PLANT FACT SHEET

Ampelocera hottlei (Standl.) Standl.

GENUS *Ampelocera* **FAMILY** Ulmaceae

COMMON NAMES Guaya de monte

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 30 m tall. The trunk is 60 cm across. The leaves are oblong and 7-13 cm long by 3-6 cm wide. The flowers are in dense groups. The fruit is round and 1 cm long by 5 mm wide. It is yellow and hairy.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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