PLANT FACT SHEET

Inga stipularis DC.

GENUS *Inga* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

COMMON NAMES Guamita inga

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The pulp around the seeds is eaten raw.

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 20 m tall. The fruit is seed pod 20 cm long by 2 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in rainforest and along the edges of marsh forests.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants are grown from seeds.

NOTES

Also as Mimosaceae.

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