PLANT FACT SHEET

Ficus smithii Horne ex Baker

GENUS *Ficus* **FAMILY** Moraceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A small tree. It grows 6-10 m tall. The leaves are narrowly oval and taper to the tip. The fruit are red.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in the mountains. It has been recorded at 30-80 m above sea level. It suits the wet tropics.

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