PLANT FACT SHEET

Syzygium stocksii (Duthie) Gamble

GENUS *Syzygium* **FAMILY** Myrtaceae

COMMON NAMES Jambhul

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A small tree. It grows 15 m tall. The bark is greyish-brown. The small branches are 4 sided. The leaves are simple and opposite. The leaf blade is 9-17 cm long by 4-8 cm wide. They narrow to the base and are rounded at the tip. The flowers are in the axils of the leaves. The fruit is a pink berry 6 cm long by 1 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in forest at about 800 m in Kerala.

PRODUCTION

Harvesting and Seed Production

In Kerala it flowers and fruits in March to June.

NOTES

It is an at risk species.

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