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Species	English name	Clumper - runner - extinct	Max. height	Max. diameter	Brief species description
Acidosasa					Grow in south coastal China, and have sour shoots.
Acidosasa chienouensis	Powdery sour bamboo	Runner	4.6 metres (15 ft)	19 millimetres (0.75 in)	Culm sheaths green, glabrous, shorter than internodes, yellow-brown to brown setose
Acidosasa edulis	Sweet yellow bamboo	Runner	12 metres (39 ft)	51 millimetres (2.0 in)	Green glabrous culms, sheath turns brown, from green. The roots are often eaten, and are said to be delicious.
Actinocladum verticillatum			4.6 metres (15 ft)	14 millimetres (0.55 in)	A one-member genus distributed in western South America and Brazil.
Alvimia					
Ampelocalamus					
Ampelocalamus scandens	Climbing bamboo	Clumper	9.1 metres (30 ft)	7.6 millimetres (0.30 in)	Hangs loosely, or is scrambling. Nodes are slightly swollen. Nearly equal branches, central branches usually smaller than culms.
Apoclada simplex					A one-member genus found in the forests of southeastern Brazil.
Arthrostyidium					climbing bamboos found in the New World.
Arthrostyidium angustifolium					
Arthrostyidium auriculatum					
Arthrostyidium banaoense					
Arthrostyidium canaliculatum					
Arthrostyidium chiribiquetense					
Arthrostyidium cubense					
Arthrostyidium distichum					
Arthrostyidium ecuadoreense					
Arthrostyidium ekmanii					
Arthrostyidium excelsum					

Arthrostyloidium farctum					
Arthrostyloidium fimbriatum					
Arthrostyloidium fimbrinodum					
Arthrostyloidium grandifolium					
Arthrostyloidium haitiense					
Arthrostyloidium judziewiczii					
Arthrostyloidium longiflorum					
Arthrostyloidium merostachyoides					
Arthrostyloidium multispicatum					
Arthrostyloidium obtusatum					
Arthrostyloidium pubescens					
Arthrostyloidium punctulatum					
Arthrostyloidium reflexum					
Arthrostyloidium sarmentosum					
Arthrostyloidium scandens					
Arthrostyloidium schomburgkii					
Arthrostyloidium simpliciusculum					
Arthrostyloidium urbanii					
Arthrostyloidium venezuelae					
Arthrostyloidium virolinense					
Arthrostyloidium youngianum					
Arundinaria					New shoots grow only in spring. Many species put in this genus were later transferred to different genera.
Arundinaria appalachiana	Hill cane	Runner	1.5 metres (4 ft 11 in)	5.1 millimetres (0.20 in)	The culms have internodes that are smooth and cylindrical, but slightly tapering, sheaths are usually not shed, unusually small for bamboo
Arundinaria funghomii	None	Runner	9.1 metres (30 ft)	28 millimetres (1.1 in)	New culms are covered in gray blooms for most of first year. May be the same as Pseudosasa cantori

Arundinaria gigantea	River cane, canebrake	Runner	6.1 metres (20 ft)	25 millimetres (0.98 in)	Native to the United States. Can grow at temperatures as low as -23 °C.
Arundinaria gigantea Macon	Macon river cane	Runner	6.1 metres (20 ft)	25 millimetres (0.98 in)	Can grow at very low temperatures. Can survive at -32°C with only minor leaf burn.
Arundinaria tecta	Switch cane	Runner	1.8 metres (5 ft 11 in)	13 millimetres (0.51 in)	Like Arundinaria gigantea, but with persistent culm sheaths; can grow in soggy soil.
Athrostachys capitata					
Atractantha					
Aulonemia					
Aulonemia queko			15 metres (49 ft)	30 millimetres (1.2 in)	
Bambusa					Generally tropical bamboo, usually with many branches. New shoots appear in late fall.
Bambusa arnhemica	None	Clumper	7.6 metres (25 ft)	100 millimetres (3.9 in)	On Northern Australian coasts. Deciduous during dry season. Dense clumps, thick culms, short internodes, low branches.
Bambusa balcooa	None	Clumper	18 metres (59 ft)	150 millimetres (5.9 in)	From India. Has tangled clumps which make it difficult to harvest. They are strong, and are often used in construction.
Bambusa bambos	Giant thorny	Clumper	30 metres (98 ft)	180 millimetres (7.1 in)	Fast growing, with thick walls. Lower branches are long and covered with thorns. Has edible shoots, and is used to make paper in India.
Bambusa basihirsuta	Flat bamboo	Clumper	12 metres (39 ft)	76 millimetres (3.0 in)	Tight erect clumps
Bambusa beecheyana	Beechey bamboo	Clumper	15 metres (49 ft)	130 millimetres (5.1 in)	Culms with short internodes, covered with white powder when young, usually arch strongly, shoots often eaten.

Bambusa beecheyana var. pubescens	None	Clumper	15 metres (49 ft)	130 millimetres (5.1 in)	Same as regular Bambusa beecheyana, but more erect, with thicker nodal hair, and it branches lower.
Bambusa blumeana	spiny bamboo	Clumper	18 metres (59 ft)	100 millimetres (3.9 in)	Tall thorny bamboo indigenous to India and Indonesia. Used for building material and baskets. Shoots eaten.
Bambusa boniopsis	None	Clumper	4.6 metres (15 ft)	2.5 centimetres (0.98 in)	A small green bamboo with narrow leaves. Indigenous to Hainan
Bambusa burmanica	Burmese bamboo	Clumper	4.6 metres (15 ft)	2.5 centimetres (0.98 in)	Nearly solid culms, with large leaves that can be up to a foot long; dense clumps with spiky low branches.
Bambusa chungii	None	Clumper	9.1 metres (30 ft)	51 millimetres (2.0 in)	Thin-walled culms are covered with white powder.
Bambusa chungii var. barbelatta	None	Clumper	6.7 metres (22 ft)	38 millimetres (1.5 in)	Light ring of hair around new culm nodes, and a loose sheath blade.
Bambusa cornigera	Bull's horn bamboo	Clumper	11 metres (36 ft)	76 millimetres (3.0 in)	Culms are zigzag and internodes are curved.
Bambusa dissimulator	None	Clumper	15 metres (49 ft)	76 millimetres (3.0 in)	A giant tropical bamboo that has tough culms with long branches.
Bambusa dissimulator Albinodia	None	Clumper	15 metres (49 ft)	76 millimetres (3.0 in)	A giant tropical bamboo that has tough culms with long branches. There are white rings above and below the nodes.
Bambusa distegia	None	Clumper	9.1 metres (30 ft)	100 millimetres (3.9 in)	Has green internodes, and bends slightly at the top. It also tolerates light frosts.
Bambusa dolichoclada	Long-branch bamboo	Clumper	20 metres (66 ft)	10 centimetres (3.9 in)	Has slightly drooping internodes, flat nodes, thick walls, and a thin layer of white powder on it.

