PLANT FACT SHEET

Breonadia salicina (Vahl) Hepper & J. R. I. Wood

GENUS *Breonadia* **FAMILY** Rubiaceae

COMMON NAMES Water shea nut, African teak

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Bark - fermenting drinks, Medicine, Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It can grow 40 m tall. The trunk can be 150 cm across. The leaves are in rings of 3-5 near the ends of twigs. The leaves are 7-33 cm long by 2-9 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

It can be grown from seed.

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