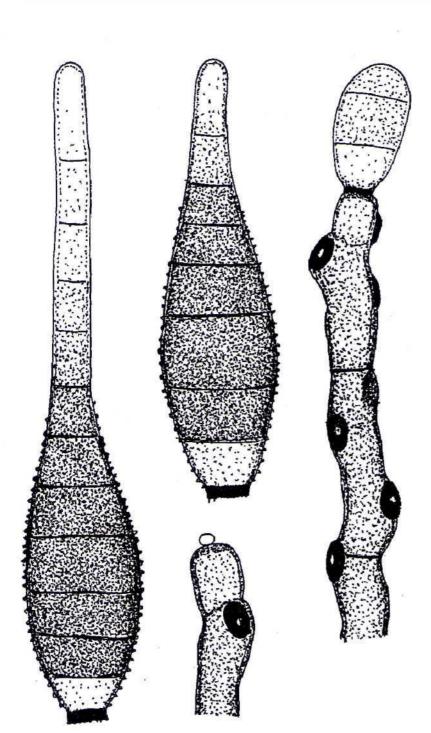


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TWO NEW WILD SPECIES OF AVERRHOA (OXALIDACEAE) FROM INDONESIA

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ABSTRACT

RUGAYAH & SUNARTI, S. 2008. Two new wild species of Averrhoa (Oxalidaceae) from Indonesia. Reinwardtia 12(4):325-331.— Based on living collections cultivated in Bogor Botanical Gardens and several herbarium specimens kept in Herbarium Bogoriense, Averrhoa dolichocarpa Rugayah & Sunarti (from New Guinea) and A. leucopetala Rugayah & Sunarti (from North Sulawesi) are described as new species. They are compared with A. carambola L. and A. bilimbi L. the only other known species so far.

Keywords. Averrhoa dolichocarpa, Averrhoa leucopetala, Oxalidaceae, Indonesia.

ABSTRAK

RUGAYAH & SUNARTI, S. 2008. Dua jenis baru Averrhoa (Oxalidaceae) dari Indonesia. Reinwardtia 12(4): 325-331.

— Berdasarkan koleksi hidup yang ada di Kebun Raya Bogor dan beberapa spesimen herbarium yang disimpan di Herbarium Bogoriense, dipertelakan dua jenis baru Averrhoa dolichocarpa Rugayah & Sunarti (dari Papua) dan A. leucopetala Rugayah & Sunarti (dari Sulawesi Utara). Keduanya diperbandingkan dengan dua jenis yang ada saat ini yaitu A. carambola L. dan A. bilimbi L.

Kata kunci. Averrhoa dolichocarpa, Averrhoa leucopetala, Oxalidaceae, Indonesia.

INTRODUCTION

Averrhoa carambola L. and A. bilimbi L. (Oxalidaceae) are two well known South-East Asian species, widely cultivated to be used as table fruits, spices or traditional medicine respectively. Several infraspecific taxa of these two species have been described by earlier authors (Koorders & Valeton, 1903; Kunth, 1930) who recognized A. carambola var. angusticepala Progel (from South America) and A. carambola f. acida Koorders & Valeton and A. carambola f. dulcis Koorders & Valeton (cultivars from Java) and A. bilimbi f. papuana Kunth (from Papua). Since no character could be found to distinguish these infraspecific taxa, most modern taxonomists (Backer & Bakhuizen v/ d Brink Jr., 1963; Veldkamp 1971 Samson, 1992).) recognized only the two species based on morphological characters, such as the number of leaflets, position of the flowers, size of the corolla, the coherence petals, the shape of fruit, and the presence or absence of the seed aril.

In 1985, Dr. Elizabeth A. Widjaja and Hamzah of Herbarium Bogoriense brought a living plant of strange star apple fruit from Cycloops Nature Reserve, (New Guinea) to Bogor Botanic Gardens, Indonesia. In 2002, Mrs. Inggit Puji Astuti of Bogor Botanical Gardens also introduced a living plant of another star apple fruit from Gorontalo (N. Sulawesi)

to the Gardens. These living collections and other herbarium specimens kept in BO cannot be justifiably included in the two existing species, so that they are treated here as two distinct species.

