PLANT FACT SHEET

Caloncoba brevipes (Stapf.) Gilg.

GENUS *Caloncoba* **FAMILY** Achariaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit, Seeds

The mucilage layer around the seeds is eaten.
The ripe seeds are eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 16 m tall. The trunk is slender and clean.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in parts of West Africa.

NOTES

Also put in the family Flacourtiaceae.

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