Bambusa dolichoclada Stripe	None	Clumper	21 metres (69 ft)	10 centimetres (3.9 in)	Has slightly drooping internodes, flat nodes, thick walls, thin creamy yellow stripes, and a thin layer of white powder on it.
Bambusa dolichomerithalla					Another name for Bambusa multiplex
Bambusa emeiensis Chrysotrichus	None	Clumper	12 metres (39 ft)	5 centimetres (2.0 in)	Originally known as Neosinocalamus affinis, but name was later changed to Bambusa emeiensis.
Bambusa emeiensis Flavidovirens	None	Clumper	12.5 metres (41 ft)	6.2 centimetres (2.4 in)	Originally known as Neosinocalamus affinis, but name was later changed to Bambusa emeiensis. Pale yellow with green vertical stripes
Bambusa emeiensis Viridiflavus	None	Clumper	12.5 metres (41 ft)	7 centimetres (2.8 in)	Originally known as Neosinocalamus affinis, but name was later changed to Bambusa emeiensis. Has erect culms and yellow stripes.
Bambusa eutuldoides	None	Clumper	15 metres (49 ft)	50 millimetres (2.0 in)	Straight thick walled culms, with fine white stripes.
Bambusa eutuldoides Viridivittata	None	Clumper	2.8 metres (9 ft 2 in)	2.5 centimetres (0.98 in)	Yellow internodes with green stripes. Shoots have peach tones
Bambusa flexuosa	None	Clumper	7.5 metres (25 ft)	6 centimetres (2.4 in)	There is a ring of silky brown hair beneath each node, and few branches.
Bambusa fulda	None	Clumper	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown
Bambusa gibba	Mud bamboo	Clumper	7.5 metres (25 ft)	5 centimetres (2.0 in)	Side branches have soft spines. An oil can be extracted from the culms.
Bambusa glaucophylla	Malay dwarf	Clumper	4.5 metres (15 ft)	2.5 centimetres (0.98 in)	Dense bushy and easy to prune. Often sold as a decorative hedge.
Bambusa intermedia	None	Clumper	7.5 metres (25 ft)	50 millimetres (2.0 in)	Dark green with purple stripes

Bambusa lako	Timor black	Clumper	17.5 metres (57 ft)	8.8 centimetres (3.5 in)	Deep purple almost black culms, with faint green stripes. has low branches and green leaf sheaths. Closely related to Gigantochloa atroviolacea.
Bambusa lapidea	Horsehoof bamboo	Clumper	10.5 metres (34 ft)	8.8 centimetres (3.5 in)	Thick walled culms almost solid at base.
Bambusa longispiculata	None	Clumper	11.5 metres (38 ft)	10 centimetres (3.9 in)	Green clums with light green stripes near node rings. Open clumps, and thin walls.
Bambusa luteostriata	None	Clumper	30 feet (9.1 m)	2 inches (51 mm)	Erect with full foliage at top. Green with white stripes.
Bambusa maculata	None	Clumper	Unknown	Unknown	Spotchy canes when mature.
Bambusa malingensis	None	Clumper	35 feet (11 m)	2.5 inches (64 mm)	Tolerates wind well. Medium-sized, but grows taller in shade.
Bambusa membranacea	None	Clumper	70 feet (21 m)	4 inches (100 mm)	Strong growing bamboo with straight culms and loose clumps.
Bambusa multiplex	Hedge bamboo	Clumper	25 feet (7.6 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	Every node has a large number of branches from top to bottom, hence the name hedge bamboo.
Bambusa multiplex Alphonse Karr	None	Clumper	25 feet (7.6 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	Every node has a large number of branches from top to bottom. The leaves are yellow with irregular green stripes.
Bambusa multiplex Fernleaf	Fernleaf bamboo	Clumper	20 feet (6.1 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Have about 15 closely spaced two-rank leaves.
Bambusa multiplex Fernleaf Stripestem	Fernleaf stripestem bamboo	Clumper	12 feet (3.7 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Reddish yellow culms with green stripes.
Bambusa multiplex Golden Goddess	None	Clumper	10 feet (3.0 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	A dwarf form of Bambusa multiplex fernleaf except with larger leaves and yellow culms.
Bambusa multiplex Goldstripe	None	Clumper	25 feet (7.6 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	Mature culms have a gold stripe that fades into green.
Bambusa multiplex Midori Green	Green Alphonse	Clumper	15 feet (4.6 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	Culms and branches are light green with dark green stripes

Bambusa multiplex Riviereorum	Chinese Goddess	Clumper	6 feet (1.8 m)	0.3 inches (7.6 mm)	Has solid culms and tiny leaves
Bambusa multiplex Silverstripe	None	Clumper	25 feet (7.6 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	White stripes on the leaves and many culms also have white leaves.
Bambusa multiplex Tiny Fern	None	Clumper	3 feet (0.91 m)	0.2 inches (5.1 mm)	A dwarf species with tiny leaves under 1 inch (25 mm) long.
Bambusa multiplex Tiny Fern Striped	None	Clumper	3 feet (0.91 m)	0.2 inches (5.1 mm)	A dwarf species with tiny leaves under 1 inch (25 mm) long and striped culms.
Bambusa multiplex Willowy	Wang Tsai	Clumper	10 feet (3.0 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Strongly arched culms with narrow leaves.
Bambusa multiplex	'Silverstripe'	Clumper	45 feet (14 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	
Bambusa multiplex	'Tiny Fern'	Clumper	3 feet (0.91 m)	0.10 inches (2.5 mm)	
Bambusa mutabilis		Clumper	20 feet (6.1 m)	2.0 inches (51 mm)	
Bambusa nutans	None	Clumper	40 feet (12 m)	3 inches (76 mm)	Culms have a white ring below the nodes.
Bambusa odashimae	None	Clumper	65 feet (20 m)	3 inches (76 mm)	Has dark green leaves and edible shoots
Bambusa odashime × B. tuldooides	None	Clumper	Unknown	Unknown	Erect with long internodes.
Bambusa oldhamii	Giant timber	Clumper	55 feet (17 m)	4 inches (100 mm)	Has erect culms, short branches, and wide leaves.
Bambusa oliveriana	None	Clumper	45 feet (14 m)	2 inches (51 mm)	Dense clumps with thick walled, glossy green culms.
Bambusa pachinensis	None	Clumper	33 feet (10 m)	2.4 inches (61 mm)	Medium size with yellow culms.
Bambusa pallida	None				
Bambusa pervariabilis	None	Clumper	33 feet (10 m)	2.4 inches (61 mm)	Erect, thick walled, and lower culms have branches and yellow stripes.
Bambusa pervariabilis Viridistriatus	None	Clumper	33 feet (10 m)	2.4 inches (61 mm)	New shoots are yellow with green stripes, maturing to a darker yellow with dark green stripes.
Bambusa polymorpha	None	Clumper	30 metres (98 ft)		Culms are green, covered with whitish brown hair, and become brownish green when drying
Bambusa rigida	None	Clumper	40 feet (12 m)	2.3 inches (58 mm)	Erect with long internodes. There are many branches at each node.
Bambusa rutila	None	Clumper	40 feet (12 m)	2 inches (51 mm)	Thick walls, lower culms zigzag, nodes are swollen and have white hairs.