Morphological observations on the four species of Averrhoa indicated that they differ from each other in many characters like leaves, inflorescence, flower and fruit (Table 1-3). From the tables it can be observed that in vegetative characters, A. dolichocarpa and A. leucopetala are more similar to Averrhoa bilimbi than to A. carambola. In their generative characters, however, A. dolichocarpa and A. leucopetala are closer to A. carambola.

Key to the species

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Table 1.Leaf characters of four species A. carambola, A. leucopetala, A. dolichocarpa, and A. bilimbi

Characters	A. carambola	A. leucopetala	A. dolichocarpa	A. bilimbi
Leaf arrangement	imparipinnate, sparsely arranged	imparipinnate, crowded at the stem apex	imparipinnate, crowded near the stem apex	imparipinnate, crowded at the stem apex
Leaf length	9 – 11.5 cm	3 - 13 cm	(15-) 24.5 – 59.5 cm	43 – 45.6 cm
	2 - 4 pairs	4 – 7 pairs	7 – 13 pairs	14 -19 pairs
leaflets Petiole length	2 - 2.5 cm	1.5 - 6 cm	(4 -) 7 - 16 cm	5 – 6 cm
Leaflets shape and size		narrowly oblong (6.5-10.7 x 2.6 - 4.4 cm) to ovate, (0.8 - 4.8 x 0.5 - 3 cm	narrowly oblong (5.5 – 11 x 3 4.5 cm), to ovate (2 – 4.5 x 1.3 – 2.8 cm	oblong rarely narrowly ovate 4.3 - 8.5 x 2.6 - 4 cm
Leaflet surface	upper nearly glabrous (hairy at the midrib), sparsely short hairy beneath	upper glabrous (sparsely hairy at the midrib), pubescent beneath	upper glabrous (sparsely scarcely hairy at the midrib), densely curved & punctate hairy beneath	
Nerves	5 – 7 pairs,	4 - 12 pairs	(4) 5 - 10 pairs	7 pairs
Petiolules length	c. 3 mm	1-2 mm	c. 1.5 - 3 mm	c. 2 mm

AVERRHOA CARAMBOLA L. (Fig. 1,5)

Sp. Pl. (1753) 428; Blume, Bijdr. (1825) 242. Blanco, Fl. Filip. (1837)391; Miquel, Fl. Ind. Bat. 1 (1874) 133. Ridl. Fl. Mal. Pen. 1(1922) 332; Heyne, Nutt Pl. (1927) 853. Back. & Bakh. v/d Brink, Fl. Java 1 (1963) 245; Veldkamp, Fl. Males. 1, 7 (1971) 175.

DISTRIBUTION. widely cultivated throughout Indonesia

SPESIMEN EXAMINED. Celebes: Z.W. Celebes, Lombasang: H.A.B. Bunnemeijer 11218; Culta: S. Binnedijk 448 HB (A. carambola L. fß acida); Leg. Ign. sn VII. D. 53 (A. carambola L. f. ß acida). Java: Semarang, Sendang near Gedangan, J.B. Beumee 28103 β; Kedungjati, J.B. Beumee 26154 β; Babakan, Kampung baru, Soegandiredja 13. Lesser Sunda Islands: Lombok, Rinjani, Dr. J. Elbert 2055; Moluccas: Sula, Eil Taliabu, kp. Tambona, Hulstijn/Atje 101. Ternate, Fitu, Beguin 1676; Halmahera, Sosupu, kp. Todahe, Nedi (Exp. De Haan) 253. Philippine, Luzon: Province of Rizal, Bosoboso, Ahern's 1972; Tugueganav, E. D. Merrill 195; Batan Island, Albay, C.B. Robinson 6267; Island of Negros, Prov of Negros Oriental, Dumaguete (Cuernos Mts), A.D.E. Elmer 9979; Luzon, Pangasinan Province, Umingan, Merrill Species Blancoanae 406; Sumatra, Banka: H.A.B. Bunnemeijer 1466; Muntok, Berkhout s.n. 5/8/1886.

