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**DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY**

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**Botanical Name:** *Mimusops elengi* L.

**Family:** Sapotaceae

**Common Name:** Spanish cherry, Bakula.

**Origin:** Tropical forest in South Asia, Southeast Asia and Northern Australia.

**General Characters:**

- It is mainly used for dental ailments.
- It is used to treat toothache and headache.
- It improve blood sugar level.
- It is large evergreen tree.
- The stems are cylindrical.
- The bark is dark grey color.
- The leaves are alternate.

