PLANT FACT SHEET

Annona dolabripetala Raddi

GENUS *Annona* **FAMILY** Annonaceae

COMMON NAMES Lancewood, Laurel leaf annona

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are eaten raw.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or tree. It grows 5-7 m tall. It can be taller up to 25 m tall. The trunk is 40 cm across. The young twigs have rusty hairs. The leaves are narrowly oval. They are a dark brown above and more pale underneath. They are 6-17 cm long by 2-5 cm wide. The flowers are near the leaves and in groups of 1-3. The flowers are green to yellow. The fruit are almost round and 2-3 cm long by 2-3 cm wide. They are yellow when ripe.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in the rainforest. It grows up to 1,450 m above sea level.

PRODUCTION

Harvesting and Seed Production

Flowers occur from July to November and fruit from November to March.

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