PLANT FACT SHEET

Anthurium fosteri Croat

GENUS *Anthurium* **FAMILY** Araceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves - salt, Vegetable

The leaves are burnt as a source of vegetable salt.

DESCRIPTION

It grows attached to other plants. The internodes are 7 cm apart. The leaves are oval to heart shaped and 18-24 cm long by 11-13 cm wide. The flowers are erect and the flower stalk is 14 cm long.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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