PLANT FACT SHEET

Parartocarpus venenosus subsp. papuanus (Zoll. and Mor.) Becc.; (Becc.) Jarr.

GENUS *Parartocarpus* **FAMILY** Moraceae

COMMON NAMES Malanangka

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Seeds

The seeds are eaten raw or cooked.

DESCRIPTION

A medium sized tree. The leaves are alternate. They are oblong and pointed at the tip. They are 8-15 cm long and 5-7 cm wide. The fruit is irregular and has obscure lobes.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It the Philippines it grows in Luzon, Mondoro, Samar and Leyte.

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