PLANT FACT SHEET

Copaifera paupera (Kerzog) Dwyer

GENUS *Copaifera* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit - aril

The fleshy layer around the seeds is eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 45 m tall. The trunk is 120 cm across. The leaves have 3-4 pairs of leaflets. The leaves are 5-10 cm long. The flowering shoots are 10-15 cm long. The fruit are a flattened round shape and are 3.5-4.3 cm long by 2.2-3.1 cm wide. The seeds are narrowly oval and 10-20 mm long by 8-10 mm wide.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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