AVERRHOA BILIMBI L. (Fig. 2,6)

Sp. Pl. (1753) 428; Blanco, Fl. Filip (1837) 391; Miquel, Fl. Ind. Bat. 1,1 (1859) 139; Ridl. Fl. Mal. Pen. 1(1922) 331; Heyne, Nutt Pl. (1927) 852; Back. & Bakh. f/d Brink, Fl. Java 1 (1963) 246; Veldkamp, Fl. Males. 1, 7 (1971) 175.

Table 2. Flower characters of four species A. carambola, A. leucopetala, A. dolichocarpa, and A. bilimbi

Characters	A. carambola	A. leucopetala	A. dolichocarpa	A. bilimbi
Inflorescences	panicle often with densely crowded flower	cluster with several flowers	cluster with densely crowded flower	panicle fasiculate
Peduncle and rachis Pedicels Position	4 cm long, reddish purple 1.5 mm, glabrous. reddish purple usually axillary or along branchlets	1-1.5 cm long, green 3 - 4 mm, hairy, pale green cauliflorous, occasionally in axiller	1-2.5 cm long, brownish green 3 - 5 mm, hairy, brownish green cauliflorous	7.5 cm long, green 5 - 6 mm, hairy, green cauliflorous, becoming
Flower size Sepal shape & size	0.6 - 1.0 cm long, 0.7 cm in diam 3 ovate, 2 broadly oblong (4 - 4.5 mm x2 - 2.2 mm), with obtusely acuminate or obliquely emarginated apex	0.6 - 0.7 cm long, 0.4 cm in diam. 3 ovate-oblong 2 lanceolate (6 - 7 x 2.5-3 mm), with obtuse apex.	0.8 - 1.0 cm long, 0.5 cm in diam. 3 ovate-oblong 2 lanceolate (6 - 8 x 2 - 4 mm), with slightly recurved apex	pendulous 1.3 - 1.6 cm long, 1.1 cm in diam 3 ovate, and 2 oblong (5 mm x 2.5 mm), with obtusely apex
Sepal surface	glabrous both side	glabrous inside, hairy out side	glabrous inside, hairy out side.	glabrous inside, hairy outside
Sepal Colour	whitish violet	pale green	lightly yellowish brown	greenish white or greenish red-purple
Petal shape & size	oblong-ovate, 6 x 3 mm	lanceolate, 6 - 10 x 2 - 3 mm	oblong-ovate, 6 - 11 x 2.5 - 3 mm	obovate, 15 x 3 - 4 mm
Petal surface	hairy only inside; gland hairs reddish -white transparant	slightly hairy only inside;gland hairs white transparant	glabrous	rarely hairy only out side; gland hairs white transparant.
Colour	middle part violate, margin whitish, inside the claw white	white	white outside, upper side of lobes with a pattern of pinkish purple and white stripes except at white margins	dark red or purple, in side the claw white
Filament (number, size)	J. (- ,-,,	varying in length, 3.5 - 7 mm long, glabrous	varying in length, 3 – 5 mm long, glabrous	10 (4.5 - 5 mm), sparsely hairy
Stylus (number, size) position	glabrous 5, 3 mm long; pistil longer than stamen	5, 1-2 mm long; pistil shorter than stamen	5, 3.5 – 4.5 mm long; pistil longer than stamen	5, 3 mm long; pistil shorter than stamen & rarely longer

DISTRIBUTION: widely cultivated throughout Indonesia

SPESIMEN EXAMINED: Java P. Panaitan: Mt. Tenjo (N Peninsula), J. van Boorsum Waalkes 261; SW of Tg Parat . van Boorsum Waalkes 681; W Java, Bantarjaja Estate; 24 km S of Rangkasbitung, P. Buwalda 2913; Pekalongan, Tirto garden, Dr. van Leèuwen – Reijnvaan 44. Philippine: Luzon Islands, Prov. Sorsogon, Irosin (Mt. Bulusan), A.D.E. Elmer 15122; Mindanao, Prov. Agusan, Cabadbaran (Mt. Urdaneta) A.D.E. Elmer13999; Leyte Island, Leyte Prov., Palo, A.D.E. Elmer7089; Luzon, Prov.

