

Table 2.1. Sample plant character matrix for two sites and three characters.

	Bark	Leaf lobe sinuses	Fruit maturation
Site 1			
Plant A	tight	shallow	2 yrs
Plant B	tight	shallow	2 yrs
Plant C	platy	shallow	1 yr
Plant D	platy	shallow	1 yr
Site 2			
Plant E	platy	shallow	1 yr
Plant F	tight	shallow	2 yrs
Plant G	tight	shallow	2 yrs
Plant H	platy	deep	1 yr