PLANT FACT SHEET

Dialium corbisieri Staner

GENUS *Dialium* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

COMMON NAMES African velvet tamarind

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Seeds

The seeds are eaten raw.

DESCRIPTION

A large tree. It grows 30-35 m tall. The trunk can be straight or twisted and 100 cm across.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in flooded forests near streams.

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