PLANT FACT SHEET

# *Sarcophrynium prionogonium* (K. Schum.) K. Schum.

**GENUS** *Sarcophrynium* **FAMILY** Marantaceae

## EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

**Edible parts:** Fruit

The pulp of the fruit is eaten raw.

## DESCRIPTION

A herb. It keeps growing from year to year.

## HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

## PRODUCTION

### Harvesting and Seed Production

Fruiting is seasonal.

## REFERENCES


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