PLANT FACT SHEET

Commiphora baluensis Engl.

GENUS *Commiphora* **FAMILY** Burseraceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit, Bark - tea

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 6-20 m tall. The trunk has the lowest branches above 5 m. The trunk is 35 cm across. The bark peels in large white flakes. The leaves have 3-5 leaflets. The leaflets are narrow and they have teeth along the edge. The leaflets are 6 cm long by 4 cm wide. The fruit are 13 mm long by 5 mm wide and flattened.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in deciduous forests between 600-1,600 m above sea level. It grows in areas with a rainfall of 450-800 mm.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants can be grown from seed.

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