PLANT FACT SHEET

Edibility uncertain

It has not been confirmed that this plant is safe to eat. Do not eat it on the strength of this fact sheet alone.

Pleuranthodendron lindenii (Turcz.) Sleumer

GENUS *Pleuranthodendron* **FAMILY** Salicaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A small tree. It can grow to 35 m tall but is often smaller. There is a clusters of white flowers. The fruit are in groups and are round and yellow-brown.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows between sea level and 1,100 m above sea level. It suits the wet tropics.

NOTES

Also put in the Flacourtiaceae family.

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