PLANT FACT SHEET

Cassia cowanii var. guianensis (Sandwith) H. S. Irwin & Barneby

GENUS *Cassia* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 30 m tall. The trunk is 30 cm across. The young leaves are red. The flowers are bright yellow.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows on the edges of forests and along river banks above the flood-water.

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