Batan, Lamao river, Mt. Mariveles, T.E. Borden 2737; Luzon, Prov. Rizal, Antiolo, Species Blancoannae: Merrill 255; S.O.Luzon, Prov. Camarines South, Nueva Canceres, H. Hallier s.n. 24/6/1903; Moluccas: Amboina, C.B. Robinson 219.

Averrhoa leucopetala Rugayah et Sunarti sp. nov.

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Table 3. Fruit characters of four species A. carambola, A. leucopetala, A. dolichocarpa, and A. bilimbi

Characters	A. carambola	A. leucopetala	A. dolichocarpa	A. bilimbi
Persistent	absent	present	present	present
calyx Shape	broadly oblong, deeply star-shaped in cross section; wings sharp at top and hard, not divided at apex, without persistent styles	oblong-ovate, star-shaped in cross section, wings rounded at ridge, shortly divided at apex, without persistent styles	narrowly oblong, deeply star-shaped in cross section with flat connecting valleys; deeply divided into lobe at apex with 5 persistent styles	narrowly oblong, shallowly star-shaped in cross section, not separate at apex, with 5 persistent styles
Size	up to 12.5 x 6 cm	(5-)9 - 11.5 x 2.4 - 3.7 cm	9 - 12.1 x 2.4 - 4.5 cm	· ·
Colour	immature: green, mature: dark yellow	immature: light green, mature yellowish green	immature: dark green, mature: yellow	immature and mature light green
Aril	very thick	thin	thin	Thin
Seed size	8 – 10 x 6 mm	c. 9 x 5 mm	7 - 13 x 5 mm	$5 - 6 \times 4 \text{ mm}$
Taste	sweet	sour	very sour	sour

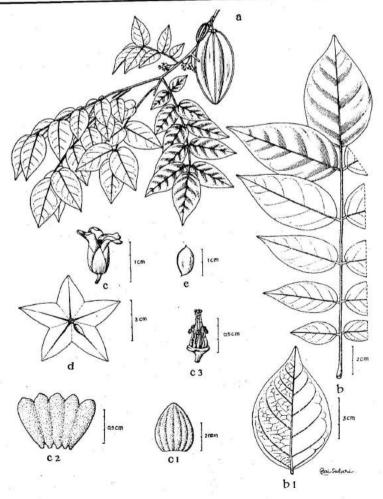


Fig.1. Averrhoa carambola L. (a. Habit, b. Leave, c. Flower, c1. Sepal, c2. Petal, c3. Sament & style, d. Cross section of fruit, e. Seed).

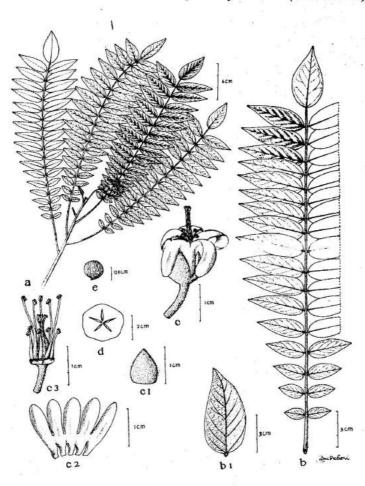


Fig.2. Averrhoa bilimbi L. (a. Habit, b. Leave, c. Flower, c1. Sepal, c2. Petal, c3. Sament & style, d.Cross section of fruit, e. Seed).

