PLANT FACT SHEET

Ulmus mexicana (Liebm.) Planch.

GENUS *Ulmus* **FAMILY** Ulmaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are eaten as a snack.

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 25 m tall. The leaves are sword shaped to oval. They are 4-16 cm long by 2-7 cm wide. The fruit are oval and 9-11 mm long by 2.5-3 mm wide. The seeds is about 1.75 mm long by 1.25 mm wide.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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