PLANT FACT SHEET

Ficus subcordata Blume

GENUS *Ficus* **FAMILY** Moraceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It can grow 30 m tall. It can grow attached to other plants. The leaves are in spirals. The leaves are oblong and 9-20 cm long by 4-10 cm wide. They have a light green leaf stalk that is 5 cm long. The figs are yellow and turn red when ripe. They are 3.5 cm long.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

PICTURES



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