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DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY

Botanical Name: *Annona reticulate* L.

Family: Annonaceae

Common Name: Ramphal

General Characters:

- It is best known for fruit, called as custard apple.
- The fruit is sweet and useful in preparation of desserts.
- It is small deciduous or semi-evergreen tree reaching 8 meters.
- The slender leaves are hairless, straight and pointed at the apex.
- It possesses several medicinal properties such as anti-inflammatory, antipyretic etc.