Bambusa sinospinosa	Chinese thorny	Clumper	70 feet (21 m)	5 inches (130 mm)	Has many thorny branches, and small leaves.
Bambusa sinospinosa Hirose	None	Clumper	55 feet (17 m)	5 inches (130 mm)	Forms tight clumps.
Bambusa sinospinosa Clone X	None	Clumper	75 feet (23 m)	2.8 inches (71 mm)	A vigorous bamboo with extremely thick walls. Classification unknown.
Bambusa sinospinosa Nana	None	Clumper	Unknown	Unknown	Straight, strong, with yellow stripes.
Bambusa sinospinosa Polymorpha	None	Clumper	65 feet (20 m)	6 inches (150 mm)	Green culms covered with silky gray hair, and short, slender branches. Classification uncertain.
Bambusa sinospinosa Richard Waldron	None	Clumper	10 feet (3.0 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Compact and erect. Classification and origin uncertain.
Bambusa stenostachya	None	Clumper	70 feet (21 m)	6 inches (150 mm)	Internodes almost solid. Culm sheaths persistent.
Bambusa textilis	Weavers bamboo	Clumper	40 feet (12 m)	2 inches (51 mm)	Very thin culms and tight clumps. Arches very gracefully.
Bambusa textilis Dwarf	None	Clumper	18 feet (5.5 m)	1.25 inches (32 mm)	Very thin culms, and tight clumps.
Bambusa textilis Kanapaha	None	Clumper	50 feet (15 m)	2.5 inches (64 mm)	Lower half of culms are blue and have no branches.
Bambusa textilis Maculata	None	Clumper	25 feet (7.6 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Culms and base of new culm sheaths both have purple streaks.
Bambusa textilis Mutabilis	None	Clumper	40 feet (12 m)	2.3 inches (58 mm)	Long internodes, and persistent light blue bloom.
Bambusa textilis Scranton	None	Clumper	30 feet (9.1 m)	2 inches (51 mm)	Clumps open and branches loose.
Bambusa textilis var. albostriata	None	Clumper	40 feet (12 m)	2 inches (51 mm)	Open clumps, loose branches, and white stripes on culms
Bambusa textilis var. glabra	None	Clumper	30 feet (9.1 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Slender with glabrous culms and culm sheaths.
Bambusa textilis var. gracilis	None	Clumper	30 feet (9.1 m)	1.3 inches (33 mm)	Slender culms, nodding top, graceful leaves.
Bambusa tulda	None	Clumper	70 feet (21 m)	4 inches (100 mm)	Solid near base, straight and thick walled.
Bambusa tulda Striata	None	Clumper	70 feet (21 m)	4 inches (100 mm)	Solid near base, straight and thick walled, striped near the base.
Bambusa tuldoides	Punting Pole	Clumper	55 feet (17 m)	2.3 inches (58 mm)	Forms a thick clump of thick walled culms.

Bambusa variostrata	None	Clumper	35 feet (11 m)	3 inches (76 mm)	New, edible shoots covered in white stripes and white blooms.
Bambusa ventricosa	Buddha's Belly	Clumper	55 feet (17 m)	2.3 inches (58 mm)	In the ground it has zigzag culms and branches. In pots it becomes dwarf, and has swollen internodes.
Bambusa ventricosa Golden Buddha	None	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown
Bambusa ventricosa Kimmei	None	Clumper	55 feet (17 m)	2.3 inches (58 mm)	In the ground it has zigzag culms and branches. In pots it becomes dwarf, and has swollen internodes. Has yellow culms striped with green.
Bambusa ventricosa	'Holochrysa Kimmei'	Clumper	55 feet (17 m)	2.25 inches (57 mm)	
Bambusa vulgaris	Common bamboo	Clumper	50 feet (15 m)	4 inches (100 mm)	Open clumps with culms spaced about a foot apart. Culms root easily.
Bambusa vulgaris Vittata	Painted bamboo	Clumper	50 feet (15 m)	4 inches (100 mm)	Golden yellow culms with green stripes that look like paint dripping down the culm.
Bambusa vulgaris Wamin	None	Clumper	16 feet (4.9 m)	3 inches (76 mm)	Has short swollen lower green internodes.
Bambusa vulgaris Wamin Striata	None	Clumper	16 feet (4.9 m)	3 inches (76 mm)	Has short swollen lower green internodes, and is striped with dark green.
Bashania					Running bamboos that naturally exist in China
Bashania fargesii	Chinese mountain bamboo or wind break bamboo	Runner	20 feet (6.1 m)	2 inches (51 mm)	Has leaves that can be up to a foot long. Also known as Arundinaria fargesii
Bashania qingchengshanensis	None	Runner	10 feet (3.0 m)	0.9 inches (23 mm)	Spreads quickly and vigorously.
Bonia					Some authorities include this genus in Bambusa.
Borinda					Mountain bamboo that grow in Bhutan, Tibet, Yunnan, and Sichuan. Most of the species in this genus start out blue.

Borinda albocerea	None	Clumper	20 feet (6.1 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Grows in mountainous regions.
Borinda angustissima	None	Clumper	18 feet (5.5 m)	0.8 inches (20 mm)	White powder covered, arched culms that start out purple.
Borinda contracta	None	Clumper	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.8 inches (20 mm)	Bushy, clumps have many culms.
Borinda frigidorum	None	Clumper	12 feet (3.7 m)	0.7 inches (18 mm)	Culm sheaths become red, leaves are small.
Borinda fungosa	Chocolate bamboo	Clumper	20 feet (6.1 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Grow at very high altitudes. Have flexible culms, and sweet shoots. Culms turn shiny brown in sunlight.
Borinda fungosa White cloud	None	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown
Borinda grossa	None	Clumper	26 feet (7.9 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Unknown
Borinda KR 5288	None	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown
Borinda lushuiensis	None	Clumper	25 feet (7.6 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	Unknown
Borinda macclureana	None	Clumper	15 feet (4.6 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	On the lower surface of purple branches, the leaves are pubescent.
Borinda nujiangensis	None	Clumper	20 feet (6.1 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	Has small dark yellow leaves.
Borinda papyrifera	None	Clumper	25 feet (7.6 m)	2 inches (51 mm)	New culms are light blue, and as they age they become yellow with thin striae.
Borinda perlonga	None	Clumper	20 feet (6.1 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	Has dense light green leaves, blue culms, and long culm sheaths.
Borinda sinospinosa Muliensis (sinospinosa often abbreviated sp.)	None	Clumper	6 feet (1.8 m)	0.3 inches (7.6 mm)	Has broad deciduous leaves.
Borinda yulongshanensis	None	Clumper	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown
Brachystachyum					A synonym for Semiarundinaria
Cathariostachys					.
Cathariostachys capitata					.
Cathariostachys madagascariensis	Madagascar giant bamboo				.
Cephalostachyum					Tall, shrubby, clumping bamboo from India, China, Madagascar, Malaysia, and Indonesia.
Cephalostachyum pergracile	None	Clumper	30 feet (9.1 m)	2 inches (51 mm)	Erect culms with white bristly hairs.
Cephalostachyum viguieri	None				

