PLANT FACT SHEET

Albertisia papuana Becc.

GENUS *Albertisia* **FAMILY** Menispermaceae

COMMON NAMES Sungkai papuana

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit, Leaves - flavouring

DESCRIPTION

A woody vine. The young branches have a grey covering. The leaf stalks are swollen at both ends. Plants are separately male and female.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in primary rainforest at low altitude.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants can be grown from seeds.

NOTES

There are about 17 Albertisia species.

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