The genus Betula - Classification crossed with geographical distribution

SUBGENUS/Section	Europe	Caucasus	Himalaya	W.China	E.China	Siberia	Japan Korea,Mandsh.	W.N.America	E.N.America	deJong (1992)
Subg. NIPPONOBETULA										
Nipponobetula							**corylifolia**			Betulenta
Subg. ASPERAE										
Asperae				**calcicola**		**schmidtii**	**schmidtii**			Neurobetula
			bomiensis	**potaninii**	**fargesii**		**chichibuensis**			Neurobetula
				delavayi	**chinensis**		**chinensis, globispica**			Neurobetula
Lentae		**medwediewii**		**insignis**			**grossa**		**lenta**	Betulenta
		megrelica							**lenta f. uber**	Betulenta
									alleghaniensis	Betulenta
Subg. ACUMINATAE			**alnoides**							Betulaster
Acuminatae			**alnoides ssp.luminifera**				**maximowicziana**			Betulaster
			cylindrostachya							Betulaster
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Subg. BETULA										
Dahuricae		**raddeana**				**dahurica**	**dahurica**		**nigra**	Neurobetula
Apterocaryon	**fruticosa**				**fruticosa**	**fruticosa**				Chamaebetula
				ovalifolia	**ovalifolia**		**ovalifolia**		**pumila**	Chamaebetula
								glandulosa	michauxii	Chamaebetula
	nana	**nana**							**nana**	Chamaebetula
Betulae	**pubescens**	**pubescens**				**pubescens**		**occidentalis**	**populifolia**	Betula
	pendula			**pendula**				**papyrifera**	**papyrifera**	Betula
	ssp. pendula	**ssp. pendula**		**(ssp.szechuanica, ssp.platyphylla)**					**cordifolia**	Betula
		utilis								
		(var. occidentalis, var. jacquemontii, var. utilis, var. albosinensis)								Neurobetula
						microphylla				Chamaebetula
Costatae							**ermanii**			Neurobetula
					costata		**costata**			Costatae

This table is a personal interpretation by P de Spoelberch based on Skvortsov (2002), keys De Langhe (2008) and personal communications with, and monograph to be published by, Hugh McAllister,