COMMON NAME:

DOUGLAS FIR

SCIENTIFIC NAME:

PSEUDOTSUGA MENZIESII

ALSO CALLED: BLUE DOUGLAS FIR AND COAST DOUGLAS FIR

FLOWER COLOR: GREEN

FLOWER ARRANGEMENT: SMALL CLUSTER OF TINY FLOWERS

FLOWERING TIME: APRIL TO MAY

LEAVES: TINY NARROW LEAVES COVERING BRANCHES

NORMAL SIZE: 100' TO 200'

NORMAL ELEVATION: 6500' TO 10000' HABITATION: HIGH MOUNTAIN SIDES

ABUNDANCE: COMMON

NOTABLE DETAILS: TALLEST TREES IN ARIZONA WITH TINY LEAVES AND PINE CONES WITH SPURS

SPECIAL INTEREST: SEEING THE PINE CONES IS OFTEN DIFFICULT BECAUSE THEY ARE SO TALL, BUT THE GROUND BELOW SHOWS THE INTERESTING FEATURE OF SPURS ON THE EDGES OF EACH LOBE OF THE CONE