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Reading; Cashew; Yellow mombin; Red mombin; 2: Calophyllaceae,  
Clusiaceae and Cactaceae; Calophyllaceae/Clusiaceae; Mammee Apple;  
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development; Cytogenetics, genetics and breeding; Cultural practices;  
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Flowers; Fruit; Cultivar development; Genetics and cytogenics;  
Breeding; Cultivars; Cultural practices; Propagation; Field preparation;  
Transplanting and spacing; Irrigation; Pruning; Fruit thinning; Out of  
season production (scozzolatura); Fertilization; Pest management;  
Harvesting and postharvest handling; World production and utilization;  
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Sommario/riassunto

A major reference work on exotic and underutilised fruits and nuts of the New World. While many of these are well known in the local markets and in Spanish-language literature, they have rarely been brought to the attention of the wider English-speaking audience, and as such this book will offer an entirely new resource to those interested in exotic crops.

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