PLANT FACT SHEET

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It has not been confirmed that this plant is safe to eat. Do not eat it on the strength of this fact sheet alone.

Vatica pauciflora (Korth.) Blume

GENUS *Vatica* **FAMILY** Dipterocarpaceae

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 25 m tall. The leaves are narrowly oval to sword shaped. They are simple and arranged alternately. They are 7-20 cm long by 2-8 cm wide. The flowers are white or pale yellow and in the axils of leaves near the ends of branches. The fruit is a brown nut 3 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in freshwater swamps and along rivers.

REFERENCES

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