pubescentes, rachides pubescentes, 6 vel 8 cm longae, foliola longi-oblonga (7.3 x 2.9 cm) vel ovata (0.8 x 0.5 cm), acuminate apices, truncate basi, ab usque ad imum parvusescens, pubescentia, glaucescentia infra, glabrata supra, 5- vel 12-nervia, petioluli 1 - 1.5 mm longa, ad apicem longior, 5 vel 15 mm longi.0Pedicelli 4 vel 5 mm longi, puberuli. Sepala 5, ovati-oblonga, obtusa, viridilutea, 6 vel 7 mm longa, 2.5 vel 3 mm lata, glabra supra, pubescentia infra. Petala lanceolata, rotundata apice, angustata basi, reflexa, coherentia in dimidio inferiore, 6 mm longa, 2.5 vel 3 mm lata, 1.5 vel 2 mm longa, alba puberula supra, glabra infra. Stamina connata basi, glabra, ea antisepala 5, longior, 7 mm longa, ea antipetala 5, brevior, 4.5 mm longa, filamenta glabra; antherae longa. subrotundata, ca. mm 1 quinqueangulatum, dense puberulum, 1 mm longum, quinqueloculatum. Styli 5, dense puberuli, 2 mm longi. Ovula 5 in quoque loculo. Fructus fusiformes quinqueangulares, 12.1 cm longi, 4.5 cm diametro, virides, puberuli, calyx persistens, sepala anguste oblonga, 7 mm longa, 3 mm lata. — TYPUS: Java. Bogor Botanical Gardens, introduce from Gorontalo, N.Sulawesi. Rugayah & Siti Sunarti no. 1556 (holo: BO)

Wild plant. Shrub up to 2 m tall. Leaves crowded near top of tree; petiole 1.5 – 6 cm long, pubescence;

rachis 3 - 13 cm long, pubescence; leaflets imparipinnate, 4-7 in pairs, becoming smaller from top down to bottom; narrowly oblong (7.3 x 2.9 cm) to ovate, (0.8 x 0.5 cm), acuminate at apex, truncate and subcordate at base, glabrous except on sparsely hairy midrib on upper surface, pubescent and glaucouse on the lower surface, lateral nerves 4-12 in pairs; petiolules pubescent, lateral ones 1-2 mm long, terminal one longer, 2-5 mm long. Inflorescences cauliflory and sometimes axillary, forming small clusters of several flowers; peduncle and rachis green, less than 2 cm long; bracts subulate, 1-3 mm long, sparsely hairy, caduceus; pedicel 3 - 4 mm long, pubescent; sepals 5, ovateoblong, obtuse at apex, 6-7 mm long, 2.5-3 mm broad, pale green, glabrous above, pubescent below; petals 5, white, coherent at lower part, lanceolate 6-10 mm long, 2-3 mm broad, rotundate at apex, the upper two fifth erect at first, after then reflexed and the erect part becoming as long as sepal, slightly hairy above, glabrous below with gland hairs white transparant; stamens connate at very base, glabrous, antisepala filaments 5, longer, 7 mm long, antipetala ones 5, shorter, 3.5 mm long; anthers subrotundate,

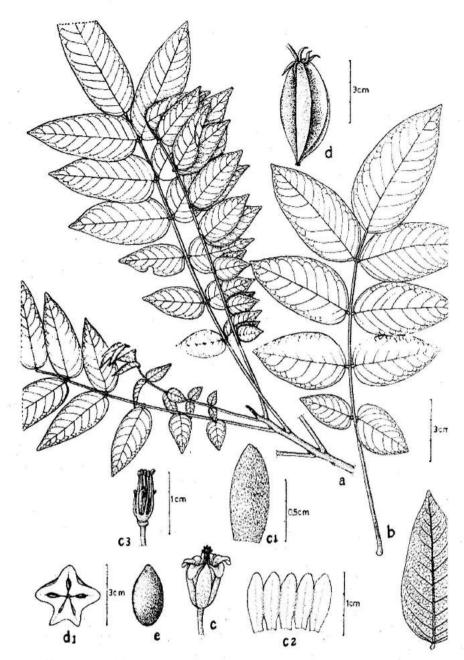


Fig.3. Averrhoa leucopetala Rugayah & Sunarti (a. Habit, b. Leave, c. Flower, c1. Sepal, c2. Petal, c3. Sament & style, d. Fruits, d1. Cross section of fruit, e. Seed).

