PLANT FACT SHEET

Parkia sherfeseei Merrill

GENUS *Parkia* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Spice, Vegetable

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 27 m tall. The trunk can be 1.2 m across. The young branches have rusty hairs. The leaves are 50 cm long. The leaves are twice divided.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It suits the wet tropics.

NOTES

Also as Mimosaceae.

REFERENCES

PROSEA handbook Volume 13 Spices. p 279

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