PLANT FACT SHEET

Mallotus macrostachyus (Miq.) Mull.Arg.

GENUS *Mallotus* **FAMILY** Euphorbiaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves - medicine

DESCRIPTION

A small tree. It grows 16 m tall. The trunk is 25 cm across. The leaves are alternate and simple. They are hairy underneath. The flowers are 4 mm across and greenish-yellow and along long flower stalks. The fruit are 13 mm across.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in the wet tropics. It grows up to 800 m above sea level.

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