PLANT FACT SHEET

Casearia sylvestris Sw.

GENUS *Casearia* **FAMILY** Salicaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or small tree. The leaves are alternate. The fruit are yellow.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. In Argentina it grows from sea level to 2,300 m above sea level.

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