PLANT FACT SHEET

Aporosa lucida (Miq.) Airy Shaw

GENUS *Aporosa* **FAMILY** Phyllanthaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 18 m tall. The trunk is 25 cm across. The leaves are narrowly oval and 6-24 cm long by 2-9 cm wide. The fruit are round to oval and 7-11 mm long by 6-12 mm wide. There are 1 or 2 seeds. The fruit is sweet.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It suits the wet tropics. It grows from sea level to 1,200 m above sea level.

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