PLANT FACT SHEET

Wrightia laevis Hook.f.

GENUS *Wrightia* **FAMILY** Apocynaceae

COMMON NAMES White cheesewood

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Flowers

DESCRIPTION

A small tree. It grows 1-6 m tall. The leaves are 7-18 cm long by 3-8 cm wide. The flowering shoots are 2-3 cm long. The flowers are 15-20 mm wide. The fruit follicles are 20-35 cm long. The seeds are about 20 mm long.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It suits the wet tropics.

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