PLANT FACT SHEET

Freycinetia monticola Rendle

GENUS *Freycinetia* **FAMILY** Pandanaceae

COMMON NAMES Kiekie

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Floral bracts

The fleshy flower bracts are eaten raw.

DESCRIPTION

A climber. The leaves are long and narrow.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It suits the wet tropics. It has been recorded at 740 m above sea level.

NOTES

There are about 100-175 Freycinetia species.

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