PLANT FACT SHEET

Aglaia speciosa Blume

GENUS *Aglaia* **FAMILY** Meliaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fleshy layer around the seeds is eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 35 m tall. The trunk is 50 cm across and can have buttresses. It can be without branches for the first 20 m. Trees are separately male and female. The fruit are orange to brown and broadly oval. They are 2-3 cm long by 1.7-2.7 cm wide. There are 2 seeds.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in forest from sea level to 2,200 m above sea level.

NOTES

It is an at risk species.

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