PLANT FACT SHEET

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It has not been confirmed that this plant is safe to eat. Do not eat it on the strength of this fact sheet alone.

Hancea penangensis (Mull.Arg.) S. E. C. Sierra, Kulju & Welzen

GENUS *Hancea* **FAMILY** Euphorbiaceae

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 28 m tall. The trunk is 35 cm across. The leaves are opposite but with one smaller. The flowers are 4 mm across. They are white to yellow. The fruit are 13 mm across. and green to red with 3 lobes. They are spiny.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It suits the wet tropics.

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