Cephalostachyum virgatum	None	Clumper	50 feet (15 m)	4 inches (100 mm)	Thin walled drooping, a bamboo that is often confused with Bambusa multiplex.
Chimonobambusa					New shoots start in fall or winter. Sometimes with thorny nodes, and quadrangular culms.
Chimonobambusa macrophylla	Intermedia	Runner	10 feet (3.0 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Internodes flat above branches, and are powdery white.
Chimonobambusa macrophylla var. macrophylla	None	Runner	10 feet (3.0 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Internodes are not powdery white, and leaves are less than 8 inches (200 mm) long, and 1.25 inches (32 mm) wide.
Chimonobambusa macrophylla var. leiboensis	None	Runner	10 feet (3.0 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Initially powdery white, but this goes away.
Chimonobambusa marmorea	Marbled bamboo	Runner	6 feet (1.8 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	New shoots and leaves have a marbled texture in cream and dark purple.
Chimonobambusa marmorea Variegata	None	Runner	6 feet (1.8 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	New shoots and leaves have a marbled texture in cream and dark purple. Leaves also have white stripes.
Chimonobambusa marmorea	Red	Runner	8 feet (2.4 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	
Chimonobambusa pachystachys	Thorny bamboo	Runner	20 feet (6.1 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Nodes have rings of root thorns.
Chimonobambusa quadrangularis	Square bamboo	Runner	25 feet (7.6 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	Culms are square and have rounded corners. Nodes have a ring of root thorns.
Chimonobambusa quadrangularis Joseph de Jussieu	None	Runner	25 feet (7.6 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	Culms are square, yellow, have a few green stripes, and rounded corners. Nodes have a ring of root thorns. Leaves have white stripes, and culms have green sulci.
Chimonobambusa quadrangularis Suow	None	Runner	25 feet (7.6 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Culms are square, yellow, have a few green stripes, and rounded corners. Nodes have a ring of root thorns.

Chimonobambusa quadrangularis Yellow Groove	None	Runner	Unknown	Unknown	Culms are square, yellow, have a few green stripes, and rounded corners. Nodes have a ring of root thorns. Culms have yellow sulci.
Chimonobambusa quadrangularis	'Suow'	Runner	25 feet (7.6 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	
Chimonobambusa szechuanensis	None	Runner	19 feet (5.8 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Has long thick culm sheaths, and three branches per node that have deciduous leaves.
Chimonobambusa tumidissinoda	Walking stick	Runner	20 feet (6.1 m)	1.3 inches (33 mm)	A rare bamboo with inflated nodes.
Chimonobambusa yunnanensis	Black bamboo	Runner	32 feet (9.8 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	A black bamboo with square internodes.
Chimonocalamus					used to be known as Sinarundinaria
Chimonocalamus pallens		Clumper	26 feet (7.9 m)	1.2 inches (30 mm)	
Chusquea					A genus of South American and Central American bamboo that usually has one main branch and several branchlets per node. There may be around 70 unclassified species in this genus.
Chusquea asymmetrica	None				vulnerable to becoming an endangered species
Chusquea andina	None	Clumper	12 feet (3.7 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Grows at a higher altitude than any other bamboo in the genus, and has small spiky blue leaves.
Chusquea andina Blue Andes	None	Clumper	12 feet (3.7 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Grows at a very high altitude, and has small spiky blue leaves.
Chusquea circinata	None	Clumper	22 feet (6.7 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Dark and arching, and has whorls of small leaves. Comes from Mexico.
Chusquea circinata Chiapas	None	Clumper	Unknown	Unknown	Dark and arching, and has yellow shoots. Comes from Mexico.
Chusquea coronalis	None	Clumper	23 feet (7.0 m)	0.8 inches (20 mm)	Has little leaves on small branches that completely surround the nodes. Some believe that this is the most beautiful bamboo, and it is often planted in gardens.

Chusquea culeou	None	Clumper	15 feet (4.6 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Has many equal sized branches on each node. Comes from Chile.
Chusquea culeou Argentina	None	Clumper	15 feet (4.6 m)	1.25 inches (32 mm)	Has many large, equal sized branches on each node. Comes from Argentina.
Chusquea culeou Caña Prieta	None	Clumper	15 feet (4.6 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Culms turn dark red, brown, and sometimes almost black.
Chusquea culeou Hillier's Form	None	Clumper	9 feet (2.7 m)	0.8 inches (20 mm)	A dwarf form of Chusquea culeou.
Chusquea culeou	'Chilean Straight'	Clumper	20 feet (6.1 m)	1.25 inches (32 mm)	
Chusquea culeou	'Scandens'	Clumper	20 feet (6.1 m)	1.25 inches (32 mm)	
Chusquea culeou	longiramea	Clumper	18 feet (5.5 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	
Chusquea culeou	'Chilean Weeping'	Clumper	20 feet (6.1 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	
Chusquea cumingii	None	Clumper	10 feet (3.0 m)	0.8 inches (20 mm)	Has many tiny, stiff, sharp leaves.
Chusquea delicatula	None	Unknown	12 feet (3.7 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Has very small leaves and is native to Peru.
Chusquea elata	None				
Chusquea elegans	None				
Chusquea falcata	None				
Chusquea foliosa	None	Clumper	20 feet (6.1 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	Golden culms with green nodes and thin dropping leaves.
Chusquea galeottiana	None	Clumper	20 feet (6.1 m)	0.8 inches (20 mm)	Arches, and comes from southern Mexico.
Chusquea gigantea	None	Clumper	25 feet (7.6 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	has red shoots, green culms, many branches per node, and forms open clumps.
Chusquea glomerata	None				a synonym for Athroostachys capitata
Chusquea glauca	None	Clumper	10 feet (3.0 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Has very large leaves.
Chusquea liebmannii	None	Clumper	33 feet (10 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Culms arch strongly. Nodes have spine like roots.
Chusquea leonardiorum	None				
Chusquea loxensis	None				
Chusquea maclurei	None				
Chusquea macrostachya	None	Clumper	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Grows in Chile at elevations up to 3,000 feet (910 m).
Chusquea mimosa subsp. australis	None	Clumper	15 feet (4.6 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Stiff, red culms with small leaves. Native to Brazil.

Chusquea montana	None	Clumper	6 feet (1.8 m)	0.3 inches (7.6 mm)	Has swollen nodes.
Chusquea muelleri	None	Clumper	6 feet (1.8 m)	0.2 inches (5.1 mm)	Culms delicate, 2-3 branches per node.
Chusquea nana	None				
Chusquea pittieri	None	Clumper	25 feet (7.6 m)	2 inches (51 mm)	Has arching culms, and thorny nodes.
Chusquea simpliciflora	None	Clumper	50 feet (15 m)	0.4 inches (10 mm)	Climbs over other plants, and is a vining species.
Chusquea simpliciflora Chiconquiaco	None	Clumper	10 feet (3.0 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Has small leaves, and is a vining species.
Chusquea simpliciflora Las Vigas	None	Clumper	8 feet (2.4 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Has large leaves, red shoots, and is a vining species.
Chusquea subtilis	None	Clumper	20 feet (6.1 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Has very fine leaves, and grows at high elevations in Costa Rica.
Chusquea sulcata	None	Clumper	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.8 inches (20 mm)	Erect golden culms have fine leaves and many branches.
Chusquea tomentosa	None	Clumper	25 feet (7.6 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Has long dark green leaves.
Chusquea uliginosa	None	Clumper	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Grows at the edge of wetlands in Chile.
Chusquea valdiviensis	None	Clumper	25 feet (7.6 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Culms can climb to 40 feet (12 m) with help.
Chusquea virgata	None	Clumper	25 feet (7.6 m)	0.8 inches (20 mm)	Has swollen nodes. Culms are speckled with purple.
Chusquea sp.	'Nigricans'	Clumper	10 feet (3.0 m)	0.4 inches (10 mm)	
Colantheia					
Davidsea attenuata					
Decaryochloa diadelpha					
Dendrocalamus					Huge tropical clumping bamboo.
Dendrocalamus asper	None	Clumper	100 feet (30 m)	8 inches (200 mm)	Shoots are large and often eaten.
Dendrocalamus asper Betung Hitam	None	Clumper	100 feet (30 m)	8 inches (200 mm)	Has black culms, and is rare.
Dendrocalamus brandisii	None	Clumper	100 feet (30 m)	8 inches (200 mm)	Thick walled culms with shoots that are edible raw.
Dendrocalamus brandisii Black	None	Clumper	40 feet (12 m)	8 inches (200 mm)	A fast-growing black culmed bamboo.
Dendrocalamus brandisii variegated	None	Clumper	100 feet (30 m)	12 inches (300 mm)	Similar to Dendrocalamus brandisii but with variegated leaves and wider culms.
Dendrocalamus calostachyus	None	Clumper	70 feet (21 m)	5 inches (130 mm)	Sturdy, often used for construction.
Dendrocalamus giganteus	Dragon bamboo	Clumper	100 feet (30 m)	12 inches (300 mm)	Leaves can be up to 20 inches (510 mm) long, and 4 inches (100 mm) wide.