ca. 1 mm long; pistil shorter than stamen; ovary 5-angled, 5-celled, ca. 1 mm long, densely hairy; styles 5, free, ca. 2 mm long, densely hairy. Fruits fusiform, very shortly divided at top, 5-angled, with flat connecting valleys, wings rounded at ridge, (5-)9 – 11.5 cm long, 2.4 – 3.7 cm in diameter, light green changing to yellow, sour in test. Seeds 9 mm long, 5 mm broad, with thin transparent aril.

DISTRIBUTION: N. Sulawesi: Gorontalo: Tangale and Panua Nature Reserve.

SPECIMEN EXAMINED: North Sulawesi, Gorontalo: Panua Nature Reserve, 2002, Inggit Pudji Astuti

IP398 (living collection); Tangale Nature Reserve, 20/9/2002, Rugayah et al, 671

Averrhoa dolichocarpa Rugayah et Sunarti sp.nov. (Fig. 4,8)

Folia imparipinata, 9 vel 11 jugata, petiola 4.5 vel 6 cm longi, pubescentes, rhachides pubescentes, 27.5 vel 35 cm longa, foliola anguste oblonga (8.5 vel 10.7 cm longa, 3.2 vel 4.4 cm lata), ovata (1.5 vel 2.3 cm longa, 1 vel 1.6 cm lata), ab usque ad imum parvusescens, pubescentia, glaucescentia infra, glabrata supra, 7- vel 9-nervia, petioluli 1 vel 2 mm longa, ii ad apicem longior, 1.5

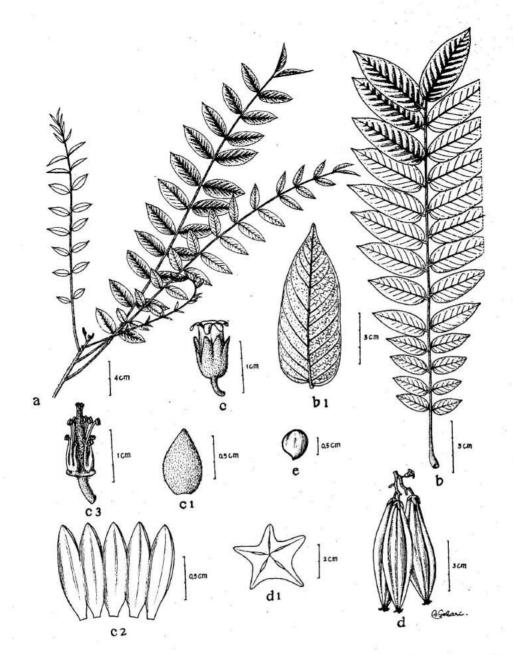


Fig. 4. Averrhoa dolicocharpa Rugayah & Sunarti (a. Habit, b. Leave, b1. Leaflet, c. Flower, c1. Sepal, c2. Petal, c3. Stament & style, d. Fruit, d1. Cross section of fruit, e. Seed).

