PLANT FACT SHEET

Baccaurea javanica (Blume) Mull.Arg.

GENUS *Baccaurea* **FAMILY** Phyllanthaceae

COMMON NAMES Burmese grape tree, Engkuni fruit tree

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are eaten raw.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or small tree. It grows 3-12 m tall. The trunk can be 30 cm across. It can have buttresses. The leaves are simple and alternate. The male and female flowers are on separate plants. The flowers and fruit are produced on the trunk. The fruit are round and 11-17 mm across.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in rainforest and freshwater swamps. It occurs from sea level to 1,800 m above sea level.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants are grown from fresh seeds. Seeds germinate in a few days.

Harvesting and Seed Production

Flowers and fruit can be produced all year round.

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