

<p>A8 – Overall view</p>  <p>08 08 2024</p> <p>This photograph shows a tree (A8) in a construction site. The tree is supported by a protective structure consisting of a black mesh cylinder and a grey tarp roof held up by wooden poles. The tree is surrounded by a perimeter of grey and red plastic barriers. The ground is grassy.</p>	<p>A8 – Crown condition</p>  <p>08 08 2024</p> <p>This photograph shows the upper portion of the tree's crown, displaying dense green foliage against a clear blue sky with some light clouds.</p>
<p>A8 – Pruning wound previously damaged by typhoon KOINU (Oct 2023)</p>  <p>08 08 2024</p> <p>This close-up photograph shows a vertical cut on the tree trunk, which is a pruning wound. The wound is surrounded by green leaves and branches.</p>	<p>A8 – Trunk and root condition.</p>  <p>08 08 2024</p> <p>This photograph shows the lower part of the tree, including the trunk and the base of the protective structure. The trunk appears healthy and is supported by the same mesh and pole structure seen in the overall view.</p>

A12 - Overall View	A12 - Foliage density increased but is still low. Dieback observed.
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A12 – Dieback observed.	A12 – Trunk and root condition
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Manual watering was carried out for A8 during the reporting period. The watering frequency is one to two times per week.



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CCTV and fencing are in order.



Grass cutting and weeding were carried out on 20 August 2024



<p>CCTV Screen captures at day-time</p>  <p>2024年09月05日 星期四 08:55:24</p> <p>Camera 01</p>	<p>CCTV Screen captures at day-time</p>  <p>2024年09月05日 星期四 13:45:17</p> <p>Camera 01</p>
<p>CCTV Screen captures at night-time</p>  <p>2024年09月04日 星期三 19:24:57</p> <p>Camera 01</p>	<p>CCTV Screen captures at night-time</p>  <p>2024年09月04日 星期三 19:23:24</p> <p>Camera 01</p>

Tree Schedule for Survey of Plant Species of Conservation Importance

No.	Species		Conservation Status	Measurements			Tree Condition (Good(G) / Average(A) / Poor(P))			Recommendation (Retain / Transplant / Remove)	Findings	Remark
	Scientific Name	Chinese name		DBH (mm)	Height (m)	Crown (m)	Form	Health	Structure			
A8 (T8996)	<i>Aquilaria sinensis</i>	土沉香	RPPHK; Cap.586; IUCN:VU	110	5	4	P	A	P	Transplant	There was dieback. Insect feeding signs were previously observed (current infestation rate is low).	Originally located at Site 1. Trunk wounds were observed before transplant operation. Shallow root. Sudden defoliation happened in May 2023 but recovered in Aug 2023. It was translocated to the temporary holding nursery on 29 Sep 2023. A branch (5cm) was broken and foliage density decreased due to typhoon in Oct 2023.
A12 (T3537)	<i>Aquilaria sinensis</i>	土沉香	RPPHK; Cap.586; IUCN:VU	185	8	3	P	P	A	Transplant	There was dieback. The foliage density is low. Insect feeding signs were previously observed (current infestation rate is low).	Originally located at Site 5. Trunk wounds were observed before transplant operation. Shallow root. Original root ball was full of stones which were removed partially during the translocation. It was translocated to the temporary holding nursery on 29 Sep 2023. It collapsed during typhoon dated Oct 2023 resulted in largely reduction in foliage density.

*Note:

DBH refers to Trunk Diameter at Breast Height

The Tree preservation work commenced in Jul 2022

RPPHK - Species included in AFCD publication "Rare and Precious Plants of Hong Kong (2003)"

Cap.586 – Native plants listed in Protection of Endangered Species of Animals and Plants Ordinance, Cap. 586.

IUCN:VU – "Vulnerable" under IUCN Red List of Threatened Species