PLANT FACT SHEET

Landolphia gummifera (Lam.) K. Schum.

GENUS *Landolphia* **FAMILY** Apocynaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are eaten raw.

DESCRIPTION

A climbing shrub. It has woody stems. These attach by tendrils. The fruit are oval and 11 cm long by 6 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in coastal forests.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants can be grown by seeds.

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