PLANT FACT SHEET

# *Myrcia chytraculia var. zuzygium* (L.) G.P.Burton & E. Lucas

**GENUS** *Myrcia* **FAMILY** Myrtaceae

**COMMON NAMES** Myrtle-of-the-river

## EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

**Edible parts:** Fruit

## DESCRIPTION

A tree. The fruit are small black berries.

## HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

## REFERENCES

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