PLANT FACT SHEET

Syzygium hemisphericum (Wight) Alston

GENUS *Syzygium* **FAMILY** Myrtaceae

COMMON NAMES Hemispheric rose-apple

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 20 m tall. The bark is smooth and greyish-brown. The leaves are simple and opposite. The leaf blade is 8-19 cm long by 3-8 cm wide. The flowers are large and white. They are in groups at the ends of the branches. The fruit is a berry 2-3 cm across. They are flattened and purple with a crown on top.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It grows in evergreen forests up to 1,400 m above sea level.

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