Dendrocalamus giganteus Quail Clone	None	Clumper	100 feet (30 m)	12 inches (300 mm)	A cultivar of Dendrocalamus giganteus man-made at Quail Botanical Gardens in California, United States
Dendrocalamus giganteus variegated	None	Clumper	Unknown	Unknown	Leaves can be up to 20 inches (510 mm) long, and 4 inches (100 mm) wide and are variegated. Does not yet have a real scientific name.
Dendrocalamus hamiltonii	None	Clumper	80 feet (24 m)	7 inches (180 mm)	Leaves can be up to 15 inches (380 mm) long, grows in the Himalayas.
Dendrocalamus jianshuiensis	None	Clumper	55 feet (17 m)	5 inches (130 mm)	Has fimbriate culm sheath ligule.
Dendrocalamus jianshuiensis variegated	None	Clumper	55 feet (17 m)	5 inches (130 mm)	Like Dendrocalamus jianshuiensis but with variegated leaves. Currently has no scientific name.
Dendrocalamus latiflorus	None	Clumper	65 feet (20 m)	8 inches (200 mm)	From southern China, has large dark green leaves 10–16 inches (250–410 mm) long, and 3–4 inches (76–102 mm) wide.
Dendrocalamus latiflorus Meining	None	Clumper	65 feet (20 m)	8 inches (200 mm)	Like Dendrocalamus latiflorus but with light green culms and dark green culm stripes.
Dendrocalamus latiflorus Subconvex	None	Clumper	33 feet (10 m)	4.7 inches (120 mm)	Has pear shaped culms, and is one of the shortest species in the entire genus.
Dendrocalamus longispathus	None			10 centimetres (3.9 in)	
Dendrocalamus maroochy	None	Clumper	33 feet (10 m)	8 inches (200 mm)	Arching bamboo with yellow culms. It has only recently been added to the world's bamboo inventory.
Dendrocalamus minor	None	Clumper	25 feet (7.6 m)	2 inches (51 mm)	Has arching culms, and brown rings on culm sheaths near the base of the culm.
Dendrocalamus minor var. amoenus	None	Clumper	25 feet (7.6 m)	2 inches (51 mm)	Has pale yellow culms with green stripes.
Dendrocalamus minor var. minor	None	Clumper	39 feet (12 m)	3 inches (76 mm)	Has green internodes.

Dendrocalamus sikkimensis	None	Clumper	65 feet (20 m)	8 inches (200 mm)	Culms brownish red, and culm sheaths have a velvet like texture.
Dendrocalamus sinicus	None	Clumper	120 feet (37 m)	12 inches (300 mm)	Internodes near the base are shorter, and all internodes have short yellow hair.
Dendrocalamus sp. Parker's Giant	None	Clumper	80 feet (24 m)	12 inches (300 mm)	An unidentified giant timber bamboo found by Jim Parker in Hawaii, U.S.A.
Dendrocalamus strictus	Male bamboo, solid bamboo, Calcutta bamboo	Clumper	60 feet (18 m)	5 inches (130 mm)	Most common bamboo in India. Culms are sometimes solid. Unlike most bamboo, it flowers frequently. Often used for fishing rods.
Dendrocalamus validus	None	Clumper	45 feet (14 m)	4 inches (100 mm)	Erect culms with convex internodes.
Dendrocalamus xishuangbannaensis		Clumper?	150 feet (46 m)	14 inches (360 mm)	Found in southern Yunnan, China
Dendrocalamus yunnanicus	Yunnan dragon bamboo	Clumper	80 feet (24 m)	7 inches (180 mm)	Pale green. Grows in Yunnan and Vietnam.
Dinochloa					Clumping, clinging bamboo that grows native in Burma through the Philippines. They have fleshy fruits, the size of a golf ball or smaller.
Dinochloa malayana	None	Clumper	30 feet (9.1 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Has large shiny leaves, rough culms, and hairy culm sheaths.
Dinochloa scandens	None	Clumper	30 feet (9.1 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Has black culms and ovate leaves.
Drepanostachyum					Clumping mountain bamboo that has many equal branches.
Drepanostachyum falcatum	None	Clumper	30 feet (9.1 m)	1.1 inches (28 mm)	Unknown
Drepanostachyum falcatum var. sengteeaanum	None	Clumper	30 feet (9.1 m)	1.1 inches (28 mm)	Has bright green culms and small paper thin leaves.
Drepanostachyum khasianum	Khasia bamboo	Clumper	12 feet (3.7 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Culms are dark green. New culms have a white powder that makes them look like they are blue.

Drepanostachyum microphyllum	None	Clumper	Unknown	Unknown	Has bright green leaves. Can have up to 70 branches per node.
Drepanostachyum sengteeaanum		Clumper	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.75 inches (19 mm)	
Elytostachys					
Eremitis					
Eremitis monothalamia	None	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	A synonym for Eremitis parviflora
Eremitis parviflora	None	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	Native to eastern Brazil.
Eremocaulon					
Fargesia					Clumping bamboo from southwest China. Small-medium-sized. Tolerant to cold, but not to heat. Flowers are shaped similar to toothbrushes.
Fargesia adpressa	None	Clumper	18 feet (5.5 m)	1.3 inches (33 mm)	Has purplish-green culms, and open clumps.
Fargesia apircirubens	Red tipped bamboo	Clumper	16 feet (4.9 m)	0.8 inches (20 mm)	Grows at elevations above 6,000 feet (1,800 m) above sea level.
Fargesia apircirubens White Dragon	None	Clumper	8 feet (2.4 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Same as above but with variegated white leaves in spring that later fade to green.
Fargesia communis	None	Clumper	24 feet (7.3 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Persistent pale red culm sheaths that are much longer than internodes.
Fargesia denudata	None	Clumper	16 feet (4.9 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Has small delicate leaves. Culms branch out after first winter.
Fargesia denudata Xian 1	None	Clumper	11 feet (3.4 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Has yellow arching culms and fine small leaves.
Fargesia dracocephala	None	Clumper	9.8 feet (3.0 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	One of the main food species for the giant panda. Pale red-brown culm sheaths. Culms initially powdery. Shoots come up early in the season.
Fargesia dracocephala	'Gold Stem'	Clumper	12 feet (3.7 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	
Fargesia dracocephala	'Rufa' 'Gansu 95-1'	Clumper	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Sometime confused with Fargesia rufa, which is a different species.

