PLANT FACT SHEET

Syzygium pluviatile T. G. Hartley & L. M. Perry

GENUS *Syzygium* **FAMILY** Myrtaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A large tree. It grows 40 m tall. The trunk can be 40 m across. The trunk is straight for 15 m. The bark is smooth and red, or brown. The leaves are in pairs or opposite on small branches. The leaves are widest near the middle. They are 9-11 cm long by 6-8 cm wide. The flowers are near the ends of the branches. The fruit are red and fleshy. There is one seed.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It grows in rainforest and on coral limestone ridges. It occurs at about 100 m above sea level.

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