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Persea lingue (Miers ex Bertero) Nees

GENUS *Persea* **FAMILY** Lauraceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 15-30 m tall. It becomes more spreading as it matures. The leaves are 6-11 cm long by 4-7 cm wide. The flowering shoots are in the axils of the leaves near the ends of the branches. The flowers are 5-6 mm long and yellowish green and hairy. The fruit are in clusters and are 14-17 mm wide.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in forests from sea level to 2,000 m above sea level. It suits USDA hardiness zones 8-9.

NOTES

It is an at risk species.

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