<i>Fargesia murielae</i>	None	Clumper	16.5 feet (5.0 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Grows new shoots in early May.
<i>Fargesia murielae</i> Bimbo	None	Clumper	5 inches (130 mm)	Unknown	Unusually short
<i>Fargesia murielae</i> Harewood	None	Clumper	10 feet (3.0 m)	Unknown	Dark green leaves, and red-brown culm sheaths
<i>Fargesia murielae</i> Jonny's Giant	None	Clumper	13 feet (4.0 m)	Unknown	Unknown
<i>Fargesia murielae</i> Jumbo Jet	None	Clumper	10 feet (3.0 m)	Unknown	Gold-green culms that arch.
<i>Fargesia murielae</i> Simba	None	Clumper	6.5 feet (2.0 m)	0.4 inches (10 mm)	Pea colored culms.
<i>Fargesia murielae</i> SABE 939	None	Clumper	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Unknown
<i>Fargesia murielae</i> Vampire	None	Clumper	12 feet (3.7 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Upright with bright red culms and dark green leaves.
<i>Fargesia murielae</i>	None	Extinct	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	A man-made cultivar, made in 1907, that lasted until the 1980s, when it was lost to cultivation.
<i>Fargesia murielae</i>	Umbrella bamboo	Clumper	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	
<i>Fargesia nitida</i>	Fountain bamboo	Clumper	12 feet (3.7 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	Dark gray, sometimes even black culms. Culm sheaths have orange stripes.
<i>Fargesia nitida</i>	'Jiuzhaigou'	Clumper	12 feet (3.7 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	
<i>Fargesia robusta</i>	'Pingwu'	Clumper	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.8 inches (20 mm)	
<i>Fargesia rufa</i>		Clumper			
<i>Ferocalamus strictus</i>	Iron bamboo				A one-member genus endemic to Yunnan, China's southern areas.
<i>Filgueirasia</i>					
<i>Filgueirasia arenicola</i>					
<i>Filgueirasia cannavieira</i>					
<i>Gaoligongshania megalothyrsa</i>		Clumper	6 feet (1.8 m)	0.4 inches (10 mm)	
<i>Gelidocalamus fangianus</i>		Runner	10 feet (3.0 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	
<i>Gigantochloa</i>					
<i>Gigantochloa achmadii</i>					
<i>Gigantochloa albociliata</i>		Clumper	30 feet (9.1 m)	2 inches (51 mm)	
<i>Gigantochloa albopilosa</i>					
<i>Gigantochloa albovestita</i>					
<i>Gigantochloa andamanica</i>					
<i>Gigantochloa apus</i>	BAMBU TALI	Clumper	65 feet (20 m)	4 inches (100 mm)	
<i>Gigantochloa aspera</i>					
<i>Gigantochloa ater</i>					

Gigantochloa atrovioleacea	Tropical black bamboo	Clumper	50 feet (15 m)	3.5 inches (89 mm)	Deep purple almost black culms, with faint green stripes. has low branches and green leaf sheaths. Closely related to Bambusa lako.
Gigantochloa auriculata					
Gigantochloa aya					
Gigantochloa baliana					
Gigantochloa balui					
Gigantochloa calcicola					
Gigantochloa cochinchinensis					
Gigantochloa compressa					
Gigantochloa densa					
Gigantochloa dinhensis					
Gigantochloa felix					
Gigantochloa hasskarliana					
Gigantochloa hayatae					
Gigantochloa heteroclada					
Gigantochloa heterostachya					
Gigantochloa hirtinoda					
Gigantochloa holttumiana					
Gigantochloa hosseusii					
Gigantochloa kachinensis					
Gigantochloa kathaensis					
Gigantochloa kuring					
Gigantochloa kurzii					
Gigantochloa latifolia					
Gigantochloa latispiculata					
Gigantochloa levis					
Gigantochloa ligulata					
Gigantochloa longiprophylla					
Gigantochloa luteostriata					
Gigantochloa macrostachya					
Gigantochloa magentea					
Gigantochloa maxima					
Gigantochloa membranoidea					
Gigantochloa merrilliana					
Gigantochloa mogaungensis					
Gigantochloa multiculmis					
Gigantochloa nigrociliata					
Gigantochloa novoguineensis					

Gigantochloa papyracea					
Gigantochloa parviflora					
Gigantochloa parvifolia					
Gigantochloa poilanei					
Gigantochloa pruriens					
Gigantochloa pseudoarundinacea					
Gigantochloa pubinervis					
Gigantochloa pubipetiolata					
Gigantochloa ridleyi					
Gigantochloa robusta					
Gigantochloa rostrata					
Gigantochloa scortechinii					
Gigantochloa scribneriana					
Gigantochloa serik					
Gigantochloa sinuata					
Gigantochloa stocksii					
Gigantochloa tekserah					
Gigantochloa tenuispiculata					
Gigantochloa thoi					
Gigantochloa tomentosa					
Gigantochloa toungoensis					
Gigantochloa velutina					
Gigantochloa verticillata					
Gigantochloa vietnamica					
Gigantochloa vinhphuica					
Gigantochloa wallichiana					
Gigantochloa wanet					
Gigantochloa wrayi					
Gigantochloa wunthoensis					
Gigantochloa yunzalinensis					
Glaziophyton mirabile					
Greslania					
Guadua					
Guadua paniculata			10 metres (33 ft)	70 millimetres (2.8 in)	
Guaduella					
Hickelia madagascariensis					
Himalayacalamus					often confused with Drepanostachyum. Himalayacalamus species have one dominant branch; Drepanostachyum have many equal branches.

Himalayacalamus asper	(formerly NMC: Neo. microphyllus)	Clumper	20 feet (6.1 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	
Himalayacalamus cupreus		Clumper	20 feet (6.1 m)	1.25 inches (32 mm)	
Himalayacalamus falconeri		Clumper	30 feet (9.1 m)	2.0 inches (51 mm)	
Himalayacalamus falconeri	'Damarapa' (formerly Drepanostachyum hookerianum), candy stripe	Clumper	30 feet (9.1 m)	2.0 inches (51 mm)	
Himalayacalamus hookerianus	Blue bamboo, Teague's blue (formerly Drepanostachyum falcatum)	Clumper	20 feet (6.1 m)	2.0 inches (51 mm)	
Himalayacalamus hookerianus	'Falcatus'	Clumper	15 feet (4.6 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	
Himalayacalamus porcatus		Clumper	20 feet (6.1 m)	1.25 inches (32 mm)	
Hibanobambusa tranquillans	'Shiroshima'	Runner	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.35 inches (8.9 mm)	Some authorities consider it an intergeneric hybrid between <i>Phillostachys nigra</i> var. <i>henonsis</i> and <i>Sasa veitchii</i> f. <i>tyugokensis</i> .
Hitchcockella baronii					
Holttumochloa					
Indocalamus latifolius		Runner	6 feet (1.8 m)	0.3 inches (7.6 mm)	
Indocalamus longiauritus		Runner	12 feet (3.7 m)	0.65 inches (17 mm)	
Indocalamus tessellatus	(<i>Sasa tessellata</i>)	Runner	7 feet (2.1 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	
Indosasa crassifolia		Runner	15 feet (4.6 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	
Kinabaluchloa					
Leptocanna chinensis					Regarded by some authorities as a synonym for <i>Schizostachyum chinense</i>
Melocalamus					
Melocanna					
Melocanna baccifera	Chittagong forest bamboo			15 centimetres (5.9 in)	
Menstruocalamus					
Monocladus					This genus is now included in <i>Bonia</i> .
Myriocladus					
Nastus					
Neurolepis					A synonym for <i>Chusquea</i>
Ochlandra strulata		Runner	20 feet (6.1 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	

