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Voacanga foetida (Blume) Rolfe

GENUS *Voacanga* **FAMILY** Apocynaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are eaten raw.

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 20 m tall. The trunk can be 40 cm across. They bark is grey. The flowers are white and have an unpleasant smell. The fruit are 11 cm across.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows from sea level to 600 m above sea level.

NOTES

The bark is used as medicine against malaria.

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