PLANT FACT SHEET

Chytranthus talbotii (Bak.f.) Keay

GENUS *Chytranthus* **FAMILY** Sapindaceae

COMMON NAMES Toul, Toulouc

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit, Seeds, Spice

The fruit pulp is used as a spice or condiment.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or small tree. It grows 10 m high. It can have a few erect branches. There is a ring or very large leaves at the top. The flowers are produced at the base of the trunk. They are white. The fruit are yellow when ripe. They are 12 cm long.

HABITAT

A tropical plant.

REFERENCES

Awodoyin, R.O., Olubode, O.S., Ogbu, J.U., Balogun, R.B., Nwawuisi, J.U. and Orji, K.O., 2015, Indigenous Fruit Trees of Tropical Africa: Status, Opportunity for Development and Biodiversity Management. Agricultural Sciences, 6, 31-41

Burkill, H. M., 1985, The useful plants of west tropical Africa, Vol. 5. Kew.

Nkeoua, G. & Boundzanga, G. C., 1999, Donnees sur les produits forestieres non ligneux en Republique du Congo. FAO. p 22

Seidemann J., 2005, World Spice Plants. Economic Usage, Botany, Taxonomy. Springer. p 98

Vascular Plants of Korup National Park. korupplants.myspecies.info

Vivien, J., & Faure, J.J., 1996, Fruitiers Sauvages d'Afrique. Especes du Cameroun. CTA p 307

World Checklist of Useful Plant Species 2020. Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew

PROVIDED BY **Food Plants International**

French, B.R. & Maynard, A.R. Food Plants International Database. Food Plants International

LICENCE CC BY-NC-SA 3.0

ONLINE FACT SHEET https://www.echocommunity.org/en/resources/1fd34ef9-122f-4cf4-b26f-96117aa18a29