PLANT FACT SHEET

Ficus austrina Corner

GENUS *Ficus* **FAMILY** Moraceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 23 m tall. It can have buttresses. The leaves are in spirals. They are broadly oval and rough. The young leaves are copper coloured. The fruit are yellow to brown. They grow on the trunk and branches.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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