PLANT FACT SHEET

Guatteria blepharophylla Mart.

GENUS *Guatteria* **FAMILY** Annonaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A spindly shrub. It grows 3-6 m tall. The branches are long and arching. The leaves are large and alternate. They are drooping. They are a dull dark green above and more pale underneath. The flowers are thick and fleshy and orange to yellow. The fruit are purple, juicy and edible.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in dry forest.

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