PLANT FACT SHEET

Canarium parvum Leenh.

GENUS *Canarium* **FAMILY** Burseraceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Seeds, Nuts

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or small tree. It grows 3-8 m tall. The trunk is 15-30 cm across. The young branches are 3-5 mm across. The leaves have 2-4 pairs of leaflets. The leaflets are oval and 5-10 cm long by 2-5 cm wide. The base is rounded or wedge shaped and oblique. The flowering shoots are near the leaf axils. The fruit is yellow-green and spindle shaped. They are 3-4 cm long by 1-3 cm across.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in valley forests in southern China between 100-700 m above sea level. In Yunnan.

PRODUCTION

Harvesting and Seed Production

In southern China plants flower in November to May and fruit in August to November.

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