PLANT FACT SHEET

Salacia insignis A. C. Sm.

GENUS *Salacia* **FAMILY** Celastraceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A climber that can grow 20 m tall attached to trees. The leaves are oval and 25-28 cm long by 4-7.5 cm wide. The flowers are in the axils of leaves. They are in a group 25 cm long. They are pale green or yellow. The fruit are round and 3 cm across.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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