PLANT FACT SHEET

Nephelium hypoleucum Kurz.

GENUS *Nephelium* **FAMILY** Sapindaceae

COMMON NAMES Korlan

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The ripe fruit are eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A tree 10-25 m tall. The trunk can be 1.4 m across. There can be buttresses 1.5 m tall. The leaves have 1-4 leaflets. The leaf stalk is 3-16 cm long. The leaflets are 6.5-30 cm long by 2-8 cm wide. The flowering stalks are at the ends of branches or in the axils of leaves. The male and female flowers can be in the same flowering group. The fruit is 2-3 cm long by 1.5-2 cm wide. It is densely warty. It is red.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It grows in dense forests on plains and low hills.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants are grown from seed.

Harvesting and Seed Production

In NE Thailand fruit are ripe March to April.

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