PLANT FACT SHEET

Chlorocardium rodiei (R. H. Schomb.) Rohwer, H. G. Richt. & van der Werff

GENUS *Chlorocardium* **FAMILY** Lauraceae

COMMON NAMES Demerara greenheart, Cogwood

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Seeds, Seeds - starch

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 15-30 m tall. The trunk is 35-60 cm wide. The leaves are simple and opposite. The fruit is fleshy and has one seed.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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