vel 2.2 cm longi. Cymae cauliflorae, 2 vel 2.5 cm longae, 1 vel 2.5 cm latae, floribus 10 vel 30. Pedicelli 3 vel 5 mm longi, puberuli. Sepala 5, ovato-oblonga, acuta, leviter recurvata, laete lutei-brunnea, 6 vel 8 mm longa, 3 vel 4 mm lata, glabra supra, pubescentia infra.0Petala 5, lanceolata, rotundata apice, cuneata basi, 11mm longa, 3 mm lata, cohaerentia in medio, lobi (partes liberae apice) ovati-oblongi, recurvati, 6 mm longi, 2.5 vel 3 mm lati, ad margine albi, in centro rubric-purpurai, glabri utrinque. Stamina antisepala 5, longior, 6 mm longa, ea antipetala 5, brevior, 4 mm longa, filamenta glabra, connata basi, antherae subrotundata, 1 mm longa. Ovarium quinqueangulatum, sparsim pilosum, 4 mm longum, quinqueloculatum. Styli 5, glabri, 3.5 mm longi. Ovula 3 vel 5 in quoque loculo. Fructus fusiformes quenqueanguli, 9 vel 11.5 cm longi, 2.4 vel 3.7 cm diametro, lutei, calyx ad maturitatem fructus persistens, sepala oblonga vel anguste oblonga, 1 cm longa, 2 vel 3 mm lata. Semina orbicularia, complanata, 5 vel 7 mm longa, 5 vel 6 mm lata. — TYPUS: Java. Bogor Botanical Gardens, introduce from Yapen Island, Papua. Fukuoka & Siti Sunarti no. 7 (holo: BO).

Wild plant. Small tree up to 8 m tall. Leaves crowded near top of tree; petiole (4-) 7- 16 cm long, pubescent; rachis (15-) 24.5 - 59.5 cm long, pubescent; leaflets imparipinnate, 7 - 13 in pairs, becoming smaller from top down to bottom, narrowly oblong, $(5.5 - 11 \times 3 - 4.5 \text{ cm})$, to ovate (2 $-4.5 \times 1.3 - 2.8 \text{ cm}$), acute and acuminate at apex, truncates and unequal at base, glabrous above except

on very scarcely hairy mid vein, densely curved hairy and punctuate below; midrib densely hairy, prominent on lower surface; lateral nerves 5 - 10 in pairs; petiolules pubescent, lateral ones 2 mm long, terminal ones longer, 1.5 - 3 mm long. Inflorescence cauliflory, forming dense clusters crowded by many (10-30 and more) flowers; rachis 1-2.5 cm long, up to 3 cm long even when flower withered, 1-2.5cm broad; pedicels 3 - 5 mm long, pubescent. Sepals 5, ovate-oblong, acute, slightly recurved at apex, 6-8 mm long, 3-4 mm broad, lightly yellowish brown, glabrous above, pubescent below; petals 5, coherent at middle part, ovate-oblong, rotundate at apex, cuneate at base, 6-11 mm long, 2.5-3 mm broad, glabrous on both surfaces, recurved, white outside, upper side of lobes with a pattern of pinkish purple and white stripes except at white margins; stamens connate at very base, glabrous, antisepala filaments 5, 5 mm long, antipetala ones 5, shorter, 3 mm long; anthers sub-rotundate, 1 mm long; pistil longer than stamens; ovary 5-angled, 5-celled, ca. 1.5 mm long, sparsely hairy; styles free, 5, ca. 5 mm long, glabrous. Fruits fusiform, distinctly divided at top, with styles, with flat connecting valleys, 9 - 12.1 cm long, 2.4 -4.5 cm in diameter, dark green changing to yellow, very sour in test. Seeds 7 - 13 mm long, 5 mm broad, with thin transparent aril.

DISTRIBUTION. Papua: Cycloops Nature Reserve, Sepik river, Kaiser Willhelmsland (North Papua New Guinea). SPECIMEN EXAMINED. New Guinea: Cagar Alam (Nature Reserve) Cycloops, 14 Dec.1985, *Elizabeth A. Widjaja & Hamzah 2931*; Sepik River, 14 May 1929, *A.W. Herre 281*; Kaiser Willhelmsland ex Museo Botanico Berolinensis, 1887, *M Hollrung 709*

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Fig. 5. Averrhoa carambola L.



Fig. 6. Averrhoa bilimbi L.



Fig. 7. Averrhoa leucopetala Rugayah & Sunarti



Fig.8. Averrhoa dolichocarpa Rugayah & Sunarti

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