PLANT FACT SHEET

Prumnopitys ferruginea (D. Don) de Laub.

GENUS *Prumnopitys* **FAMILY** Podocarpaceae

COMMON NAMES Miro, Brown pine

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A small tree. It grows 25 m tall. The trunk is 1-1.5 m across. The bark is thick and grey. The leaves are feathery and dark green. The are narrow and 15-25 mm long by 2-3 mm wide. The fruit are broadly oblong and red.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

It can be grown from fresh seed. They are slow to germinate.

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