PLANT FACT SHEET

Schoepfia fragrans Wall.

GENUS *Schoepfia* **FAMILY** Schoepfiaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or small tree. It grows 3-10 m tall. The small branches are pale brown. The leaves are narrowly oval and 6-11 cm long by 4-5 cm wide. The base is wedge shaped and unequal. There are 5-10 flowers in a group 2-3.5 cm long. The fruit are fleshy and 7-9 mm across.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows between 800-2,100 m above sea level. It occurs in Yunnan.

NOTES

Also put in the family Olacaceae.

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