



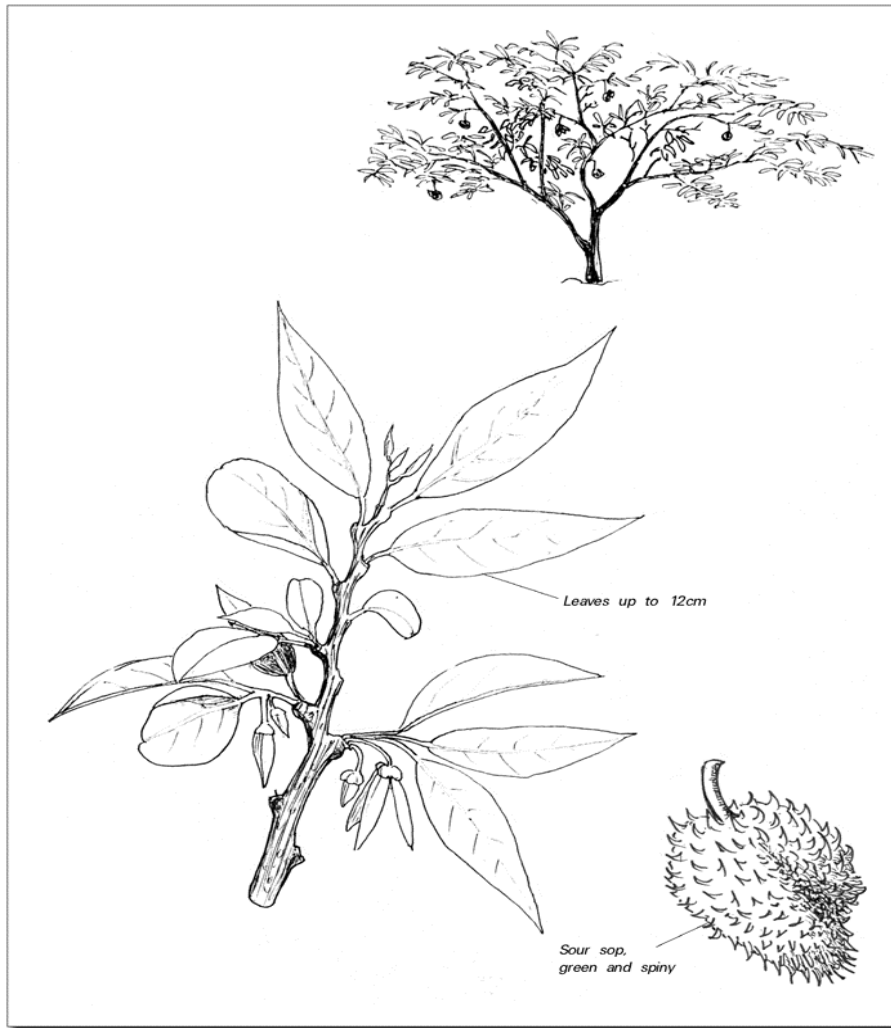
SOUR SOP (*ANNONA MURIATA*)

This is a native of the American tropics. It is found at altitudes of up to 600 m. It grows to 8 m high and the fruits are ovoid, ranging from 15-20 cm in size, though some do get to 30 cm long. The fruit which is green when ripe is spiny and the pulp is white and slightly acidic. The seeds are brown or black. Flowers appear from June to November while fruits appear from September to January. Leaves are 8-25 cm long and the flowers are greenish yellow and small.



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Family: Annonaceae	Species: <i>Annona muricata</i>	Author: Linnaeus
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Height: 8m	Habitat: Sea level-600m	Persistence: Evergreen
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