Oligostachyum					This genus is sometimes included in Arundinaria.
Olmeca					
Otatea acuminata	Aztecorum, Mexican weeping	Clumper	20 feet (6.1 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	
Perrierbambus					
Phyllostachys					
Phyllostachys acuta		Runner	26 feet (7.9 m)	2.5 inches (64 mm)	
Phyllostachys angusta	Stone bamboo	Runner	22 feet (6.7 m)	1.25 inches (32 mm)	
Phyllostachys arcana		Runner	27 feet (8.2 m)	1.25 inches (32 mm)	
Phyllostachys atrovaginata	(congesta) incense bamboo	Runner	25 feet (7.6 m)	2.25 inches (57 mm)	
Phyllostachys aurea	Hedge bamboo, golden	Runner	30 feet (9.1 m)	2.0 inches (51 mm)	
Phyllostachys aurea	'Flavescens- inversa'	Runner	30 feet (9.1 m)	2.0 inches (51 mm)	
Phyllostachys aurea	'Holo-chrysa', true gold	Runner	27 feet (8.2 m)	1.75 inches (44 mm)	
Phyllostachys aurea	'Koi'	Runner	30 feet (9.1 m)	2.0 inches (51 mm)	
Phyllostachys aureosulcata	Yellow groove	Runner	45 feet (14 m)	3 inches (76 mm)	
Phyllostachys aureosulcata	'Alata'	Runner	45 feet (14 m)	3 inches (76 mm)	
Phyllostachys aureosulcata	'Harbin' inversa	Runner	26 feet (7.9 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	
Phyllostachys aureosulcata	'Harbin'	Runner	26 feet (7.9 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	
Phyllostachys aureosulcata	'Spectabilis'	Runner	26 feet (7.9 m)	1.25 inches (32 mm)	
Phyllostachys aureosulcata	'Lama Temple'	Runner	26 feet (7.9 m)	1.25 inches (32 mm)	
Phyllostachys bambusoides	Madake	Runner	72 feet (22 m)	6 inches (150 mm)	
Phyllostachys bambusoides	Holo-chrysa, 'All Gold'	Runner	35 feet (11 m)	2.5 inches (64 mm)	
Phyllostachys bambusoides	'Aureostriata'	Runner	35 feet (11 m)	2.5 inches (64 mm)	
Phyllostachys bambusoides	'Castillon'	Runner	35 feet (11 m)	2.0 inches (51 mm)	
Phyllostachys bambusoides	'Castillon Inversa'	Runner	35 feet (11 m)	2.0 inches (51 mm)	
Phyllostachys bambusoides	'Slender Crookstem'	Runner	50 feet (15 m)	5 inches (130 mm)	
Phyllostachys bambusoides	'Subvariegata'	Runner	48 feet (15 m)	3 inches (76 mm)	
Phyllostachys bissetii		Runner	23 feet (7.0 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	
Phyllostachys decora		Runner	24 feet (7.3 m)	1.25 inches (32 mm)	
Phyllostachys densiflorum		Runner	20 feet (6.1 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	

Phyllostachys dulcis		Runner	40 feet (12 m)	3 inches (76 mm)	
Phyllostachys edulis	'Pubescens' (China), moso	Runner	80 feet (24 m)	6 inches (150 mm)	AKA P. heterocycla, P. pubescens, P. heterocycla, P. mitis, Bambusa edulis, B. heterocycla
Phyllostachys flexuosa		Runner	31 feet (9.4 m)	2.75 inches (70 mm)	
Phyllostachys glauca		Runner	70 feet (21 m)	5 inches (130 mm)	
Phyllostachys heteroclada	'Solid Stem'	Runner	20 feet (6.1 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	
Phyllostachys heteroclada	'Straight Stem', water bamboo	Runner	33 feet (10 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	
Phyllostachys humilis		Runner	20 feet (6.1 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	
Phyllostachys iridescens		Runner	36 feet (11 m)	2.75 inches (70 mm)	
Phyllostachys meyeri		Runner	33 feet (10 m)	2.0 inches (51 mm)	
Phyllostachys nidularia		Runner	33 feet (10 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	
Phyllostachys nigra	Black bamboo	Runner	30 feet (9.1 m)	2.25 inches (57 mm)	
Phyllostachys nigra	'Daikokuchiku', giant black	Runner	50 feet (15 m)	3.35 inches (85 mm)	
Phyllostachys nigra	'Bory', leopard bamboo	Runner	50 feet (15 m)	3 inches (76 mm)	
Phyllostachys nigra	'Henon'	Runner	65 feet (20 m)	5 inches (130 mm)	
Phyllostachys nigra	'Megurochiku'	Runner	54 feet (16 m)	3 inches (76 mm)	
Phyllostachys nigra	'Shimadake'	Runner	30 feet (9.1 m)	2.75 inches (70 mm)	
Phyllostachys nuda		Runner	34 feet (10 m)	1.75 inches (44 mm)	
Phyllostachys parvifolia	Anji golden bamboo	Runner	39 feet (12 m)	3.9 inches (99 mm)	
Phyllostachys rubromarginata		Runner	55 feet (17 m)	3.5 inches (89 mm)	
Phyllostachys violascens		Runner	50 feet (15 m)	3 inches (76 mm)	
Phyllostachys virella	Dongyang Green Skin Bamboo	Runner	30 feet (9.1 m)	2 inches (51 mm)	
Phyllostachys viridiglaucescens		Runner	35 feet (11 m)	2.0 inches (51 mm)	
Phyllostachys viridis	'Houzeau'	Runner	45 feet (14 m)	3 inches (76 mm)	
Phyllostachys viridis	'Robert Young'	Runner	40 feet (12 m)	3 inches (76 mm)	
Phyllostachys vivax	Chinese timber bamboo	Runner	70 feet (21 m)	5 inches (130 mm)	
Phyllostachys vivax	'Aureocaulis'	Runner	70 feet (21 m)	5 inches (130 mm)	
Pleioblastus					
Pleioblastus argenteostriatus		Runner	3 feet (0.91 m)	0.25 inches (6.4 mm)	
Pleioblastus chino	'Kimmei'	Runner	12 feet (3.7 m)	0.6 inches (15 mm)	

