PLANT FACT SHEET

Drypetes aubrevillei Leandri

GENUS *Drypetes* **FAMILY** Putranjivaceae

COMMON NAMES Pepper stick, Pepper tree

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Bark - flavouring

The bark has a peppery taste. It is occasionally used as a spice.

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 15 m high.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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