PLANT FACT SHEET

Pseudobombax munguba (Mart. & Zucc.) Dugand

GENUS *Pseudobombax* **FAMILY** Malvaceae

COMMON NAMES Manguba, Munguba

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Seeds, Seeds - oil

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It can grow 50 m tall and have a rounded crown. The trunk can be 40-60 cm across. The bark is green. The fruit is a red oval capsule.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants can be grown from fresh seed.

NOTES

It was in the family Bombacaceae. In the subfamily Bombacoideae.

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