



Germination and dormancy in seed of *Dichrostachys cinerea*

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A study was conducted to determine the dormancy breakage and germination improvement of *Dichrostachys cinerea* seeds using different treatments which include: nicking; seed extract solution; acid and alcohol treatments (scarification with sulfuric acid, nitric acid, hydrochloric acid, methanol and ethanol for 2, 5 and 10 minutes); and salt treatments (stirred in potassium permanganate, hydrogen peroxide, sodium hypochlorite and sodium chloride for 10, 15 and 20 minutes).

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