

### **PROJECT PROFILE**

**Title** : Diversity assessment of *Saraca asoca* (Roxb.) de Wilde for selection of superior chemotypes and mass propagation

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**Duration** : Four years

**Objectives**

1. Chemoprofiling of *Saraca asoca* to identify divergent material.
2. Formulation of a protocol for mass propagation of *Saraca asoca*.
3. Germplasm establishment in different locations.

**Funding Agency** : National Medicinal Plants Board

**Total Budget** : Rs. 35.106 lakhs