PLANT FACT SHEET

Terminalia laxiflora Engl.

GENUS *Terminalia* **FAMILY** Combretaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves - medicine

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 10 m tall. The bark is grey and deeply cracked. The leaves have long leaf stalks but the leaves vary in shape. The leaves are arranged in spirals and are narrowly oval. They are 16-22 cm long by 4.5-9.5 cm wide. The flower spikes are 9-12.5 cm long. The fruit are yellowish brown. They are 6-8 cm long by 2.5-3.5 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in the savannah.

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