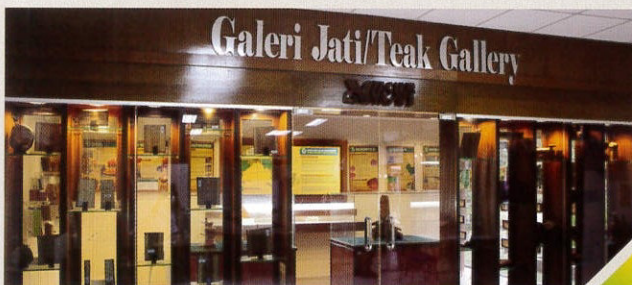




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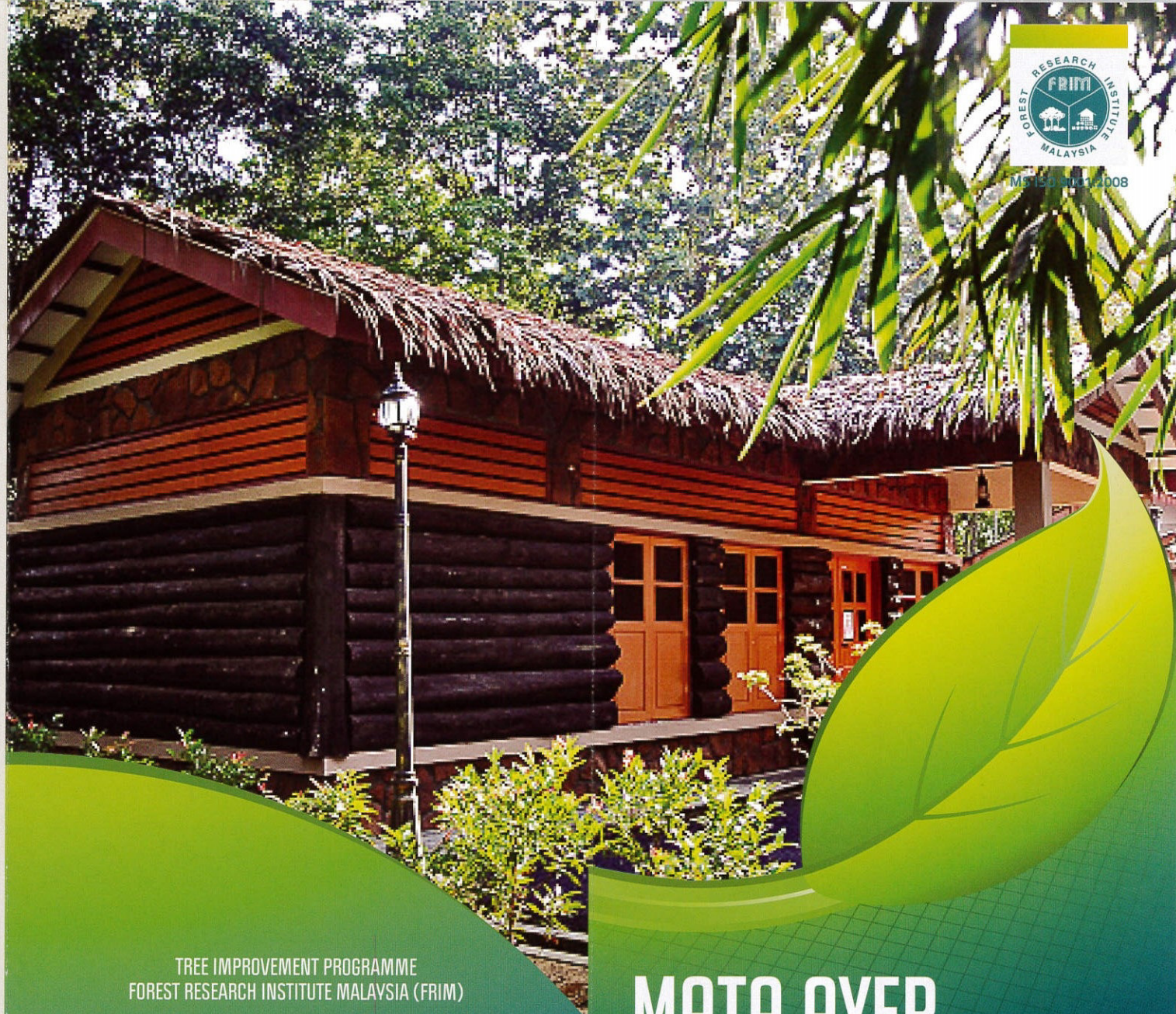
Facilities	Categories	Rates (RM)
Camping area	Schools Institution of higher learning & others	100.00/day 200.00/day
Rental of camping tents	-	30.00/unit
Canopy walk	Adult Below 18 years old	5.00/entry 3.00/entry
Accommodation Check-in 2.00pm Check-out 12.00pm	Guesthouse Log cabin Hostel** A & B	60.00/room/day 90.00/day 20.00/day/house
Seminar room	-	90.00/day
Meeting room	-	90.00/day

\*\* Towel is not provided



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# MATA AYER

FRIM RESEARCH STATION  
Tree Improvement Programme



## INTRODUCTION

Mata Ayer FRIM Research Station was established in 1974 under the *Pinus caribaea* Seed Improvement Programme at the Mata Ayer Forest Reserve in Perlis. The forest reserve which covers an area of 455 ha was planted with teak in 1953 as a trial planting. Currently, it is estimated that 300 ha of the forest reserve are planted with teak provenances from Thailand, Indonesia, India, Papua New Guinea, Trinidad and Sabah.



## LOCATION

- GPS Location: N 6.653897 E 100.241428
- Compartment 23 of the Mata Ayer Forest Reserve
- Distance from Kangar is about 28 km and from Padang Besar, 10 km.

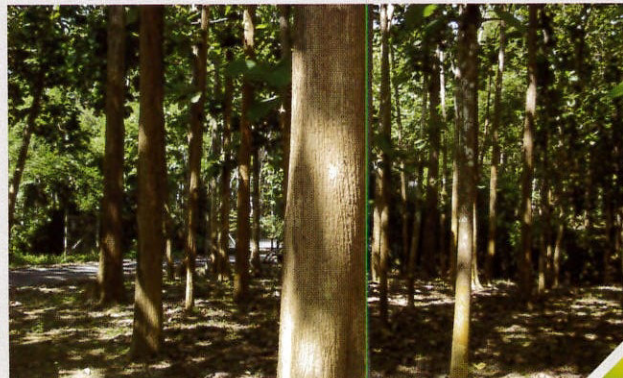
## OBJECTIVES

- To become an established teak research and information centre in the region
- To support teak improvement activities for the production of high quality planting materials
- To promote forestry and ecotourism to the public and government agencies



## RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

- Production of high quality planting materials
- Trial and germplasm plots for selected timber and herbal species
- High quality seed productions for teak
- Tree phenology
- Pests and diseases
- Graveyard test for wood durability
- Sales of high quality planting stocks
- Training on
  - a. Preparation and maintenance of planting materials
  - b. Tree improvement
  - c. Silviculture



## ECOTOURISM ACTIVITIES



- Demonstration plots
- Camping Area
- Canopy Walkway
- Teak Gallery
- Accommodation (23 people maximum)
- Seminar room (100 people) and meeting room (10 people) maximum

