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Sarcomphalus amole (Sesse & Moc.) Hauenschild

GENUS *Sarcomphalus* **FAMILY** Rhamnaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or small tree. It grows 2-12 m tall. The fruit are round and red and 1 cm across.

HABITAT

A tropical and subtropical plant. It grows from near sea level to 1,200 m above sea level.

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