PLANT FACT SHEET

Chytranthus mortehannii (De Wild.) De Voldere ex Hauman

GENUS *Chytranthus* **FAMILY** Sapindaceae

COMMON NAMES Toulom

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The seeds are cooked and eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or small tree. It grows 4-5 m high. It can be up to 25 m high. The fruit contain several edible brown chestnut shaped seeds. The fruit are 5 cm across.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It grows in seasonally flooded forest.

PRODUCTION

Harvesting and Seed Production

In Congo fruit are available May to October.

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