PLANT FACT SHEET

Pericopsis laxiflora (Benth. ex Baker) van Meeuwen

GENUS *Pericopsis* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit, Leaves, Vegetable

The fruit are cooked as a sauce.

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It has a crooked crown with drooping branches. It grows 9-13 m tall. The trunk is crooked and 25 cm across.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in woodland and woodland savannah. It suits the seasonally dry tropics.

NOTES

Medicine. It has antidiabetic properties.

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