PLANT FACT SHEET

Inga longipes Benth.

GENUS *Inga* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

COMMON NAMES Longstalk inga

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The pulp of the fruit is eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 20 m tall. The trunk is 40 cm across. The leaves are compound with 4 pairs of leaflets and one at the end. The leaves are 17-26 cm long by 8-13 cm wide. The fruit is a long pod. It is 15-20 cm long by 2.5-3 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants grow easily from seeds. Seeds germinate in 1-2 weeks given moisture and shade.

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