PLANT FACT SHEET

Petchia erythrocarpa (Vatke) Leeuwenb.

GENUS *Petchia* **FAMILY** Apocynaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit, Bark - flavouring

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It grows 2-5 m tall. The leaves are in opposite pairs and are oval. The fruit are red. The occur as a group in a line.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It suits the seasonally dry tropics.

PRODUCTION

Harvesting and Seed Production

It flowers and produces fruit all year round.

REFERENCES

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