PLANT FACT SHEET

Turraea floribunda Hochst.

GENUS *Turraea* **FAMILY** Meliaceae

COMMON NAMES Honeysuckle tree

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or small tree. It can grow 15 m high. It loses its leaves during the year. The leaf blades are 14 cm long by 7 cm wide. They are oval. The fruit is a capsule 1-2.5 cm across and round or oval.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in lower mountain rainforest. It suits humid locations. It also grows along rivers. It grows between 15-1,830 m above sea level.

NOTES

There are about 50 Turraea species. They are tropical plants.

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