Pleioblastus chino	'Murakamianus'	Runner	6 feet (1.8 m)	0.3 inches (7.6 mm)	
Pleioblastus chino	'Vaginatus Variegatus'	Runner	6 feet (1.8 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	
Pleioblastus distichus		Runner	2 feet (0.61 m)	0.10 inches (2.5 mm)	
Pleioblastus distichus	'Whitestripe'	Runner	2 feet (0.61 m)	0.10 inches (2.5 mm)	
Pleioblastus distichus	'Mini'	Runner	1 foot (0.30 m)	0.10 inches (2.5 mm)	
Pleioblastus fortunei	Dwarf white-stripe	Runner	4 feet (1.2 m)	0.15 inches (3.8 mm)	
Pleioblastus gramineus		Runner	12 feet (3.7 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	
Pleioblastus humilis	'Albovariegatus'	Runner	4 feet (1.2 m)	0.10 inches (2.5 mm)	
Pleioblastus hindsii	'Yasui'	Runner	18 feet (5.5 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	
Pleioblastus humilis		Runner	4 feet (1.2 m)	0.10 inches (2.5 mm)	
Pleioblastus linearis		Runner	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.75 inches (19 mm)	
Pleioblastus simonii		Runner	20 feet (6.1 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	
Pleioblastus virens		Runner	10 feet (3.0 m)	0.75 inches (19 mm)	
Pleioblastus viridistriatus	Dwarf greenstripe	Runner	4 feet (1.2 m)	0.25 inches (6.4 mm)	
Pleioblastus viridistriatus	'Chrysophyllus'	Runner	4 feet (1.2 m)	0.25 inches (6.4 mm)	
Pseudosasa					
Pseudosasa amabilis	Tonkin cane, formerly known as Arundinaria amabilis	Runner	50 feet (15 m)	2.5 inches (64 mm)	Often used for fishing rods.
Pseudosasa japonica	Arrow bamboo	Running	18 feet (5.5 m)	0.75 inches (19 mm)	Grows Densely
Pseudosasa japonica	'Pleioblastoides'	Runner	18 feet (5.5 m)	0.75 inches (19 mm)	
Pseudosasa japonica var. tsutsumiana		Runner	10 feet (3.0 m)	0.75 inches (19 mm)	
Pseudosasa usawai		Runner	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.75 inches (19 mm)	
Pseudostachyum polymorphum	thin-walled bamboo				
Puelia					
Qiongzhusa					A synonym for Chimonobambusa
Racemobambos					
Rhipidocladum					
Rhipidocladum harmonicum			20 metres (66 ft)	60 millimetres (2.4 in)	
Sasa					
Sasa borealis		Runner	5 feet (1.5 m)	0.15 inches (3.8 mm)	
Sasa kurilensis	'Simofuri', fallen snow	Runner	6 feet (1.8 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	

Sasa nagimontana	(muroi)	Runner	6 feet (1.8 m)	0.2 inches (5.1 mm)	
Sasa oshidensis		Runner	6 feet (1.8 m)	0.25 inches (6.4 mm)	
Sasa palmata	'Nebulosa' broadleaf bamboo	Runner	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	
Sasa tsuboiana		Runner	6 feet (1.8 m)	0.25 inches (6.4 mm)	
Sasa veitchii	Kuma-zasa	Runner	3 feet (0.91 m)	0.25 inches (6.4 mm)	
Sasa veitchii	'Minor'	Runner	2 feet (0.61 m)	0.1 inches (2.5 mm)	
Sasaella albostrata		Runner	6 feet (1.8 m)	0.375 inches (9.5 mm)	
Sasaella glabra	aureostriata	Runner	3 feet (0.91 m)	0.20 inches (5.1 mm)	
Sasaella masamuneana		Runner	6 feet (1.8 m)	0.25 inches (6.4 mm)	
Sasaella masamuneana	'Albostrata'	Runner	6 feet (1.8 m)	0.25 inches (6.4 mm)	
Sasaella ramosa		Runner	6 feet (1.8 m)	0.25 inches (6.4 mm)	
Schizostachyum					
Schizostachyum brachycladum			15 metres (49 ft)	80 millimetres (3.1 in)	Traditionally used to make the Saluang, an Indonesian flute.
Schizostachyum chinense					
Schizostachyum glaucifolium	Polynesian 'ohe				
Schizostachyum lima	Tagalog: Anos				
Semiarundinaria					Culm leaves hang attached to the middle of their base for some time.
Semiarundinaria densiflora	None	Runner	20 feet (6.1 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Young culms are hairy. The leaves are about 7 inches (180 mm) long and 1 inch (25 mm) wide.
Semiarundinaria densiflora var. villosum	None	Runner	20 feet (6.1 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	Base of culm sheaths densely hairy. The leaves are about 7 inches (180 mm) long and 1 inch (25 mm) wide.
Semiarundinaria fastuosa	Temple bamboo	Runner	30 feet (9.1 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	
Semiarundinaria fortis		Runner	12 feet (3.7 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	
Semiarundinaria makinoi		Runner	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.33 inches (8.4 mm)	
Semiarundinaria sp.	'Maruyamana'	Runner	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.75 inches (19 mm)	
Semiarundinaria okuboi		Runner	25 feet (7.6 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	
Semiarundinaria yamadori		Runner	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.75 inches (19 mm)	
Semiarundinaria yashadake	'Kimmei'	Runner	15 feet (4.6 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	

Semiarundinaria yashadake	'Kimmei Holochrysa'	Runner	25 feet (7.6 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	
Semiarundinaria yashadake	'Kimmei Inversa'	Runner	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.9 inches (23 mm)	
Semiarundinaria yoshi	matsumurae	Runner	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.75 inches (19 mm)	
Shibataea					
Shibataea kumasaca	Ruscus Bamboo Or Ruscus-Leaf Bamboo	Runner	7 feet (2.1 m)	0.25 inches (6.4 mm)	Some authorities prefer the name Shibataea kumasasa
Shibataea lancifolia		Runner	7 feet (2.1 m)	0.25 inches (6.4 mm)	
Sinobambusa					
Sinobambusa tootsik	albostrata	Runner	20 feet (6.1 m)	1.5 inches (38 mm)	
Sphaerobambos					
Teinostachyum					A synonym for Schizostachyum
Temburongia					
Thamnocalamus					
Thamnocalamus aristatus		Clumper	20 feet (6.1 m)	0.5 inches (13 mm)	
Thamnocalamus tessellatus		Clumper	16 feet (4.9 m)	1 inch (25 mm)	
Thyrsostachys					
Thyrsostachys siamensis	Monastery bamboo, Umbrella bamboo, Thai umbrella bamboo, or Umbrella- handle bamboo		13 metres (43 ft)	8 centimetres (3.1 in)	
Valiha					
Valiha diffusa			32 feet (9.8 m)	4 inches (100 mm)	
Valiha perrieri					
Yushania					
Yushania alpina		Clumper	64 feet (20 m)	5 inches (130 mm)	Previously known as Sinarundinaria alpina
Yushania anceps		Clumper	12 feet (3.7 m)	0.75 inches (19 mm)	
Yushania anceps	'Pitt White'	Clumper	12 feet (3.7 m)	0.75 inches (19 mm)	
Yushania chungii		Clumper	12 feet (3.7 m)	0.3 inches (7.6 mm)	
Yushania maling		Clumper	15 feet (4.6 m)	0.75 inches (19 mm)	
Yushania megalothyrsa					A synonym for Gaoligongshania megalothyrsa

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