PLANT FACT SHEET

Pittosporum rhombifolium A. Cunn. ex Hook.

GENUS *Pittosporum* **FAMILY** Pittosporaceae

COMMON NAMES Queensland pittosporum, Diamond leaf pittosporum

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are eaten but slightly bitter.

DESCRIPTION

A large evergreen tree. It grows 10 m high. The bark is greyish-brown. The leaves are glossy green. The leaves taper to the tip and base. The leaf stalk is 1 cm long. There are irregular teeth along the edge. The flowers are white or cream and in clusters at the ends of the branches. They are 1 cm long. The fruit are bright berries. The fruit is edible.

HABITAT

A tropical plant.

PICTURES



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