PLANT FACT SHEET

Peddiea fischeri Engl.

GENUS *Peddiea* **FAMILY** Thymelaeaceae

COMMON NAMES Green flower tree

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or small tree. It grows 10 m high. The leaves are dark green and shiny. They are alternate and sword shaped and 3-12 cm long. The flowers are in a group of 3-10. They are green. The fruit is an oval berry 10-14 mm long. They are purple to black.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It grows in closed mountain forest in West Africa. It grows between 1,400-2,000 m above sea level.

NOTES

There are about 10 Peddiea species.

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