abelmoschus manihot</i>	Sweet Hibiscus	Shrub	
25		<i>Abelmoschus sps</i>	<i>Hibiscus</i>	Shrub	
26		<i>Thespesia populnea</i>		Tree	
27		<i>Sida acuta</i>	Common Wireweed	Shrub	
28		<i>Acacia sps.</i>	-	Tree	
29		<i>Pithecellobium dulce</i>	Madras Thorn	Tree	
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31	Malvaceae	<i>Biophytum sensitivum</i>	Little Tree Plant	Shrub
32		<i>Cynodon dactylon</i>	Bermuda Grass	Herb
33		<i>Aeluropus lagopoides</i>		Grass
34		<i>Proteresia coarctata</i>		Herb
35		<i>Panicum sps.</i>		Herb
36		<i>Cressa critica</i>		Herb
37		<i>Tamarix troupii</i>		Herb