PLANT FACT SHEET

Passiflora miniata Vanderpl.

GENUS *Passiflora* **FAMILY** Passifloraceae

COMMON NAMES Scarlet passionflower

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A climbing plant. The stems are hairy. The leaves are simple and 5-10 cm long by 4-6 cm wide. The flowers are 8-12 cm across and 7 cm long. The fruit are 5.5 cm across. They are green and have stripes. They become yellow or orange when ripe.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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