PLANT FACT SHEET

Poisonous

This plant, or parts of it, can be poisonous. Do not eat it unless you know which parts are safe and how they must be prepared.

Hoya australis R. Br. ex Traill

GENUS *Hoya* **FAMILY** Apocynaceae

COMMON NAMES Samoan waxplant

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: flower - nectar, Medicine

DESCRIPTION

A climbing plant. It keeps growing from year to year. It can be 5 m long.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows near beaches and on the edges of mangroves and up to 1,000 m above sea level. It grows in the humid tropics.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

It can be grown from cuttings.

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