PLANT FACT SHEET

Diospyros chrysocarpa F. White

GENUS *Diospyros* **FAMILY** Ebenaceae

COMMON NAMES Kolokpe

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The ripe fruit are eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 30 m high. The fruit turns yellow-green when ripe. The fruit is edible.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It grows in the rainforest. It suits humid locations.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants can be grown from seed.

Harvesting and Seed Production

Plants take 10 years to commence fruiting.

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