

Acropogon bullatus

Droopy

Family : Malvaceae



This spectacular tree forms flattened buttresses at the base of the trunk.

It owes its name to the resemblance of its leaves to the large ears of the dog in the cartoons created by Tex Avery.

Its adult leaves are oval, bubbled and drooping, while the juvenile leaves are whole and then three-lobed.

It has small red flowers garnet in the shape of star.

The fruits, red at maturity, contain shiny black seeds.



Ecology

- Ornamental tree
- Soil fixing plant



Virtues



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