PLANT FACT SHEET

Dupineta hensii (Cogn.) Ver.-Lib. & G. Kadereit

GENUS *Dupineta* **FAMILY** Melastomataceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves, Fruit

The young leaves are cooked as a leafy vegetable.
The ripe fruit are eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A small shrub. The leaves are opposite and narrowly oval. They are 6 cm long by 2.5 cm wide. The flowers are on the ends of the stems.

HABITAT

A tropical plant.

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